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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TRUSTEES
OF THE
NEW YORK SOCIETY LIBRARY.

In accordance with the established rule of this Corporation, the Trustees present to the members of the Society their regular Annual Report on the affairs and state of the Institution.

Since the last Report was made no marked change in the condition of the Institution has occurred. The improvements in the building made two years ago have rendered the Library more attractive; and the use made of its books by the members has been more general than heretofore.

Besides many rare and early editions of works in general literature gradually accumulated in past years, the Society Library possesses four Special Collections, namely—first, that contained in the “John C. Green Alcove,” consisting of costly illustrated works on the Fine Arts, of which a beautiful catalogue has been printed recently at the expense of Robert Lenox Kennedy, Esq.; second, the Winthrop Collection of some three hundred very ancient and curious books, chiefly in Latin, which once belonged to John Winthrop, “the Founder of Connecticut;” third, the books contained in the “De Peyster Alcove,” numbering about one thousand volumes, and very full in special subjects; fourth, the “Hammond Library” (formerly in Newport, Rhode Island), comprising some eighteen hundred volumes of quaint and curious books, and quite a unique collection, purchased and presented to our Library by Robert Lenox Kennedy, Esq. In addition to these, the collection of works on Arctic Research and Discovery, about one hundred

volumes in number, presented by James Benkard, Esq., is believed to furnish a complete history of that interesting subject from the earliest period.

The income of the Library temporarily diminished during the past two years, will hereafter, it is believed, enable the Library Committee to make larger additions to the Library than it has been able heretofore to do.

The mortgage on the property in Chatham and Worth streets, held by the Library at the date of the last report, has been foreclosed, and the property is now entirely owned by the Library. The property is rented for the ensuing year for the sum of \$5,200 *per annum*. Deducting taxes, this income would be over 6 *per cent.* on the entire investment, including expenses of foreclosure.

The funds of the institution remaining in the Bank of Commerce at this date (\$5,678.47), except what is required for current expenses, are to be invested, under the direction of the Finance Committee, in New York City securities.

The death of the Treasurer, occurring on the 31st of March, renders it impossible to present any annual report from this officer; but the accounts of the fiscal year were so nearly closed at his death, that the Committee appointed to audit the same are able to furnish herewith a statement of the entire receipts and expenditures of the year, all outstanding bills having been paid except about \$200 due for current expenses, which would have been paid but for the sudden death of the Treasurer.

The Chairman having been requested by the Board of Trustees to present on this occasion a brief memoir of our late friend and associate, submits the following

MEMOIR OF RICHARD E. MOUNT.

Richard Edwards Mount was born in the City of New York, in the year 1814. He was the son of the late R. E. Mount, a wealthy citizen well known in the commercial circles of the metropolis for his business energy and probity. He received an excellent education, which was finished at Columbia College, whence he graduated in 1834, one of his classmates being the late James W. Beekman. On leaving college he studied law, and in due time was admitted to the Bar. He immediately entered upon the practice of his profession, and continued thus engaged during the greater part of the remainder of his life. At the death of his father, several years ago, he in-

herited an ample fortune, and about this time relinquished active business. Mr. Mount never married ; but being a man of strong social proclivities he took delight in the pleasures of club life and in the society of wits and scholars. He was a member of the old Shakespeare Club, and also of the leading city clubs of the present day, including the University, the Century, and the Union ; and had been Treasurer of the last mentioned. In early life he became interested in musical and dramatic affairs, and contributed articles on these subjects to the *Knickerbocker Magazine* and to several daily journals. He had a strong dislike to politics, and took no part in them during his life. Although not a public man in any sense of the word, he was both well-known and popular, and numbered among his warm personal friends many prominent public and literary men and artists. He was a member of the St. Nicholas Society, and at one time its President. He was also a member of the American Geographical Society. With the New York Society Library he was connected for a number of years, and took a deep interest in its affairs ; and at the time of his death he was Treasurer of the Institution. In the history of New York City he was particularly interested, and possessed an extraordinary knowledge of its notable places and ancient landmarks. He was for many years a member of the New York Historical Society. His fondness for the old styles of architecture, old habits and customs, and the simplicity which characterized the people of New York during his early life was especially marked. He lived in an unostentatious manner at his residence, No. 4 West Twenty-first Street, with his three sisters, to whom he was devotedly attached. Between him and a younger brother, the late Henry R. Mount, of Stamford, Conn., a strong affection likewise existed ; and the death of the latter, which occurred only three weeks previous to his own, affected him deeply. The immediate cause of Mr. Mount's death was an attack of pneumonia, which prostrated him on Easter Sunday, March 28th. He sank rapidly under the disease, and died on Wednesday evening, March 31st. His funeral took place on Saturday morning, April 3d. The remains were conveyed from his late residence to Trinity Chapel, in Twenty-sixth Street, where religious services were held ; they were afterwards taken to Trinity Cemetery, near Fort Washington, for interment.

