There being no further business the Society adjourned until tomorrow morning. L. M. McWhee, Pres.

Diocletian Hall Sept. 26th 1857.

The society met at its usual hour. Vice President took the chair and called the house to order. The Secretary being absent, Mr. Foster was appointed, Pro tem., the minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. There being no resolutions nor regular motions senior brethren were called for and the following gentlemen performed: Hammond subject "National Exaggerations: A Caution. Influence of Ambition."

The Oration for next meeting are 1st: Compromise, 2nd: Mr. Smith and Mr. Ely. Regular duties being next in order the third class proceeded to compete and featured to declaim, Mr. Ely and Mr. Scott were appointed correctors pro tem. Order of process for next Saturday, first class declaim, second Compay. Under head of irregular motions the Sommerly moved that Mr. Adams composition be filed. East, Mr. Whitfield moved that Mr. Hammond speech be filed. Carried. Mr. Taylor moved that the Worthington speech be filed. East, Mr. Ely moved that it be granted. The following gentlemen were appointed subscribers: 13, Hooper, McEathill, 1. Scott.

Settle, Win and Nicholsons, officers, horitores making this report the following gentlemen were fined.