



An Address at the Semi-Centennial Commencement of Lafayette College: Delivered June 27th, 1882 (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Excerpt from An Address at the Semi-Centennial Commencement of Lafayette College: Delivered June 27th, 1882 The period in the midst of which fell the semi-centennial of the Republic was marked by activities and events thoroughly in sympathy with the Protestant genius of our American institutions. It is a section of our social and ecclesiastical annals of considerable interest to the student of the history of education. If that student is a Presbyterian, he will not need to blush for the mark his Church makes in that history. Just before 1825 the Presbyterians of Kentucky, true to the traditions of the Reformation and their denominational precedents, had laid the foundations of Centre College at Danville. During the national semi-centennial, and at the very time that the citizens of Easton, under Presbyterian leadership, were founding Lafayette College, the Presbyterian pioneers of Indiana, fresh from the work in Kentucky, in which they had shared, initiated the movement for a college at Hanover, and a few years after laid the foundation of another at Crawfordsville. Lafayette and Hanover Colleges both assumed full...



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