

To the bereaved parents and sorrowing relatives and friends, the ATHENÆUM extends sincere sympathy in this sad experience, and trusts that the Comforter may speak to their hearts words of consolation and peace.

"Leaves have their time to fall,  
And flowers wither at the north wind's breath,  
And stars to set—but all,  
Thou hast all seasons for thine own, O Death."

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Following is the resolution adopted in the minutes of the Athenæum Society, under whose auspices this magazine is published:—

"Whereas, it has pleased the Disposer of all human events to remove from our midst our respected and loved companion, Sanford F. Doleman; and

"Whereas, our deceased fellow student was held in high esteem by all the members of our College community; and

"Whereas, all our hearts are sadly stirred by the extreme suddenness of this grievous experience in view of the bright prospects which seemed to await the departed; therefore

"Resolved, that we, the Athenæum Society of Acadia University do place on record our high appreciation of the deceased as we met him in the various relations of College life, and our sense of the great loss we have sustained in his sudden and early removal. In the general life of the school he was invariably gentlemanly and affable: in the conduct of the meetings and various details of the work of our Society he was ever ready to assume his share of responsibility and a generous portion of labour: as a resident of Chipman Hall his manner was so uniformly courteous and cheerful that indeed there are many sighs because of the "Vacant chair and the sound of the voice that is still:" as business editor of our College magazine he performed his duties with true business accuracy and forethought, to the entire satisfaction of the student body, in an undemonstrative manner it is true, but none the less acceptably to his fellows, and no less thoroughly and effectively. Above all, through the many experiences of daily life there was manifest so true nobility of bearing and so thoroughly Christian deportment, that the consolation is generously afforded that from the great Master of rewards our departed friend and associate has not simply received admission to larger and more exalted privileges, but also the roll of honor, and the plaudit, "well done:" further

"Resolved, that this resolution be published in the the Journal of the Society, the ACADIA ATHENÆUM and in the *Messenger and Visitor*: and further