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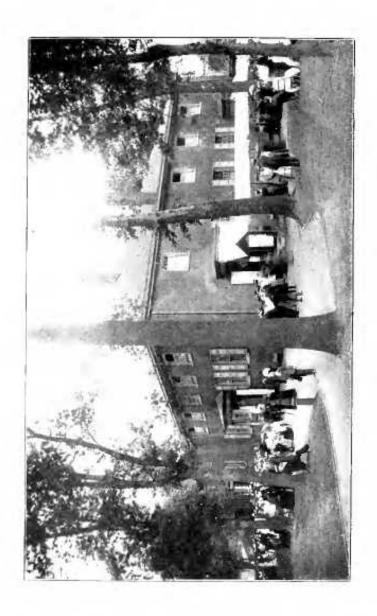
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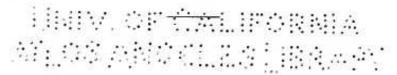
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INTRODUCTION.

BY ISAAC SHARPLESS.

On Sixth month 4th, 1904, there met in and around the old meeting-house at Fourth and Arch Streets, Philadelphia, about twentythree hundred people to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of its crection.

The chairman of the committee in charge of the arrangements was Jonathan Evans, whose grandfather of the same name was clerk of the Yearly Meeting one hundred years before. Meetings were held in both ends of the house in the afternoon and evening, and papers were read, which papers are here collected. Between the sessions the Friends indulged in social intercourse and partook of a supper in a tent erected on the plot to the south of the house.