

ty's dominions, to testify their delight at this auspicious event, and to present their dutiful respects and devoted attachment to their most gracious Sovereign.

Fresh from the academic halls of Oxford, Your Royal Highness will be pleased to know, that an attempt has been made, not altogether without success, to transplant the system of that ancient University to this new soil, and that in this Colony of the Empire Learning has found a seat, from which the Arts and Sciences extend their mild and benignant influence.

Founded by a progenitor of Your Royal Highness, His Majesty George the Third, and long fostered by his protecting care, the University on whose behalf we have now the honor of addressing you (being the oldest in Her Majesty's Colonial possessions), has ever faithfully fulfilled the expressed object of His Royal munificence and parental regard.

By it our youth receive, in conformity with the terms of the Royal Charter, the blessing of a sound education in the principles of true Religion, and are instructed in the several branches of Science and Literature which are taught at the Universities of the parent kingdom.

Grateful for the enjoyment of such blessings, and revering *His* pious memory from whom they originated, the Governors of the College, and every member of it have, above all others, cause for the warmest attachment to your Royal House; and by none, accordingly, are sentiments of unfailing loyalty to their honored Sovereign more ardently entertained.

That Your Royal Highness may derive unmingled satisfaction from this visit to Her Majesty's North American Provinces, and, blessed with the choicest gifts of our Heavenly Father, may long live the promoter and patron of Learning, is the fervent prayer, may it please Your Royal Highness, of your most devoted and faithful servants.

Signed on behalf of the Governors,

H. NOVA SCOTIA,

Visitor.

REPLY.

MY LORD,—

I have the honor to acknowledge, by desire of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, the Address which you have presented to him on behalf of the Governors of the University of King's College, Windsor, Nova Scotia, and to express to you the gratification which it has afforded to His Royal Highness.

I am,

My Lord,

Yours faithfully,

NEWCASTLE.

The Right Rev. the LORD BISHOP.

Government House, Halifax, 1st August, 1860.

The Governors cannot conclude this Report without recording in terms of the deepest regret the loss which the College and the Province have sustained, in the recent death of the venerable Chief