REGULAR MEETING, held December 3d, 1886.

Prof. A. R. Leeds in the Chair

The minutes of the Meeting of November 5th, 1886, were read and approved.

Reports were made by the Treasurer, Librarian, and Chairman of the Committee on Papers and Publications.

The following Officers were elected for the year 1887:

## President.

C. A. GOESSMANN.

Vice-Presidents.

A. R. LEEDS,	<b>Т. S. Hunt</b> ,
A. A. BRENEMAN,	Ј. С. Воотн,
E. WALLER,	A. B. PRESCOTT.

Corresponding Secretary, P. CASAMAJOR.

Recording Secretary, T. D. O'CONNOR.

Treasurer, J. H. STEBBINS, JR.

Librarian, W. RUPP.

Curators.

M. LIEBSCHÜTZ, A. EIMER, F. V. POOL.

Committee on Papers and Publications.

A. A. BRENEMAN, A. P. HALLOCK, L. PITKIN.

Committee on Nominations.

M. E. WALDSTEIN, A. C. HALE, R. W. MOORE, O. H. KRAUSE, J. P. BATTERSHALL.

## Board of Directors.

A. R. LEEDS, A. A. BRENEMAN, E. WALLER, P. CASAMAJOR, T. D. O'CONNOR, J. H. STEBBINS, JR., W. RUPP, C. F. CHANDLER, M. LIEBCHÜTZ, M. E. WALDSTEIN, M. LIEBSCHÜTZ, H. ENDEMANN, C. E. MUNSELL.

The following regular members were elected:

DURAND WOODMAN, 494 Broad street, Newark, N. J. CURTIS C. HOWARD, 99 Jefferson avenue, Columbus, O.

W. H. PIKE, M. A., Ph. D., University College, Toronto, Canada, was proposed as a member.

Prof. A. R. Leeds read a paper on The Actinic Method for the Determination of Organic Matter in Potable Waters.

Prof. Breneman exhibited a new retort stand and auxiliary apparatus for water analysis by Wanklyn's Process. A Special Meeting was called for Friday, December 17th, for the discussion of the subject of Butter and its Falsifications.

A Meeting of the Board of Directors was called for Friday, December 17th, at 7.30 P. M., in the Library. The Meeting was then adjourned.

> C. E. MUNSELL, Recording Secretary.