

Addresses in Memoriam.

The "Memorial Service" referred to in the report of the Executive Committee proved to be one of a most interesting character. It was held in the Baptist Church, Wolfville, on the evening of the 31st May. The retiring President of the Association, J. Parsons, Esq., A. B., presided. A large audience, many of whom had come from a distance to be present, filled the house, and prominent friends of the College from different parts of the Maritime Provinces occupied seats on the platform. Professor S. Porter, of Halifax, presided at the Organ, assisted by a select Choir, under the direction of Geo. V. Rand, Esq.

THE LIFE AND LABORS OF DR. CRAMP.

Rev. A. W. Sawyer, D. D., President of Acadia College, delivered the principal address of the evening as follows :

MR. PRESIDENT AND GENTLEMEN OF THE ASSOCIATED ALUMNI :

Your invitation to me to bear a part in the duties of this hour, meets a response of mingled hesitancy and willingness. These feelings arise from the nature of the event which has led to these services. It is remarkable that so large a number of those who have held the place of teachers in Horton Academy or in Acadia College are yet numbered among the living, and it is still more remarkable that, with a single exception, so far as I can learn, no one of those who have been thus connected, has died while in the relation of active service in either of these institutions. The two first teachers in the College are still living and the weight of their years seems to lie lightly on them. Of those who at later times have received appointments as instructors in the College, so far as is now known, all are still alive, excepting three. One of these, after he had become connected with another College, was removed by death not a long time since, while in the midst of a useful and honorable career. It is now thirty years, lacking a few days, since the first of these three was swept from life by that memorable calamity on the Basin of Minas. So deep was the affliction that then fell on some of the friends of this College, that they have scarcely been