such time as may be agreed upon between the Donor and the Trustees, and further, that all Donors of over \$500 shall be entitled to a Governorship with its attendant rights and privileges. The Council beg the attention of Montreal citizens to this Fund and trust that it may be established on so secure a basis as to free the Association permanently from financial anxiety and embarrassment.

Taking into consideration the large number of gentlemen in this city who own fine works of art, and are gifted with cultivated taste in art matters, the Council are led to hope that this appeal will not be made in vain.

## ART CLASSES.

The seventh session of these classes commenced October 3rd, 1887, under the direction of Mr. Wm. Brymner, R.C.A. whose services the Council consider themselves fortunate in having been able to retain, the students being thereby enabled to avail themselves of the opportunity of a continuous course of study under the same able guidance as that of the last session. The hours of the classes are unaltered.

Mr. Brymner reports as follows:-

The progress of the school since the Report of 1886 has been satisfactory.

Three of the more advanced students of last year's class have gone to New York, and one to Paris, to avail themselves of the more extended opportunities for study and improvement afforded in those cities.

An Exhibition of the work done by the students during the past session, was held in the latter part of May, none of