

REGULAR MEETING, FRIDAY, April 3d, 1891.

Vice-President, Prof. Breneman in the chair.

In the absence of the Recording Secretary, Mr. Geisler was appointed Secretary, *pro tem*.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The minutes of the meeting of the Board of Directors, of March 31st, were read and approved.

The following new members were elected : Herbert S. Bird, N. Y. Tartar Co., Brooklyn, N. Y.; H. R. Hall, care of Carbon Iron and P. Co., Parryville, Pa.; Charles E. Parker, East Orange, N. J.; Wm. J. Schieffelin, care of Scheffelin & Co., N. Y.; H. J. Seaman, care of Carbon Iron and P. Co., Parryville, Pa.; Thos. P. Wiltshire, care of N. Y. Tartar Co., Brooklyn, N. Y.

As associates: Dr. John B. Lynch, Coll. Physicians and Surgeons, N. Y.; A. P. Sharp, care of Sharp & Dohme, Baltimore, Md.

The following names were proposed for membership : C. S. Boynton, A. L. Kennedy, Geo. W. Riggs, G. W. Roberts, E. D. Williams.

For associate membership : A. O. Ingalls.

The reports of Committees being next in order, the chair announced the Committee on Investigation of Tests of Hardness of Waters, etc., the appointment of which was ordered by vote at the March meeting, as follows : A. R. Leeds, J. W. Mallet, C. A. Doremus, E. Waller, A. A. Breneman.

As Committee on Contributions to the Journal : Wm. McMurtrie, G. F. Barker, G. C. Caldwell, E. Waller, A. R. Leeds.

The following papers were then read :

“On Some Analyses of Coal,” by Dr. C. E. Munsell.

“On the Effect on Butter of Feeding Cotton Seed Oil,” by Prof. N. T. Lupton; read by the acting Secretary.

“On Acid Calcium Tartrate,” by Dr. L. H. Friedburg.

“On Methyl Iodide,” by Dr. L. H. Friedburg.

The meeting was then adjourned.

J. F. GEISLER,

Rec. Secretary *pro tem*.