FREDERIC DE PEYSTER,

Chairman.

NEW YORK, April 1, 1880.

TO THE TRUSTEES

OF THE

NEW YORK SOCIETY LIBRARY.

The Committee appointed to "audit the accounts of this corporation, and to make an inventory of its real and personal property, excepting the books," etc., respectfully report :—

That they have examined the accounts of the Treasurer for the year ending March 31, 1880, compared the expenditures with the vouchers, and find the same to be correct.

The balance remaining to the credit of the corporation in the Bank of Commerce on the first day of April, 1880, is \$5,678.47, of which about \$4,000 are uninvested principal.

The Committee have also examined the securities which constitute the estate, and estimate the value of the property (books excepted) as follows :

The Library Building and lot at about.....	\$130,000 00
The property on Chatham and Worth Streets, purchased on foreclosure of mortgage and by conveyance from estate of Richard E. Mount, deceased, at its cost.....	63,498 02
The insurance on the Library Building is.....	44,000 00
The insurance on the Books is.....	46,000 00
The insurance on the Chatham and Worth Streets property is	20,000 00

The fund known as the "John C. Green Fund," amounting to \$50,000, is included in the amount of the value of said Chatham and Worth Streets property.

There is no debt whatever owing by the corporation, excepting \$200 for current expenses.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD SCHELL,
JOHN M. KNOX,
GEORGE CABOT WARD,

Committee.

NEW YORK, April 7, 1880.

A LIST

OF

RECENT ADDITIONS TO APRIL 1, 1880.

The following list of books does not include those purchased from the income of the "John C. Green Fund."

Adventurous Lives. Becker.	2 vols. 12mo. London.	1878
Accomplishd Gentleman. Sturgis.	16mo. New York.	1879
Afternoons with the Poets. Deshler.	12mo. New York.	1879
Alaska. Sheldon Jackson.	12mo. New York.	1880
All Quiet along the Potomac, and other Poems. Beers.	12mo. Philadelphia.	1879
*Almanach de Gotha. 1880.	24mo. Gotha.	1880
Alpenstock, The: A book about the Alps. (Rideing Ed.)	16mo. New York.	1880
Alo'ha, a Hawaiian Salutation. Chaney.	16mo. Boston.	1880
American Almanac for 1880. Spofford.	12mo. New York.	1880
Amours Fragiles. Cherbuliez.	12mo. Paris.	1880
Anatomy; its Essentials. Darling and Ranney.	8vo. New York.	1880
Ancient and Mediaeval Republics. Mann.	8vo. New York.	1879
Ange. Miss Marryatt.	16mo. New York.	1879
*Annual Cyclopædia for 1878.	8vo. New York.	1879
Annual Record of Science and Industry for 1880. (Baird.)	12mo. New York.	1879
*Annual Register for the years 1876 and 1878.	2 vols. 8vo. London.	1877-9
Arctic Voyages of Nordenskiöld. 1878-1879.	8vo. London.	1879
Aristotle. Lewes.	8vo. London.	1864.
Arnold, Benedict, Life of. Arnold.	8vo. Chicago.	1879
Army Register for Jan., 1880.	12mo. Washington.	1880
Arndt, Ernst Moritz: His Life and Adventures.	12mo. Boston.	1879
Arrows in the Air. Haweis.	12mo. London.	1878
Art. The Year's Art. Huish.	12mo. London.	1880
Art of Thinking, and other Essays. Hinton.	12mo. London.	1879
A-Saddle in the Wild West. Rideing.	16mo. New York.	1879
At a High Price. Werner.	12mo. Boston.	1879
Atlantic Coast Guide.	16mo. New York.	1873
Banking Reform. Wilson.	8vo. London.	1879
Ballads, American. (Half-Hour Series.) English.	32mo. New York.	1880
Ballad History of England. Bennett.	16mo. London.	1879
Balzac's Correspondence.	2 vols. 8vo. London.	1878
Bampton Lectures for 1878. Wright.	8vo. London.	1879

