of this service, except from unavoidable cause, or while with the concurrence of the Author ity of the University, engaged in the performance of higher duties he filled his professorship during a longer period than any of his predecessors with learning, fidelity, stability, rarely equalled, and was surcharged in the department of service to which his life was devoted.

In the opinion of the Committee, the Authority of the University & the People of North Carolina are deeply indebted for the long continued & eminent service of the deceased professor, as offering grateful evidence of their approviv & esteem for his worth: They wish that the revered Professor should be honored 
