THE ALBERT MEMORIAL.

INJURY TO THE MONUMENT.

From The London Daily News of Sept. 4.

Vague and somewhat alarming reports of the condition of the Albert Memorial at South Kensington have lately been in circulation. This monument, complete all but the statue, was handed over to her Majesty in July, 1872, so that it has had something over twelve years' exposure to an atmosphere which is generally allowed to be an exceptionally trying one for buildings of all kinds, and which certainly has a marvellous capability of depositing soot and dirt upon them. It is not very surprising therefore, that this elaborate monument, with its exquisite white marble sculpture, should for some time past have shown the need for a skilful and thorough cleansing. If there is a good bit of workmanship anywhere in London this ought to be it, for there is nothing, so far as we are aware, that can approach it in costliness. In 1863 it may be remembered Parliament voted a sum of £50,000 for this work, in addition to £60,000 voluntarily subscribed for the purpose, and Mr. John Kelk, the contractor undertook its erection at the cost price of the labor.

What has taken place is a very simple matter. The weather has to some scarcely perceptible degree injured some of the mosaic work in the upper part of the monument. These mosaics are of glass, and were executed by Messrs. Salviati & Co., of Murano, near Venice, from designs by Messrs. Clayton and Bell. The tympanum on each side of the monument is occupied by a figure representing one or other of the arts. In the spandrels beneath are ideal figures practising these arts, of which the most illustrious representatives, are carved in white marble in the podium below. As might have been expected, in the course of years the weather has had some little effect on what are really pictures wrought out in small fragments of glass, but the mischief is nothing very serious and can easily be repaired. The only other detriment time has wrought in the monument is the weather staining of the marble sculptures which form so large and prominent a portion of it. At each corner, at the foot of the steps leading up to the monument proper, is an allegorial group representing one of the principal divisions of the globe, and one of which, by the way, received its finishing touch at the hands of the sculptor only a short time since. This was the American group, in which a figure representing the New World, is mounted on a bison charging through the prairie grass. It was put in position under some pressure of time, and the horn of the bison was not quite finished until, a short time since, Mr. John Bell, the sculptor to whom this group had been entrusted, gave it its last touches. Beside these four corner groups there are the alto-relievo sculptures of the podium or stylobate, forming the base of the canopy beneath which is the statue of the Prince. There are 169 figures here, representing, as we have said, the actual earthly leaders in these arts of painting, sculpture, architecture, poetry, and music that have been idealized in the tympana and spandrels above. The rain—more or less sooty even in this open locality—has made channels among these marble figures, as, of course, it has stained the pure whiteness of the stone in a singularly capricious fashion. The trickling of the rain-water down the forehead of the figure of Lulli, the musician of the Court of Louis XIV, has intensified the wrinkles to a degree which might almost have justified his being relegated to the Royal kitchen, as it is said he actually was, on account of his unprepossessing appearance. On the figure of Guido d'Arezzo, a musical monk, the rain has wrought out a particularly ghastly effect. Josquin des Pres has a shocking black eye owing to the passage of water round the eyeball, and Homer looks as though he had given up poetry, and had become a coal merchant in a small way of business.

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English and French School, 26 West 30th-st., for YOUNG LADIES and LITTLE GIRLS, will reopen October 2. MRS. WILLIAMS intends this year to limit the number of pupils, and to combine in all the grades, from Primary to Senior, the advantages of school, with the influence of Private Classes.

MISS JAUDON'S SCHOOL for Young Ladies and Little Girls, 348 Madison-ave., above 44th-st., reopens Thursday, October 2. Languages taught by the "Natural Method."

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SCHOOL REMOVAL.—Miss E. L. ROBERTS, formerly of Belleville, N. J., will open October 1 a day-school for young ladies and children at 50 EAST 31ST-ST.

SELECT SCHOOL and KINDERGARTEN, No. 37 E. 10th-st. Reopens Sept. 22. Music and languages extra. MRS. M. S. PARKER, Principal.

THE MISSES GRINNELL'S
SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES AND LITTLE GIRLS
53 East 55th-st., second door from Madison-ave.,
OCTOBER 2.
Separate department for boys, October 1.
Kindergarten, October 10.
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THE KINDERGARTEN Normal Class of Mrs. HARRIS and F. SCHWEDLER will be reopened Tuesday, September 16, 2 p. m., at 7 East 14th-st.

THE MISSES GRAHAM, (successors to the Misses Green) formerly of No. 1 Fifth Avenue will reopen their English and French boarding and day school for young ladies, on Tuesday, September 30, 1884, at No. 63 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

THE MISSES PERINE,
38 East 74th-st.,
English and French school for young ladies and little girls. October 1st.

THE MISSES CHADEAYNE'S SCHOOL, 518 Madison-ave., between 53d and 54th sts., will reopen Monday, September 29, 1884.

VAN NORMAN INSTITUTE FOR LADIES. Founded 1857. 315 West 57th-st., N.Y. Reopens Oct. 2.
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