

163 St. James St.

16th Dec 1881

Dr. Lawson

Dear Sir,

I enclose you what seems to me to be about what should be said on behalf of the Union in reference to the appeal spoken of yesterday. You will find ~~it~~ the memorandum which I think you wanted but of course I do not expect you to follow my dictation as to what the appeal should contain except in so far as you may think it advisable. The manner in which I have put it is simply my idea, but I shall expect you to make any changes or omissions which you may think advisable

It seemed to me that per-
haps it would not be well
to say anything about the
institute, but if you think
otherwise probably the man-
randum & Enclosure will
contain the information
you want on that point

I am
Yours very truly
Seth Fleet.

Memorandum.

The Institute which was held in the city on the 7th 8th & 9th of November last was fairly successful; the total expenses thereof having been met by subscription from the various schools in the city leaving the whole collection, \$440⁰⁰, which was taken up at the meeting in the American Presbyterian Church, to be turned over to the funds of the Society.

The collections of Mr. W^m Killican have been about \$460⁰⁰ and the expenses, except those of the Institute which have been met as above mentioned, have been only the ordinary ones of the Union.

Memorandum
The Institute which was held in the
city on the 7th & 8th of November last
was fairly successful. The total expenses
being about \$4000. The total receipts
from the various lectures in the city
being up the whole collection \$1000.
The balance was carried up to the meeting with
the American Presbyterian Church, in the amount
over a few hundred dollars of the Society.
The collection of Mr. W. H. Williams
was about \$4000. The expenses
except those of the Institute which have
been met as other contributions, have been
by the ordinary care of the Union.

W. H. Williams
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