- Bar-Maid at Battleton. Robinson. (Half-Hour Series.) 32mo. New York. 1879
- Barbara, or Splendid Misery. Braddon. (F. S. L.) 4to. New York. 1880
- Barometer, its use in Surveys, &c., by Engineers, U. S. A. and Meteorology, &c.
2 vols. 4to. New York. 1868
- Barrington's Miscellanies. 4to. London. 1871
Gift of Wm. Alfred Jones, Esq.
- Basildon. Hunt. (Fr. Sq. Lib.) 4to. New York. 1879
- Baths and Bathing (Health Primers.) 16mo. New York. 1879
- Bellmont, The Earl of, Life and Administration. F. De Peyster. 8vo. N. Y. 1879
- Bells of Pennraven. Farjeon. (F. S. L.) 4to. New York. 1879
- Berlioz: His Letters, Esthetic and Humorous Writings. 12mo. New York. 1879
- Beust, Count. Diplomatic Sketches. 8vo. London. 1878
- Biographical Sketches of the Class of 1826, Yale College. 8vo. pphs. 1866-76
Gifts of John G. Adams, M. D.
- Biographie Pittoresque, and 10 other vols. from Sam'l A. Goldsmith, Esq.
- Bonaparte, Madame. Life and Letters. Didier. 12mo. New York. 1879
- Botany of Three Historical Records. Wilson. 12mo. Edinburgh. 1878
- Botany. Vol. 6 of Surveys West of 100th Mer. 4to. Washington. 1878
- Brazil and the Amazons. Smith. 8vo. New York. 1879
- *British Almanac for 1880. 12mo. London. 1880
- Bundle of Letters. H. James, Jr. 16mo. pph. Boston. 1880
- Bundle of Papers. Paul Siegvolk. 12mo. New York. 1879
- Bunyan. (Eng. Men of Letters.) Froude. 12mo. New York. 1880
- Burke, Edmund. (Eng. Men of Letters.) Morley. 12mo. New York. 1879
- Burning their Ships. Phillips. (H. H. Ser.) 32mo. New York. 1879
- Burns. (Eng. Men of Letters.) Shairp. 12mo. New York. 1879
- Bye-Words; A Collection of Tales. Yonge. 12mo. London. 1880
- Cæsar. A Sketch. Froude. 8vo. New York. 1879
- Cagnards de l'Hotel-Dieu de Paris. Berthet. 12mo. Paris. 1879
- Calderon. Hasell. (Foreign Classics.) 16mo. Philadelphia. 1880
- Campaigns of the War of 1812-15. Cullum. 8vo. New York. 1879
- Capri, The Island of. Gregorovius. 16mo. Boston. 1879
- Caribbees, Camps in the. Ober. 8vo. Boston. 1880
- Carried by Storm. Fleming. 12mo. New York. 1879
- Catalogue des Livres Rares et Precieux. 8vo. Paris. 1880
- Catacombs, Epitaphs of the. Northcote. 8vo. London. 1878
- Cause of Color Among Races. Sharpe. 16mo. London. 1879
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- Ceremonial Institutions. (Part 4, Sociology.) H. Spencer. 12mo. N. Y. 1880
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- Chaucer. (Eng. Men of Letters.) Ward. 12mo. New York. 1880
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- Civil Service in Great Britain. Eaton. 8vo. New York. 1880
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- Color Blindness. Jeffries. 12mo. Boston. 1879
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- Confucianism and Taoism. Douglas. 12mo. London. 1879
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- Constitutional History of the United States. Von Holst. 2 vols. 8vo. Chicago. 1876-9
- Corea; Voyages to the Forbidden Land. Oppert. 8vo. New York. 1880
- Correspondence of M. Napier. 8vo. London. 1879
- Country Gentleman. 2 vols. 4to. Albany. 1853
- Cousins. Walford. 16mo. New York. 1879
- Cousin Henry. Trollope. (Fr. Sq. Lib.) 4to. New York. 1879
- Cousin Simon. Marsham. (Fr. Sq. Lib.) 4to. New York. 1880
- Crayfish. (Int'l Scientific Series). Huxley. 12mo. New York. 1880
- Cruikshank, George. A Biographical Essay. Bates. 12mo. pph. London. 1878
- Cyclopædia of Biblical Literature. vol. 8. 8vo. New York. 1879
- Cyprus, British. Dixon. 8vo. London. 1879
- Daireen. Moore. (Fr. Sq. Lib.) 4to. New York. 1880
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