## Wm. Johnson & Son (Opus 633, 1884) Hall of Languages Syracuse University Syracuse, New York

The faculty and students of Syracuse University occupied the Hall of Languages, the first building on the new campus on May 1, 1873. Dedication of the new building took place one week later accompanied by speeches and the singing of the "Syracuse University Hymn," written for the occasion by the Rev. George Lansing Taylor.<sup>1</sup>

Ten years later (1884), the organ built by Wm. Johnson & Son was installed in the chapel of the Hall of Languages. Early the following year, Syracuse University marked the event with a concert.

"January 16, 1885: Grand concert for the inauguration of the new organ in the chapel of the university."<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> <u>Alumni Record and General Catalogue of Syracuse University, 1872-'99 including</u> <u>Genesee College, 1852-'71 and Geneva Medical College, 1835-'72</u> (Syracuse, New York: Alumni Association of Syracuse University, 1899), page 26

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> <u>Alumni Record and General Catalogue of Syracuse University</u>, page 38