

encouragement as we have in the past. Kind friends, devoted professors, farewell.

Fellow Students,—The years of our college companionship are gone. "Sweet were they with a sweetness felt but half till now, not half discerned." Never before did the thought of leaving you come upon us with such an overwhelming sense of regret. Not even the triumph of the present, nor the brilliant expectations of the future can outweigh the conviction, that in parting from you we must sunder the ties which bind us to our earliest, our truest, and our best friends. We would fain re-live the fond associations formed in your midst, the many happy hours passed in your company. But we have reached the terminus; we must bid farewell to you who have helped to cheer the early part of our voyage, and seek other associates in dark, unknown paths of the world beyond. But though we cannot be here in future to share, as of old, your joys and your sorrows, our thoughts will often wander back to this, the scene of our happiest days, and in imagination will we often revisit our old haunts; though we must now sever all connection with our dear old college home, be assured that every member of the class of 1900, will ever be ready to do all in his power to further the interests of the students of Ottawa University; and in after years when the future wearers of the garnet and grey will be called upon to defend the titles of our victory-famed athletic association, then, will we be re-united by the bonds of sympathy. Gladly will we hear of your victories, may the news of your defeats never reach us. Dear comrades, we wish you happiness, and success. You may merit both by showing that your college life is ever characterized by a steadfast loyalty to Alma Mater. Keep up the old-time enthusiasm in athletic matters; on all occasions, endeavor to promote unity, among your fellows, by frowning down every semblance of discord; in your studies work conscientiously, and persevere to the end. In this way, you will fulfil the duty you owe to yourselves, to your companions, to society, and in good time the reward which is ours to-night will be yours in turn.

For ourselves, we go forth with high hopes, and brave hearts. Come what may, we will ever make our best effort to do a man's work in life. At present, indeed the outlook for us is bright, and