PROGRAMME OF EXERCISES AT THE SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION, HELD IN WASHINGTON, D. C., DECEMBER 27, 28, 30, 31, 1901.

Persons not members of the Association will be cordially welcomed to the public sessions.

Papers are limited to twenty minutes and discussions to ten minutes for each speaker.

Those who read papers, as well as those who take part in the discussions, are requested to send abstracts of their papers or remarks to the secretary before the meeting.

The executive council of the Association will meet at the Arlington, Friday, December 27, 1901, at 4.30 p.m.

FRIDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 27.

8 p. m.

JOINT SESSION WITH THE AMERICAN ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION. (Columbian University.)

Presidents' addresses.

- Industrial Liberty. By Prof. Richard T. Ely, president of the American Economic Association.
- An Undeveloped Function. By Mr. Charles Francis Adams, president of the American Historical Association.

SATURDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 28.

9.30 a. m.

The Association will visit the Library of Congress at 9.30 a. m., and in connection with the visit opportunity will be offered at 10.30 to listen to the following papers on—

HISTORICAL RECORDS AND HISTORICAL RESEARCH.

- An American School of History at Rome. By Prof. Lucy M. Salmon, Vassar College.
- 2. European Archives. By Prof. George L. Burr, Cornell University.
- The Massachusetts Public Record Commission and its Work. By Mr. Robert T. Swan, commissioner of public records of Massachusetts.
- 4. The Relation of the National Library to Historical Research in the United States. By Mr. Herbert Putnam, Librarian of Congress.

12.30 p. m.

Members will be entertained at luncheon at the restaurant of the Congressional Library.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 28.

2.30 p. m.

PUBLIC SESSION OF THE CHURCH HISTORY SECTION.

(Columbian University.)

- Edwards Amasa Park. By President J. E. Rankin, Howard University.
- The Sandemanians of the Eighteenth Century. By Prof. Williston Walker, Yale University.
- Byfield Parish, Massachusetts, and its First Three Pastorates, 1702–1825.
 By Prof. J. L. Ewell, Howard University.

3.30 p. m.

CONFERENCE OF COLLEGE TEACHERS OF HISTORY.

(Columbian University.)

The First Year of College Work in History. A discussion led by Dr. Clive Day, Yale University; Prof. Herman V. Ames, University of Pennsylvania; Prof. Earle W. Dow, University of Michigan; Prof. E. D. Adams, University of Kansas; Prof. K. C. Babcock, University of California; Prof. A. C. Coolidge, Harvard University.

4.30 p. m.

PRIVATE MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEES, COMMISSIONS, AND BOARDS.

(Columbian University.)

4 to 7 p. m.

Members of the Association are invited to a reception tendered by ex-Senator and Mrs. John B. Henderson at their residence, Florida avenue and Sixteenth street.

SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 28.

8 p. m.

AMERICAN HISTORY.

(Columbian University.)

- Relations between Great Britain and the American Colonies during the Seventeenth Century, by Prof. Herbert L. Osgood, Columbia University.
- 2. The Diplomatic Antecedents of the Louisiana Purchase, by Prof. Frederick J. Turner, University of Wisconsin.
- James Madison and Religious Liberty, by Mr. Gaillard Hunt, Department of State.

MONDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 30.

10.30 a. m.

EUROPEAN HISTORY.

(Columbian University.)

- The Spirit of German Humanism, by Prof. E. L. Stevenson, Rutgers College.
- 2. The Chronology of the Erasmus Letters, by Prof. Ephraim Emerton, Harvard University.
- 3. Recent Contributions to the History of the Protestant Revolt, by Prof. James Harvey Robinson, Columbia University.
- 4. Discussion.

Monday Afternoon, December 30.

3 p. m.

BUSINESS MEETING OF THE ASSOCIATION.

(Columbian University.)

1. Memorial addresses:

Moses Coit Tyler, by Prof. George L. Burr, Cornell University.

Herbert Baxter Adams, by Prof. John M. Vincent, Johns Hopkins

University.

- 2. Report of the council.
- 3. Report of the treasurer and auditing committee.
- 4. Report of the Historical Manuscripts Commission.
- 5. Report of the Public Archives Commission.
- 6. Report of the committee on the Justin Winsor prize.
- 7. Report of the board of editors of the American Historical Review.
- 8. Report of the bibliographical committee.
- 9. Report of the committee on publications.
- 10. Report of the general committee.
- 11. Election of officers.
- 12. Report on the proposed monographic history of America.

At a meeting of the executive council held in New York, November 29, the proposition of a cooperative history of America was carefully considered, and in view of all the difficulties involved the council voted that it would not be expedient for the American Historical Association to take part in forming or carrying out a plan for the composition or publication of a cooperative history of the United States.

Monday Evening, December 30.

8 p. m.

JOINT SESSION WITH THE AMERICAN ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION.

(Columbian University.)

- 1. Party Legislation, in Parliament, in Congress, and in the State Legislatures, by Prof. A. Lawrence Lowell, Harvard University.
- 2. Discussion, opened by Prof. Harry Pratt Judson, University of Chicago.

- Historical Materialism and the Economic Interpretation of History, by Prof. Edwin R. A. Seligman, Columbia University.
- Discussion, opened by Prof. Isaac A. Loos, University of Iowa, and Prof. E. P. Cheyney, University of Pennsylvania.

9.30 p. m.

An informal gathering at the Cosmos Club.

Tuesday Morning, December 31.

10.30 a. m.

SOUTHERN HISTORY.

(National Museum.)

- The Records of the London Company, by President Lyon G. Tyler, William and Mary College.
- The Relations of the Virginia Planter and the London Merchant, by Prof. John S. Bassett, Trinity College.
- The Place of Nathaniel Macon in Southern History, by Prof. William E. Dodd, Randolph-Macon College.
- Maryland's First Courts, by Dr. Bernard C. Steiner, Johns Hopkins University.
- Southwestern History in the Southwest, by Prof. George P. Garrison, University of Texas.
- 6. Closing reports and announcements.

PAPERS TO BE READ BY TITLE.

- Committees of Correspondence of the American Revolution, by Edward D. Collins, Ph. D., Barton Landing, Vt.
- Jay's Treaty and the Slavery Interests of the United States, by Frederic Austin Ogg, A. M., Indianapolis, Ind.
- 3. The Public Services of Governor Jacob D. Cox, by James R. Ewing, Ph. D., Washington, D. C.
- The Legislative History of Naturalization in the United States, 1776– 1795, by F. G. Franklin, Ph. D., Knightstown, Ind.
- The Assumption of State Debts and the Location of the Federal Capital, by Dr. O. G. Libby, University of Wisconsin.

COMMITTEES FOR THE WASHINGTON MEETING.

COMMITTEE ON PROGRAM.

Charles H. Haskins, chairman; George B. Adams, Samuel Macauley Jackson, William MacDonald, J. M. Vincent, Lyon G. Tyler.

LOCAL COMMITTEES.

A. W. Greely, chairman; Gilbert H. Grosvenor, secretary and treasurer.

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Finance.—J. L. M. Curry, George C. Gorham, George W. McLanahan.

Place of meetings.—Carroll D. Wright, Andrew H. Allen, A. Howard Clark.

Press.—Charles Moore.

Public comfort.—Gaillard Hunt, James Q. Howard, P. Lee Phillips.

Transportation.—A. Howard Clark.

Social welfare.—David J. Hill, A. B. Hagner, James McMillan, Merrill E. Gates, J. B. Henderson, jr., William C. Sanger, Thomas J. Shahan.