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Clubs

Mahogany Tree Club

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The Mahogany Tree Club, a famous winter dining club, of a dozen members, was founded in 1881, meeting the third Wednesday of each month; whose members have not been confined to Philadelphia alone, though naturally it has had a predominance of Philadelphians; - Weir Mitchell, Talcott Williams (darn him), William Pepper; Judge Grey of Wilmington; Charles Francis Adams of Washington; Welch, and D. C. Gilman of Baltimore; and more recently Thayer and others, have been members.