Two Weeks of Hard Told

The President Rapidly Acquiring Himself With His Work.

The President was received with applause by the large audience in the Pennsylvania Hospital yesterday when he addressed a meeting on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the hospital.

Mr. McKinley, who was accompanied by his wife and daughter, was cordially received by the large assembly, which included many people who had lived in the hospital during its early days.

The President's speech was brief but impressive, and he spoke of the progress of the hospital and its work.

He said:

"The Pennsylvania Hospital has stood as a monument to human beneficence. Its history is a chapter in the story of the evolution of medicine. It has been a progressive institution, and its progressive spirit will continue to be the guiding principle of its work."

The President also spoke of the importance of education in the care of the sick, and he urged the need for continued improvement in the methods of treatment.

He concluded his address by thanking the assembled people for their cordial welcome, and by expressing his appreciation of the opportunity to address them.

The President was accompanied by his wife and daughter, and was received with great enthusiasm. His address was received with applause, and the meeting concluded with a song of praise to the hospital.