

Christchurch August 21. 1865

Received of Mr Beynon (Treasurer) on behalf of the Christchurch Young Men's Literary Association the sum of Six Pounds being rent in advance for the use of a room at the Christchurch Mechanics' Institute on the evening of one day in every week for a period of Six months from the date which six months shall expire the 11th of February 1866. The Institute to provide lighting and fire and to allow the use of Books of reference from the Library of the Institute at the meetings of the Association.

L. J. Reader

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