

UPON the invitation of King Oscar, Professor V. VOLTÈRA, of the University of Rome, gave a series of lectures on the differential equations of mathematical physics at the University of Stockholm during the month of February.

DR. VANECEK has been appointed docent in mathematics at the Bohemian technical school at Prague.

DR. G. Z. GIAMBELLI has been appointed docent in projective geometry at the University of Genoa.

DR. G. DE FRANCHIS has been appointed to an associate professorship of algebra and analytic geometry at the University of Cagliari.

PROFESSOR G. FUBINI, of the University of Catania, has been transferred to the University of Genoa, as associate professor of the calculus.

PROFESSOR OSKAR BOLZA, of the University of Chicago, who is spending the year in travel and study in southern Europe and in Egypt, will resume his lectures at the university at the beginning of the summer quarter, June 19, 1906.

MR. L. A. MARTIN, JR., has been promoted to an assistant professorship of mathematics and mechanics at the Stevens Institute of Technology.

PROFESSOR E. L. RICHARDS, of Yale University, will retire from active service at the close of the present academic year.

PROFESSOR J. M. PEIRCE, Perkins professor of mathematics and astronomy and senior member of the faculty of Harvard University, died March 21, at the age of 71 years. He was appointed tutor in mathematics in 1854, university professor of mathematics in 1869, and Perkins professor of mathematics and astronomy in 1885. Professor Peirce had been a member of the AMERICAN MATHEMATICAL SOCIETY since 1898.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

I. HIGHER MATHEMATICS.

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