

the youth of this Province, affords me peculiar pleasure. I wish your University every success, and earnestly hope that in future years it may spread the blessings of a sound education to the rapidly increasing population in the midst of which it is erected."

THE PRINCE AT PETERBORO', SEPTEMBER 7TH.

The Prince arrived by railway from Cobourg, and drove in procession to the Court House grounds. Here he alighted from his carriage, and, with his suite, ascended the dais. As soon as he appeared on the platform, the thousand school children who occupied the seats immediately in front, and who were most neatly dressed, sang the "National Anthem," to which had been added the following appropriate verse:

Grant, Lord, our fervent prayer, Still for old England's heir, Thy love evince.	Watch o'er his early days, Guide him in wisdom's ways, So shall he sing Thy praise, God save the Prince!
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The singing was very good indeed, and the appearance of the children most commendable. The Prince and those with him seemed much pleased, and soon left for Port Hope and Toronto.

THE PRINCE AT TORONTO, SEPTEMBER 7TH.

The Prince reached Toronto on the steamer *Kingston*, from Whitby, late in the evening, and was received with the greatest enthusiasm. Immediately after the presentation of the address on the dais of the amphitheatre at the foot of John Street, Mr. Carter gave the signal for the children's welcome to the Prince. This they responded to by uniting their 5000 voices in singing the grand old "National Anthem," in a manner which had never before been equalled in Toronto, and which brought the tears to many an eye unused to such emotion. (The Prince himself was so deeply touched by the scene, that he requested Mr. Carter to favour him on another day with a repetition of the anthem, which was accordingly done.) The procession then defiled before His Royal Highness, and greeted him with hearty cheers. The second division of the procession, including the various Educational Institutions, was arranged in the following order:

- The Toronto Grammar School.
- The Officers and Members of Boards of School Trustees.
- The Normal and Model Grammar Schools.
- The Officers of Educational Department and Council of Public Instruction.
- Upper Canada College.
- The University of Trinity College.
- The University of Toronto, and University College, with other Affiliated Colleges and Institutions.

One of the most prominent divisions of the procession, was that composed of the students of Upper Canada College and the members of the University of Toronto and the University of Trinity College. By notice those connected with the former University met in the grounds of the Upper Canada College at 2½ o'clock P.M., and soon after 4 o'clock, preceded by a large number of the College Boys, marched to the foot of John Street and took their stand to the west of the amphitheatre. About the same hour the members of the University of Trinity College met at the rooms of the Church Society on King Street and proceeding to Front Street, occupied their station near those of the Toronto University. In the formation of this division of the procession the College Boys led the way, followed by the members of Trinity College, and closing with the students, spectators, and Faculty of the University of Toronto. As the procession came upon any striking illumination, or other circumstance possibly capable of moving boys of the known vocal powers of those of Upper Canada College, cheers broke forth from the throats of these hopes of the next generation, which, being taken up by the older members of the Universities, swelled forth loudly in warm applause for the welcome son of our honoured Sovereign.

UNIVERSITY OF TRINITY COLLEGE, SEPTEMBER 8TH.

After the presentations at the levee, on Saturday morning, the following address was presented to His Royal Highness:

"May it please your Royal Highness,—We, the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Trinity College, Toronto, beg to express to your Royal Highness our heartfelt congratulations on the occasion of your visit to this Province, and our grateful sense of the kindly interest which you have thus discovered in the welfare of the colony. While we gladly recognize the many obligations under which we lie, in common with all our fellow-subjects in this Province, to loyal attachment to the Throne of Great Britain, and to its present most gracious occupant, it is our especial duty to acknowledge the distinguished favour which Her Majesty the Queen has conferred upon us, by conveying to us, under her Royal Charter, the full privileges of a University. Her Majesty, in that charter, has been pleased to declare her willingness 'to promote the more

perfect establishment within the Diocese of Toronto of a College in connection with the United Church of England and Ireland, for the education of youth in the doctrines and duties of the Christian religion as inculcated by that Church, and for their instruction in the various branches of science and literature which are taught in the Universities of this kingdom.' It will ever be our pride, as it must ever be our duty, faithfully to execute the trust thus graciously confided to us, both by the inculcation of sound religious principles, and by the communication of all useful secular learning. In attempting to discharge this duty, we are assured that we can propose to ourselves no better model than that of the ancient Universities of England, with the studies of one of which your Royal Highness is already familiar, while we learn with satisfaction that it is your design to form a like intimate acquaintance with the other. It will be our aim, by the blessing of Almighty God, to perpetuate in this colony that spirit of old English faith and loyalty, by which the members of our communion have ever been distinguished at home, and by which we trust that they will still be recognized in every land in which our Church is planted under the protection of the British Crown."

The Prince's Reply.

"Gentlemen,—I thank you sincerely for the expression of loyalty and attachment to the British Crown contained in your address, and for the welcome you have given me to this city. The institution from which the address proceeds is one of the utmost importance to the colony, inasmuch as it is destined to train those to whose care are committed the spiritual interests of the members of the Church of England. I know the difficulties under which you have laboured, and sincerely hope that you may successfully surmount them."

During the illumination on the night of the Prince's arrival, Trinity College was beautifully decorated with Chinese and Japanese lanterns, and a very large star in Cremorne lamps beautified the structure. The effect was very fine indeed.

THE PRINCE AT COLLINGWOOD, SEPTEMBER 10TH.

From Toronto the Prince proceeded to Collingwood, where the school children welcomed him by singing "God Save the Queen." He was well received at every railway station along the route.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO, SEPT. 11TH.

At one o'clock His Royal Highness visited the University Buildings, and was received at the principal entrance by the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, President of University College, and other members of the Senate, and conducted to the Convocation Hall. At the north end of the hall upon the dais, was a beautifully executed chair, for the use of the Prince, with a plume and the letters "A. E." worked thereon in maple. Seats were also provided for the Duke of Newcastle, the Earl of St. Germans, His Excellency the Governor General, and other members of the Prince's suite. On the wall, at either side, were arranged heraldic shields, while on the wall over the gallery at the other end of the hall, meeting directly the view of His Royal Highness, were inscribed the words

"Imperii spem spes Provincie salutat."

Meaning that the hope of the Province salutes the hope of the Empire. On the dais, to the right and left of the throne, stood members of the Senate, the Professors of University College, and other gentlemen.

As the Prince entered the hall, the students, who were arranged on both sides of the aisles, in the order of their rank, gave him three cheers. The hall and gallery was filled with elegantly dressed ladies who waved their handkerchiefs, the Prince very graciously bowing.

The Chancellor, after a short pause, advanced and read the following address:

"May it please your Royal Highness,—We, the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, Senate and Graduates of the University of Toronto, and the President, Council and Members of University College, desire to welcome your Royal Highness with loyal and dutiful respect on your visit to the Capital of Upper Canada, and gladly avail ourselves of this auspicious occasion to renew the assurance of our devoted loyalty to the Queen, and to express our grateful appreciation of the manifold blessings which we enjoy under Her Majesty's benign sway. Fresh from the advantages of England's most ancient University, your Royal Highness now honors with your presence the Academic Hall of this young Province. The pleasures and profit united in the purest of Collegiate studies have already been enjoyed by you, and we doubt not that our efforts to extend the same educational privileges among our Canadian youth will command your sympathy. Framed as our system is upon the model of the Institutions of our Mother Country, while adapted in its details to the special wants of this portion of the Empire. To this great work, which involves the intellectual advancement of Canada, our best energies have been directed. By its means the first advantages of