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The Faculty of Vassar College feel impelled to put upon record an expression of their sense of the serious loss sustained by the College in the death of Miss Bertha Robinson, for the past three years a valued and beloved instructor in the College. The influence of Miss Robinson, quiet and unobtrusive to a high degree, was much deeper and stronger than she knew. Her modesty and perfect freedom from a spirit of self-assertion led her to depreciate the value of her services and the extent of her powers. And it is a source of regret to her closest friends that she could not live to know how much she had done for her pupils, how much she had contributed to raise the tone and spirit of the College, how much her example of steady and severe conscientiousness, of unfailing courtesy, of unwearying patience, had benefited others. Her friends and all who had knowledge of her work know that it was solid and that the results of it will be permanent. Her wide knowledge, her various accomplishments, her refinement of taste, her earnestness as an instructor have left their mark upon her many pupils, and have gained for her the respect and affection of all who have associated with her. The Faculty of Vassar College desire to record their sense of loss, and their sincere and heartfelt sympathy with her bereaved family. Manuel J. Drennan Lucy M. Salmon II - 222