## PROCEEDINGS OF THE AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY.

REGULAR MEETING, December 4th, 1885.

Dr. A. R. Leeds in the chair.

The minutes of the meeting of November 6th were read and approved.

The Treasurer's Report was read, and Messrs. Alsberg and Casamajor were appointed a committee to audit the Treasurer's accounts.

The Committee on Papers and Publications reported, through Prof. Breneman that the Journal needs more co-operation from members in the preparation of abstracts.

Messrs. Liebschütz and Gladding were appointed tellers for the election of officers and committees for 1886.

The following officers were then elected to serve during the year 1886:

## President : A. B. PRESCOTT.

Vice-Presidents :

A. R. LEEDS,

A. A. BRENEMAN,

H. ENDEMANN,

T. G. WORMLEY,

H. B. NASON,

T. S. HUNT.

Corresponding Secretary:

P. CASAMAJOR.

Recording Secretary: C. E. MUNSELL,

Treasurer :

T. O'C. SLOANE.

Librarian :

WILLIAM RUPP.

Curators:

M. LIEBSCHUTZ, J. P. BATTERSHALL, O. H. KRAUSE.

Committee on Papers and Publications :

JAS. H. STEBBINS, JR., A. A. BRENEMAN, A. R. LEEDS.

Committee on Nominations:

J. B. MACKINTOSH, M. E. WALDSTEIN, A. C. HALE, R. W. MOORE, A. P. HALLOCK.

Board of Directors:

A. R. LEEDS, A. A. BRENEMAN, H. ENDEMANN,

P. CASAMAJOR,	C. F. CHANDLER,
C. E. MUNSELL,	M. Alsberg,
T. O'C. SLOANE,	JAS. H. STEBBINS, JR.,
WM. RUPP.	M. E. WALDSTEIN,
E. WALLER,	T. S. GLADDING.

Milton W. Grovesteen, of 430 West 23d street, New York, was elected a regular member.

Walter B. Price, of 26 Broadway, New York, was proposed for membership.

The following paper was then read :

Chemical, experimental, and biological inquiries in connection with the present and proposed future water supply of the city of Albany, by Albert R. Leeds, Ph. D.

The following papers were announced for the next meeting on January 8th, 1886:

Report of Committee on Nomenclature.

A Platinum Filter for Filtration on Dr. Carmichael's Plan; by P. Casamajor.

Some contributions to the Study of New York City Water; by A. A. Breneman, S. B.

The meeting was then adjourned.

C. E. MUNSELL,

Recording Secretary.