

Several donations have been made to the Museum, and a special contribution to that department has enabled the Board to procure two new cases for use therein. A list of the donations and of the names of the donors is appended.

An Abstract of the receipts and expenses of the past, and also of the previous year, for the sake of comparison, is submitted herewith.

The Lecture Course, which was well patronized and, it is believed, gave general satisfaction, consisted of the following:—

1880.

Nov. 29. GRAND VOCAL CONCERT, by Mrs. H. E. H. Carter's Boston Concert Company.

Dec. 8. Rev. Geo. W. Hodgson, M. A., Charlottetown, P. E. I., Subject, "The Canadian Element in the Future of America."

13. Mr. G. R. Parkin, M. A., Fredericton. Subject,—“The Future Relations of England and her Colonies.”

20. Mr. Alexander Young, LL. B., Boston, Mass. Subject,—“Comic and Tragic Aspects of Life.”

1881.

Jan. 10. Rev. Geo. W. Hill, D. D., Halifax, N. S. Subject,—“The Pulpit, the Platform, and the Press.”

17. F. McIntire, A. M., Boston. Subject,—“A Journey among the Planets.”

24. J. E. B. McCready. Subject,—“Hon. D'Arcy McGee.”

31. J. L. Stewart. Subject,—“The Canadian House of Commons.”

Feb. 7. S. W. Hathaway, A. M., Boston. Subject,—“Chemical A. B. C.”

14. Rev. D. Watters, LL. D. Subject,—“The Times we live in.”

28. Hon. Geo. E. King. Subject,—“Lindisfarne.”

Respectfully submitted by the Board of Directors of the Mechanics' Institute of Saint John, this seventh day of April, A. D. 1881.

I. ALLEN JACK, *President.*

T. B. HANINGTON, *Recording Secretary.*

St.

ENT

Boyd, J.
Daniel,
Fleming
Gray, F.
Humber

Allison,
Allen, V.
Alward,
Adam,
Allwood
Armstrong
Armstrong
Armstrong
Barbour
Barnes,
Bunting
Bustin,
Brass, F.
Best, W.
Bent, G.