

for the use of both Teachers and scholars, and such books as are received, are carefully preserved for that purpose.

The prizes distributed this year were a special donation from "Friends."

It is hardly necessary for me to report the general and deep sorrow which we all felt at the loss sustained by the Institution in the deaths of Mr. Edward Mackay, the President; Dr. W. E. Scott, the Physician ; as well as other friends of the Institution. These will be referred to no doubt in the report of the Managers.

We have had a prosperous and progressive year, and have every reason to be devoutly thankful for the manifold blessings which have been so graciously showered on us in many ways. We can only pray and trust that the Institution may continue to be thus highly favored, and that the kindly feeling and co-operation on the part of the Managers and Teachers, in the good work may be continued in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS WIDD,

*Principal.*

To the Board of Managers.