

respects the saddest parting of them all. Before we leave you, however, I have great pleasure in extending you the most sincere good wishes of the class of 1901 for your success both here and after you will have passed beyond the fostering care of Alma Mater. May all your college societies continue to prosper - may Ottawa University REVIEW long retain a worthy position in the front rank of college journals—may the record of the Ottawa University Athletic Association be as glorious and as honorable in the future as it has been in the past—and may the Garnet and Grey floating high, ever tell of victory. Let all these, though, fellow-students, be secondary and subordinate, let them be a means to the first and last object of your being students of Ottawa University, that you may qualify yourselves in mind and heart for the work of the world in which you too will soon be called upon to engage. Ever keep in mind and have respect of college traditions. In all your undertakings, whether in class or on the field of sport, let the great love you bear Ottawa College spur you on, and with the motto of the O.U.A.A., *Ubi Concordia Ibi Victoria* as your standard, be assured that success will ever crown your efforts. Gladly, indeed, would we tarry with you a while longer, gladly would we wander a few more times up and down the Via Sacra but our time has come. We have had our day, and however unwilling, we must now part—therefore fellow students, on behalf of the class of 1901, I bid you a fond farewell.

A few more words and I have done. Strange, I have said, are the feelings we experience to-day, and strange they are. Our joy and gladness at having reached a long sought goal, like all earthly joys is not unmixed with sorrow. If we rejoice today that we have climbed the highest rung on the ladder of a college course and are now numbered among the graduates of Alma Mater, we are at the same time sad because we are here for the last time, and sadder still, because we part with some whom perchance on earth we may never meet again. What the future has in store for us we are not permitted to know and willingly would we linger to delay the parting, to keep back our farewell. Once more allow me to assure you that our happy college days and those best of friends with whom we have been so closely associated will ever afford us