

“ 4. The candidates for School Teaching in the Normal School shall board and lodge in the city, under such regulations as shall, from time to time, be approved by this Board, and each pupil (attending the School on his own account) shall be allowed a sum not exceeding five shillings per week, towards the expenses of his board.

“ 5. The candidates for School Teaching, selected by the District and City Councils, shall not be charged more than the amount paid for their board in the city.

“ 6. The foregoing Resolutions be transmitted by Circular to the District and City Councils, for their information, and to the public through the newspapers.”

With a view of extending the advantages of the Normal School as widely as possible, the Board addressed a Circular letter to the Municipal Councils of Upper Canada, dated 4th August, 1846, suggesting that each Council select one or more young men, by public competition, and support them at the Normal School. A copy of this Circular is given in the Appendix to this Report, marked No. 1. Several Municipal Councils have cordially responded to the Circular of the Board; and I doubt not but others will do the same, as soon as the Normal School shall have been brought into operation.

#### IV. *Buildings for the Normal School.*

At the first meeting of the Board of Education, it was proposed to apply to the Government for permission to occupy the Government House and premises of the late Province of Upper Canada, as the building could be easily adapted for the purposes of a Normal School, the grounds being spacious and beautiful; and a great saving of expense would thereby be effected by converting to such a purpose, buildings which were falling into decay, and premises which were useless to the Province. Some private correspondence, which had taken place between the Superintendent of Schools and a leading Member of the Government, on the subject, was laid before the Board; and the Board readily concurred in the propriety of opening a correspondence with the Government, with the view of obtaining the premises in question. The correspondence resulted in an order from His Excellency, the Earl of Cathcart, to the Mayor of Toronto, to put the Superintendent of