

LIFE.

Alfred William Milden was born in Whitevale, Ontario, on March 11, 1868. His preliminary education was received in the Public School and the High School of Cornwall, Ontario. He matriculated at the University of Toronto in the year 1884; and, four years later, graduated with the degree of B. A. with classical honors. For a period of nearly eight years, he was engaged in the teaching of classics, mainly in the Collegiate Institute of Barrie, Ontario. In the fall of 1896 he entered the Johns Hopkins University as a post-graduate student in Greek, Latin, and Sanskrit. At the end of his second year he was appointed Fellow in Greek; and at the end of his third year, in June, 1899, he received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy. During the year 1899-1900 he has been Fellow by Courtesy. He has attended the lectures of Professors Gildersleeve, Warren, Bloomfield, Smith, and Miller, to all of whom he is indebted.

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