

ELMER HOWARD CARLETON, of the Class of 1893, of Hanover, New Hampshire; Doctor of Medicine of Dartmouth College; physician and surgeon; one of Bowdoin's immortal athletes in the gay nineties, who soon after graduation and excellent training in Europe began in Hanover a successful career as operating surgeon in the throat, eye, and ear fields, then after the handicap of losing his right arm through infection, with unbelievable grit learned to operate with his left hand and is now clinical specialist in the widely known Dartmouth Eye Institute where he has in the past ten years played an important rôle in making that clinic one of the most outstanding in the country; a graduate of Bowdoin whose whole life proves the truth of the words of the college song "Phi Chi" that "pluck beats luck" by rising from apparent defeat to a place of great usefulness in his profession, who by strength of character, charm, and genius for friendship has contributed much to make Bowdoin a beloved name in the town of our friendly rival Dartmouth, and whose career is an epic of skill and courage.

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