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Editorials.

Professor Dupuis' Resignation.

PROFESSOR Dupuis, Dean of the Faculty of the School of Mining, connected with Queen's for a half century minus ten years, a man beloved by students and colleagues and recognized as one of the first matematicians of the period in which he lived, has placed his resignation in the hands of the authorities that he may withdraw from active teaching. Professor Dupuis came to Queen's in the time of its infancy. He has seen it grow from childhood to vigorous prime and has been an active factor in that growth. He was one of the pioneers of Queen's, standing where he does to-day because of natural gifts splendidly developed and a spirit that was keen-eyed for progress. His worth has been recognized within the university and in circles far more comprehensive. He bears a distinguished degree from McGill University, has been the recipient of numerous kindred honors from other bodies and at the convocation just past received recognition from his Alma Mater. Honorary degrees are not always of significance, but those given to Professor Dupuis are thoroughly merited and full of meaning.

Professor Dupuis has been held in highest esteem by the students. His life has been more or less of an example to them. In fact by his conduct from day to day he threw a marked influence into the lives of those who came in contact with him. He was always sound in judgment, cautious and at the same time frank in the expression of opinion. The quiet, dignified simplicity of his life came within the observation of his students. It bespoke the deep interest of the investigator and the man who finds a durable source of happiness in his work. For these reasons, in fact for all the reasons that prove the source of profound esteem, Professor Dupuis has become generally beloved at the university, wielding a powerful influence in administrative and academic circles, one of the staff that everyone wants to meet and remember.

The Journal cannot very well say anything of Professor Dupuis in his