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HENRY J. BIGELOW,

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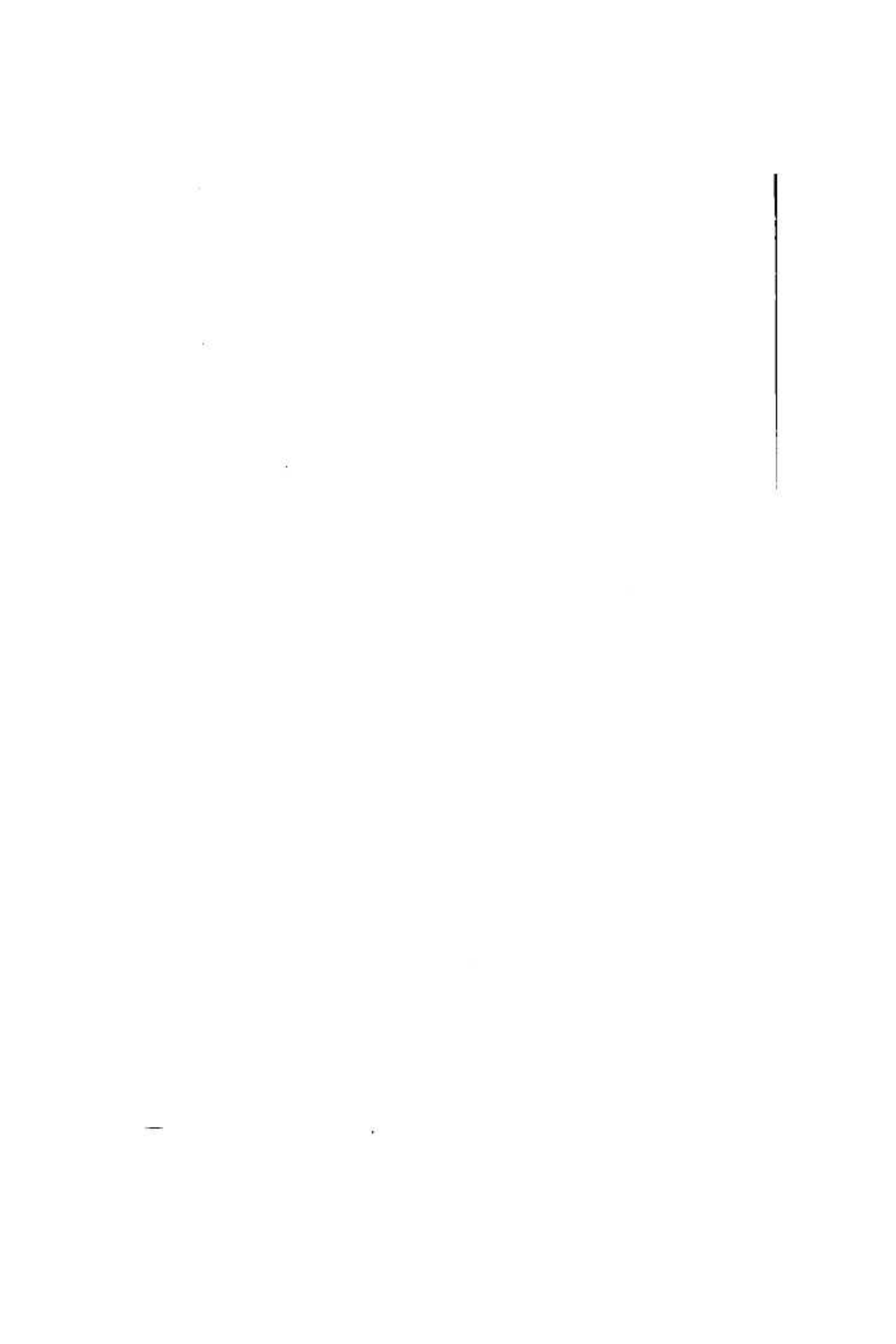
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THE medical profession and the friends of Dr. BIGELOW are indebted for the following Memoir to those who, by their addresses at society meetings, by written monographs, or by interviews, contributed to the universal expression of admiration and respect which followed the death of their distinguished associate.

The vigorous biographical memoir by Professor Oliver Wendell Holmes, the graphic sketches by Professor R. H. Fitz, Dr. A. T. Cabot, and Mr. Henry Lee, the reminiscences of Dr. H. Derby, Dr. H. H. A. Beach, and other closely allied personal friends, have been drawn from *verbatim* for this sketch of the striking incidents and varied attainments which make the life of this great surgeon and teacher pre-eminent among those of his fellow-men.

Boston, 1894.