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Hall of the AMERICAN PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY,
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September 23rd, 1889.

The American Philosophical Society, founded in Philadelphia, May 25th, 1743, and incorporated March 15th, 1780, the oldest organized society for the advancement of knowledge in the United States, will celebrate the Centennial Anniversary of its first occupation of its present Hall on November 21st, 1889.

Sir Jas. W. Janson, LL.D., P.R.S., etc., President McGill Univ., Montreal, Canada.

DEAR SIR:

A meeting of the Society and its invited guests will convene in the Hall of the Society, November 21st, 1889, at 4 o'clock P.M., on which occasion the HON. FREDERICK FRALEY, the President of the Society, will deliver an address. At 6 o'clock in the evening of the same day, a banquet will be given at "The Bellevue."

You have been chosen to respond to the following toast at the banquet:

Instruction is the most effective in promoting knowledge
when it teaches - How to think.

The Committee cordially asks you to honor the Society by your presence and especially hopes that you will reply to the toast named.

Your answer can be sent to J. Sergeant Price, Esq., 709 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements.

Wm. Puschke
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Committee.