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FOREWORD

For this eleventh series of DELAWARE NOTES it is fitting that we should preserve in memory the dedicatory exercises of our splendid new CHEMICAL LABORATORY. The purpose is to give what was said on the occasion of these exercises and to print some of the addresses made by noted chemists during the conference held here at the same time. We were much honored to have as our guests so many of the leading chemists of America, and we were particularly gratified to have the first address of the conference made by the famous European scientist Dr. The Svedberg, Professor of Chemistry of the University of Upsala, Sweden.

Both the exercises of dedication and the Conference on Chemistry and Chemical Engineering went delightfully, and even the weather of October fifteenth and sixteenth favored success. Dr. Albert S. Eastman, Head of our Department of Chemistry, has furnished us a description of the new Chemical Laboratory, with cuts showing the arrangement of each of the three floors. From without this new building is beautiful, and within it approaches perfection for its purpose, say those who have a right to an opinion.

For this truly great addition to its equipment the University profoundly thanks its friend and trustee, H. Fletcher Brown.

EZRA B. CROOKS, Editor.

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