

which, in the High School and Academy, is obtained from the study of Classics. English Literature has always proved a most popular study with our pupils, and as it tends to increase the powers of perception and discrimination, it must ever take an important place in the education of youth. As true civility and polish of manners is best acquired by association with polite society, with our Raleighs and Chesterfields; so likewise mental culture and refinement of thought are most readily promoted by an intimate knowledge of the writings of our best authors, enabling us as it does, to discriminate between literary productions of apparent or real merit.

The following is a register of classes, showing the branches now being taught in the school, and also the number of pupils attending each class :—

## JUNIOR CLASS.

Spelling.....	9
Reading Boston print.....	8
Reading Dr. Moon's print.....	7
Arithmetic (Mental).....	6
Geography.....	9
English Grammar.....	5
British History.....	14

## SENIOR CLASSES.

Spelling and Dictation.....	12
Braille point writing.....	6
Arithmetic (Mental).....	8
Arithmetic, with type boards.....	6
Geography.....	13
English Grammar.....	6
English Literature.....	8
English Composition.....	11
Ancient History.....	6
Geometry.....	4
Algebra.....	7

## MUSICAL DEPARTMENT.

The work of the year in this department has been exceptionally satisfactory. Appreciating, as our pupils now do, the special advantages provided in this Institution for acquiring the knowledge of music, and realizing that intelligent application and unremitting exertion on their part will not only secure for them positions of independence, but also improve their social status in the community; they are encouraged to continue their efforts until the difficulties which beset their path shall have been overcome, and every obstacle