

the West. As our resources increase, we shall keep steadily before us the wisdom of making increased provision for research and for the training of investigators as well as for the prompt and suitable publication of the results of our scholarly endeavor.

The year has not only been one of accomplishment and of satisfaction; it has also been one of sorrow and of parting. Conspicuous among those who have gone out from among us for the last time are A. Barton Hepburn, Trustee of the University, wise counsellor, sagacious man of affairs, generous friend and benefactor of scholars and of scholarship; Henry M. Howe, Emeritus Professor of Metallurgy, most eminent member of his chosen profession, honored in many lands for his scientific accomplishment; and George V. Wendell, beloved teacher and faithful University officer, perhaps without a rival in his chosen field, and an associate whose place simply cannot be filled. These and others have gone out to join the great company who have been proud and happy to bear the name of Columbia. Of such stuff is our University made, and such stuff does it in turn try to make, for the service of mankind, the advancement of the public good, and the glory of Almighty God through the generations that are yet to come.