The reward of your application. The studies of the lower class are perhaps universally acknowledged to be of inestimable importance. By Natural Philosophy we are enabled to trace effects to their causes to see the course of natural events, and to behold with satisfaction and delight the order and harmony of the Universe. By Moral Philosophy we are instructed in the nature and principles of civil justice and moral duty. By Pindaric and Lyric we are taught the structure of language, propriety of arrangement, and elegance of style in composition, and Beauty and force of eloquence in public speaking. It is perhaps needless to mention that English Grammar is one of the most important and useful studies in the whole course of education and although it is included in the studies of each class it is too much neglected in all.

Your attention has been particularly called to the studies of College and their important use suggested to you as having been studied, constitute the formal part of your education, which is taught the mind and for what it is for use in daily in their works, and for the acquisition of which we are especially sent to this Institution. Secondly because I do not recollect to have heard them adjured particularly as any former address from this chair, while the duties of Society have been partially neglected and their utility exhibited in the most plausible manner to induce assistance to them. But I would by no means be understood to value the advantages of the Delectable Society at a low price. They are of great importance and merit the attention. The studies of College are of primary utility as they constitute the theory of education and lay the great foundation for serious life. But the exercises of Society are of secondary importance because they are so that theory in practical operation as I were by exercising us upon the successful points on which we shall be called to act, and thus embolden and qualify