

TREASURER'S REPORT.

1853-4.

In submitting a statement of the Financial condition of the Society, the Treasurer deems it necessary to notice :

1. The Debts.
2. Sources of pecuniary support.
3. Contingencies to be provided for.
4. Means for improving our pecuniary resources.
5. Items of Income and Expenditure, during last year.

I. DEBTS.

These are included under two heads, a Mortgage Debt, and Miscellaneous Unsettled Accounts, viz. :—

Mortgage.....	150 0 0
Sundries, including City Taxes, Periodicals, Printing, Advertising, and Stationery.....	£ 25 14 5
Total Debts due by the Society.....	175 14 5

II. SOURCES OF PECUNIARY SUPPORT.

These consist of Entrance Fees, collected at the door of the Museum ; a charge of one dollar for each Diploma issued ; an Annual Subscription of two dollars each, from Members ; and a small Annual Parliamentary Grant. During the past year, there were received :—

Entrance Fees paid at the Door of the Museum.....	£ 3 0 0
For Diplomas, and Interest, &c.....	8 2 11
For Subscriptions of Members.....	52 10 0
Parliamentary Grants—	
For 1851-2.....	50 0 0
For 1852-3.....	50 0 0
For the House.....	150 0 0
Total Income of the Society during the year 1853-4.....	£313 12 11