James H. Mirrlees.

IT is with the deepest regret that we record the death of James H. Mirrlees, of the class of '87. After a short sickness of only four days, he died of scarlet fever, on Tuesday, April 27th, at nine o'clock in the evening. His home was in Glasgow, Scotland, he being one of quite a large family. He attended the University of Glasgow previous to his entrance into the Institute, last year. He was a very fine scholar, and all his Professors speak in the highest terms of his attention and application to duty, and his high moral character. Quiet and unassuming in his manner, always ready and prompt to help one in time of need, he has made friends with all whom he has met. He was one of the most popular fellows in his class; nothing can be said against him, and too much cannot be said for him.

By the kindness of the Rev. Phillips Brooks, at whose church Mr. Mirrlees was a regular attendant, services were held in Trinity on Thursday, at ten o'clock, the Faculty kindly suspending recitations for the Junior class. Mr. Brooks conducted the services and the Glee Club furnished music. The body was then taken to Forest Hill and placed in a vault, until it can be carried to Scotland. The pall-bearers from the class and the Theta Xi Fraternity were Messrs. Todd, Shepard, Harris, Cobb, Shortall, Banes, Sprague, and Draper.

Whereas the Almighty, in his infinite wisdom and mercy, has taken from our midst our beloved friend and brother, James H. Mirrlees, the Delta Chapter of the Theta Xi Fraternity desires to give enduring expression to its appreciation of his high character and his earnest services as a true brother; therefore be it

Resolved, That by his death the Fraternity loses an invaluable brother; one who was of unfailing courtesy, faithful to his duties in life, ever diligent in his work, in all respects upright and genial, and who won the deep affection and esteem of all with whom he had been connected.

The recollection of our truest brother will never be forgotten. And be it

Resolved, That we tender our profound sympathy to his family, and commend them to the all-sufficient care of Him who in his wise providence has seen fit to send this grievous affliction upon them. And it is further

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be sent to the family of our late brother, and that they be printed in The Tech.

Warner J. Banes,
Timothy W. Sprague,
Fred Thompson,
For the Chapter.

Inasmuch as our omnipotent heavenly Father has in his perfect and all-seeing wisdom deemed it best, for the carrying out of his divine plans, to summon from his daily tasks our dear friend and classmate, James H. Mirrlees, and place before him a brighter and eternal service in his heavenly kingdom.

Resolved, that we, the members of the class of '87, M. I. T., do feel deeply bereaved in the loss of so lovable and noble a character from our midst; one whose quiet, yet firm perseverance in the right, and whose earnest and conscientious labors in the class-room, have won for him the respect and honor of both classmates and instructors. His memory will be, as his presence has been, a gentle influence toward higher and nobler purposes.

That we offer as fully as possible our heartfelt sympathy to the members of the home so suddenly and sadly darkened.

F. C. Todd,
W. L. Harris,
F. E. Shepard,
M. E. Cobb,
J. L. Shortall,
For the Class.

F. E. Shepard,
H. C. Spaulding,
F. C. Todd,
F. M. Wakefield,
B. C. Lane,
For the Society.