

RESOLUTION IN CONNECTION WITH THE DEATH OF DR. B.J.HARRINGTON.

(Adopted by the Corporation of McGill University  
at their regular meeting on Wednesday, December 11th, 1907).

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" The Corporation of McGill University desires to express its profound sense of the loss sustained by the University and by the community in general in the death of Dr. Harrington. During the period of his connection with the University - a period of thirty-five years - Dr. Harrington saw it grow from small beginnings to the commanding position it now enjoys. To its upbuilding the stimulus he gave was of vital moment. His unselfish devotion to the varied interests of the University, his uniform courtesy to his fellowmen, whatever their station, and his kindly sympathy for all who asked or needed his help, proved, during a long academic life, unfailing sources from which others drew strength, and they leave memories long and gratefully to be treasured.

In this brief expression of its feelings caused by Dr. Harrington's death, Corporation cannot forget that Dr. Harrington's energy and scholarship enabled him, in the earlier days of the University, to impart scientific knowledge covering a wide field, portions of which have been since then, and in the natural growth of the University, assigned to others, thus leaving to him the sciences of Chemistry and Mineralogy, with which his researches and his name have come to be more especially identified. His numerous articles and pamphlets



embody the results of much careful pioneer work, and will be treasured as such by a country among whose distinguished men of science his name stands.

It is gratifying to Corporation at this moment to reflect on the fact that, while he lived, Dr. Harrington saw one of his dearest hopes realized - the establishment of a department of Chemistry and the gift of a finely equipped building as its home, the affairs of which he controlled with exemplary care and solicitude. To his widow and family Corporation offers its deepest sympathy in the bereavement which it shares with them."



*Correct Copy.*

*J. A. Nicholson,  
Registrar.*