

REPORT

OF THE

Montreal Ladies' Educational Association.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE,

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We cheerfully take up the task of giving an account of the work of the Association during the past year, because of the success that has attended its efforts.

The Programme of this winter's lectures has been somewhat more varied than the last; six courses having been delivered instead of four, by six different Professors. Of these, the Early English History as far as the reign of Henry III., and the English Literature of the same period, may be considered one course; other two were upon Chemistry and Physiology, the former chosen, not for its own interest only, but as the handmaid of the latter subject.

The able and interesting lectures on English History by Professor GOLDWIN SMITH attracted large numbers of students and auditors. Forty-two enrolled their names as students, but only twenty-five of these came up for examination. Four withdrew, and Professor SMITH writes of the others:—"I send, in a registered letter, the certificates, twenty-one in number (all fairly earned), and a paper in which the names of the candidates are arranged in four classes according to their degrees of merit, the