I.—ELEMENTARY COURSE OF MINERALOGY AND GEOLOGY INCLUDING THE LEADING PRINCIPLES OF PHYSICAL, GEOGRAPHY.

This course, comprising about forty Lectures, is discussed in the following order:

The Elementary Principles of Mineralogy; comprising, more especially, the practical discrimination of Minerals.

(Book of reference-Dana's Manual of Mineralogy.)

2. The Elements of Geology and Palæontology.

(Book of Reference-Lyell's Elementary Manual.)

3. The Elements of Physical Geography.

(Book of Reference—Johnston's Elementary Atlas of Physical Phenomena, 8vo edition.)

II.—ADVANCED COURSE ON MINERALOGY.

In this course the following subdivisions are adopted;

- 1. The Physical and Chemical Relations of Machinery.—This division includes the subject of Crystallography, the Classification of Minerals, and other questions constituting the general philosophy of the science. A certain knowledge of the common principles of Chemistry, and of Plane and Spherical Trigonometry, is here desirable on the part of the Student.
- Descriptive and Applied Mineralogy.—Examinations of all the more important and interesting mineral substances that occur in nature, with the industrial application of these considered in detail.

(Book of Reference-Dana's System of Mineralogy, 4th edition.)

III.—ADVANCED COURSE ON GEOLOGY AND PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY.

This course is discussed under the following subdivisions:

- Fundamental principles of Geology.—A review of the common facts of the science, and of Geological phenomena in general.
- Palæontology.—The study of organic remains: a subject not only of high scientific interest, but also of the greatest practical importance in determining the relative ages and positions of rock groups.