

"To him the loss of her autonomy was a very great and unexpected disappointment. He is thankful, however, that she existed long enough to do all she has done for medical education. No wonder her name should be dear to him, when he thinks of the many years of teaching he did within her walls, and the great amount of time spent otherwise, and always willingly, working for her prosperity, and of the many large classes of good students who for so many years filled her class-rooms, and by whom her extinction, as a college, is deeply regretted. No graduate worthy the name, or student, who was privileged to attend her teachings can or will ever forget the dear old College. The deserved eminence which many of her sons have attained, and the love of all her true sons, will, he trusts, for many years to come throw very bright halos round her much-loved name, which they will ever cherish when it is mentioned, as it is sure to be very often, as they recall how much she did for them, in their never-to-be-forgotten student days."

Dr. Geikie adds "that throughout his long career as a medical teacher he has lived for his College and her students and with all the energy he possessed, has striven to promote their best interests. He says he feels that he still lives in the hearts of many of his old graduates, who show this by their letters. His whole desire has always been to do the best in his power for every student of his College, in order to enable him to be a blessing to the neighborhood in which he might settle, and reflect credit upon his College by doing good work in his profession."

EDITORIAL NOTES

Eating and Overeating.—At the annual conference of the Sanitary Inspectors' Association, held at Llandudno last September (see *Medical Times and Hospital Gazette*, September 28, 1907), Sir J. Crichton-Browne vigorously condemned vegetarianism and especially the latest cult, which sought to promote health and happiness by starvation. He said that on all hands the cry was that we ate too much and overloaded our stomachs. He inculcated temperance and not prohibition and he gave no countenance to vegetarianism, being a firm believer in the virtues of a