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 THE HARRIS MEMORIAL TABLET.

On Friday, December 31, the final day of the recent entomological meetings in Boston, delegates from the various Societies represented in those meetings went out to Milton village, and with brief ceremony unveiled a simple marble tablet placed on the old "Suffolk Resolves mansion" to commemorate the residence there of Thaddeus William Harris.¹

The inscription, composed by Colonel Thomas Wentworth Higginson, who in his student days was a pupil of Harris, reads as follows:

IN THIS HOUSE FROM 1824 TO 1831 DWELT
 THADDEUS WILLIAM HARRIS M. D.
 BOTANIST, ENTOMOLOGIST; AND FINALLY
 LIBRARIAN OF HARVARD COLLEGE

IN EACH CAPACITY HE WON
 FOR HIMSELF FAME AND GRATITUDE

HE HAD THE MODESTY AND UNSELFISHNESS
 OF TRUE SCIENCE
 WITH WHAT MAY RIGHTLY BE CALLED
 ITS CHIVALRY OF SPIRIT

Besides the entomologists, there were present representatives of the Milton Historical Society and the Science Club of Milton Academy.

W. L. W. FIELD.

¹ See *PSYCHE*, Vol. xiv. p. 67, August, 1907.



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