

strumental in establishing a course of Applied Science in connection with the Institution, in having the Business course in a separate building and in securing participation in the Rhodes' Scholarships. The minor details of University administration have also benefitted—as an example may be mentioned the entrance of the students into intercollegiate debating and intercollegiate football.

“Rev. Dr. Emery was among those appointed to prepare for the Canadian Plenary Council, and was recently given the degree of L.L.D. by St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish. He had made distinct strides in the solution of racial difficulties, and will take his departure with the regret of all, irrespective of creed or nationality.”

How those nearest and dearest to him, the students of old Varsity, felt on hearing of his approaching departure, is well voiced in the address which they prevailed upon him to hear on the steps of the new building.

“The students of the University are grieved indeed to hear that in a few short hours their beloved Rector and father will no longer be with them. In the strenuous times, those never to be forgotten days succeeding the great fire of 1903, we have grown to admire and love you. We admire you for the qualities that have made you successful, your clear and comprehensive view of our needs, your untiring energy in furthering your plans for our welfare. We love you for the good you have done us in your private and public capacity, the generous treatment that has in our mutual relations been our constant experience, the lessons of moral conduct that you daily inculcated, the boon of your fervent prayers, the graces flown from your hand lifted in benediction.

“Ah yes, we remember your dauntless personality fronting so bravely the trials of those troublous times, and we thank God that at the critical moment we ourselves did not desert you. We rallied round you even as to-day. And God was pleased at the sight of filial love responsive to your paternal care : he leaned towards you and blessed you with that grace of hope and confidence which has made you invincible. Well may you repeat with the Roman :

*Exegi monumentum ære perennius.*

*Quod nec imber edax nec aquilo impotens.*

*Possit cruet.*