

The salver presented yesterday is a massive piece of solid silver procured by the committee from the establishment of Mr. J. G. Joseph of Toronto, and bore the following inscription engraved on its surface;

"Presented, with the deed creating the 'Hellmuth Scholarship,' of the yearly value of one hundred dollars in Hellmuth College, for the benefit of the pupils, to the Rev. Isaac Hellmuth, D.D., Dean of Huron, by inhabitants of London and others, as a testimonial of their appreciation of his labour in founding the college, and of the benefit promised the youth of Canada from its teachings. This salver is also to evidence the esteem and respect of the donors for Dr. Hellmuth, and to record the fact that their offering took its shape for the benefit of the pupils at his own request.

"London, Ontario, March, 1868."

The presentation took place in the large dining hall, in the presence of several influential citizens, among whom were a number of ladies. Among those present were His Worship the Mayor, Rev. J. B. Smyth, F. W. Thomas, Major Evans, D. Glass, A. G. Smyth, D. McFie, V. Cronyn, Jas. Johnson, J. B. Strathy and the masters of the Institute. The pupils of the college were also in attendance, and received the Dean, on his arrival, with cheers. The Mayor made the presentation, and read the following address:—

*Very Reverend and Dear Sir:—*

We, the subscribers to the testimonial we now present to you, are performing a gratifying work, and one that attempts to record our sense of the benefits you have conferred on the Dominion of Canada, and especially on this locality.

We believe that no other man would have dared to undertake a risk so great, and none other could have done it with any prospect of success.

While we recognise this success, and congratulate you upon it, we desire to express our conviction that the success dearest to your feelings, is that which is the result of the high and worthy education your college confers upon the youth of the Dominion.

We believe that you will reap your best and most satisfactory reward in the contemplation of the benefits your disinterested labors confer on the community.

We, in this testimonial, are inadequately expressing our appreciation of the noble work you have so spiritedly undertaken.

On behalf of this city, we must thank you for having chosen it for the site of Hellmuth College, which will contribute largely to its future growth and welfare.

We have only to add that the form of this testimonial is one additional evidence of the desire you have to advance the interests of the boys who receive the best attainable education under the care of the very excellent head master you have chosen to preside over the Hellmuth College.