

Reverend Father Wade S.A.B.
In memory of many pleasant hours
spent together under the roof of
Old King's
From his sincere friend
The Author.



❖ PREFACE. ❖

NO apology is offered for the publication of these Poems and Plays, for they are only intended for private circulation. At the request of some of my friends I have made a collection of certain of my writings, and have issued them in this form. A few of these poems have been published in some of the leading Newspapers in Canada, and some in the late *Rose-Belford's Canadian Monthly*, and have received more favourable notice than I had dared to hope for. There are local hits and allusions in "Old King's" and "The New Patience," which are only intelligible to the initiated. By far the great majority of the poems have been honoured with a place in the *King's College Record*, the periodical representing King's College, University of Windsor, Nova Scotia.

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Fest of S. Barnabas, 1885.

