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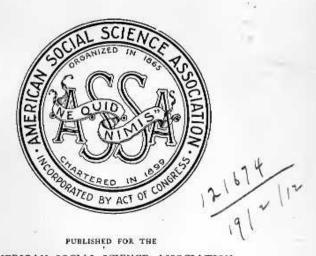
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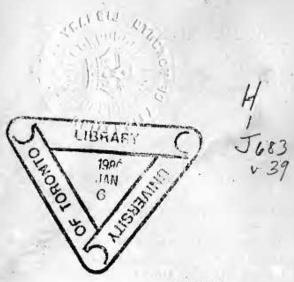
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#### INTRODUCTION.

The papers included in this number of the Journal of Social Science comprise a majority of the Washington addresses of 1901. The debates, which followed the reading of papers, are stenographically reported; but, owing to the large amount of matter thus supplied to the editor, a considerable reduction in quantity was necessitated by the space limitations of the present volume. This stenographic matter has been revised either by the editor or by the contributor to the discussion, and fairly represents, in substance, the opinions of the participants in the debate.

It may be well in this place to remind essayists once more of the invariable rule of the Association, that all papers engaged for the General Meeting are so secured with the understanding that they may be published in the Journal if deemed advisable. The members of the Council, however, are not pledged in advance to the publication of any particular paper. If writers choose to publish elsewhere, it must be with the stipulation that their papers may also be printed in the Journal, at the option of the Council as to date of publication. Heads of Departments are not solicitous to secure essays which, in general form and substance, have been read elsewhere before presentation at Washington.

A list of all addresses and papers will be found in the Table of Contents on page iii.

### MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION.

All officers are ex-officio members of the Association, but persons serving on the Department Committees may or may not be members of the Association.

In the list herewith submitted the annual and life members are given alphabetically, and the honorary and corresponding members according to nationality. The only distinction between honorary and corresponding members is that the former reside in the United States, and the latter in foreign countries. It was voted at a meeting of the General Council that the Journal of the Association shall not be sent to any member who has not paid his dues for the year in which the convention is held which is reported in the Journal. It was subsequently voted at a meeting held at Woodmont, Conn., July 6, 1898, that the General Secretary be permitted to use his discretion in carrying into effect this resolution.

### BUSINESS OF 1901.

The American Social Science Association held its Thirty-ninth Annual Meeting at Washington, D.C., beginning Monday evening, April 15, and closing with the session of Friday evening, April 19. The proceedings of the Convention were conducted in the large hall of Columbian University, which was kindly placed at our disposal by the faculty of the institution. Owing to the death of President Charles Dudley Warner while in office, the First Vice-President, Hon. Frederick J. Kingsbury, took the chair at the opening session of the Convention. Professor William M. Sloane, LL.D., of Columbia University, then delivered a memorial address upon the "Life and Public Services" of the late President of the Association, Charles Dudley Warner,— a sympathetic interpretation of character and achievements which elicited marked approval.

At the conclusion of this address a General Meeting of the Association was held. A Nominating Committee was appointed by the acting President to bring in a list of officers for the ensuing year. This committee consisted of Hon. Francis Wayland, LL.D., Hon. Carroll D. Wright, LL.D., and Hon. St. Clair McKelway, LL.D. At a subsequent meeting of the Association the list of officers as reported was adopted, and the names will be found on a succeeding page of the *Journal*. It was also moved and carried that the amendments to the Constitution proposed by vote of the General Council at a former meeting be incorporated with the body of that document. These amendments are as follows:—

Article III. To strike out the word "honorary" immediately before "Vice-Presidents."

Article III. After the word "Secretary" in clause beginning "The Council shall consist of President, Treasurer, Secretary," insert "First and Second Vice-Presidents."

Article IV. In place of clause reading, "Any person, upon nomination by Council," etc., to be inserted, "Elections to membership shall be made by a standing committee appointed by the