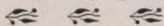


he also took a most active part in college life, and in his senior year was President of the Literary Society.

After teaching for two years in an academy in Tennessee, Mr. DeWitt applied for a Fellowship in the University of Chicago. In accepting his application, the Board departed from their almost invariable rule of appointing to such positions only men who had taken work in that University. The two-fold reason assigned for this departure is interesting—the high estimate placed upon Mr. DeWitt's undergraduate work by his instructors at Toronto, and the equally high standard of scholarship which the collegiate world had learned to expect in first-class honor graduates in the department of classics of the University of Toronto.

In his second year as a Fellow at Chicago, Mr. DeWitt became the representative of the University in a competition for a Fellowship offered by the Archæological Institute of America. By winning this, he was enabled to spend a year of study abroad, in Germany, Greece, and especially Rome. Upon his return to America in 1904, he was appointed Professor of Latin and Greek in Lincoln College, Ill., which position he resigned in 1905 to join the staff in Classics at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo. Only a year ago another promotion came, when Prof. DeWitt was given charge of the Department of Greek in Miami University, Ohio, whence he now returns to his alma mater.

Professor DeWitt obtained his Ph.D. degree at the University of Chicago, the subject of his thesis being "The Dido Episode in the Aeneid of Virgil." He is a member of the Archæological Institute of America, and of the American Philological Association, to whose journal he is an occasional contributor. Professor DeWitt's splendid work since graduation is abundant proof of his ability to fill the position which he now holds, and we welcome this addition of one of our own graduates to a faculty of which Victoria men are justly proud.



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