

Two important and beautiful improvements have been added to the Institution since our last Annual Report, viz. the enlargement of the *Exhibition Room*, 30 by 40 feet in extent, and a splendid, new, fine toned Church *Organ*, of 26 stops, from the manufactory of *Mr. Henry Erben*, New York.

The above room is now a beautiful and convenient Concert Hall, for our Wednesday exhibitions, 40 by 80 feet in extent, and capable of accommodating about 700 persons.

These exhibitions and the arrangements connected with them, occupy only about two hours, and afford desirable visiting occasions for citizens and strangers. In regard to the time employed, they are also the most convenient and economical means of exhibiting the musical attainments of the pupils, and the use of the apparatus peculiar to our method of instruction. The weekly attendance is large and increasing. The very small charge at the door, made originally to limit the excessive crowds, furnishes a fund from which a comfortable outfit is given to every indigent graduate pupil who leaves the Institution in good standing. Another important advantage of the Wednesday exhibitions is that the liberal sales on those occasions are sufficient to give constant employment to most of the female pupils.

Our reports for the past three years have discussed,

Instruction, and, through it, to the Board of Managers, at their approaching meeting.

ROBLEY DUNGLISON,
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