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Thy son, thy servant, dearest Mother mine,
Lays this poor offering on thy holy shrine, —
Would that my tribute worthier were of thee.

Oliver Wendell Holmes, '29

CAMBRIDGE
THE HARVARD ADVOCATE
1906

Veritas nihil veretur

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PREFACE

THIS volume marks the fortieth year of the *Harvard Advocate* and is the fourth *Advocate* anthology. The first book of verse was published in 1876, the second in 1886. The third volume, issued in 1896, was a collection of stories. It is the hope of the editors, past and present, that at the end of each decade there may be an *Advocate* book.

The verses in this volume are selected from the *Advocates* of the last twenty years. It is thought that they are not discreditable either to the writers or to Harvard. If there shines a spark of genius here and there, so much the better. But the verses need show little of the divine fire to be significant to Harvard men; for through the youthful numbers of the undergraduate the eye of affection may discern somewhat of the Harvard spirit.

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