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LECTURES.

For want of accommodation in the present Building, and having to devote so much time and attention to matters connected with the completion of the New Hall, your Board did not make any arrangements for a Course of Lectures, in the Institute during the past Season; one Lecture, however, was delivered by Mr. Richard Lewis, as introductory to the Class conducted by him in connection with the Institute.

CLASSES.

The English Class established in 1859, under the direction of Mr. Richard Lewis, was re-organized last fall and met for a term of five months. The exercises consisted of lessons in English Grammar, on the Analysis of Sentences, on Composition and Rhetoric, and on Logic, Elocution and Public Speaking. Mr. Lewis laboured zealously for the improvement of his Class, which was well attended, and a manifest improvement was the result in all who attended industriously to the studies. It was closed only a week or two since, when the thanks of the class were heartily accorded to Mr. Lewis for the interest he had manifested in the welfare and improvement of its members.

The Class has agreed to meet at intervals through the summer months, so as to continue its organization ready for next session.

A Class for the study of Vocal Music has recently been established in connection with the Institute, conducted by Mr. C. Pearson, which your Board have reason to believe is making satisfactory progress in its studies.

Your Board deem the establishment of classes of the utmost importance to the satisfactory working of the Institute, and should therefore receive a large share of attention from future Boards of Directors, especially when in the New Building, where ample room has been provided for them.