

which you have been personally exposed, appear to me to constitute a fresh claim on the friends of the Gospel in England in favour of the proposed College.

My confidence in its practical success is strengthened by the knowledge that the Bishop of Huron is desirous that you shall hold the office of Principal and Divinity Professor, and that you are willing to undertake the charge, where your weight of character, acquired by your long and faithful services, and your varied attainments and gifts, may be usefully employed to the use of our common Lord. The time of your present visit, however, in consequence of the manufacturing distress, is unfavourable to the renewal of a general appeal, and the greater part of the necessary funds, that the design may be fully carried out, have still to be secured.

Under these circumstances, understanding that money can be invested in Canada safely at 8 per cent., I have felt it my duty to offer at once the sum of £5,000, to complete the endowment for the Principal and Divinity Professor in Huron College, subject only to the following conditions:—

1. That the Institution shall be avowedly for the training of students in the Protestant and Evangelical principles of the Articles of the Church in their natural and grammatical sense, as well as in harmony with due Church order and discipline.

2. That the sum shall be committed in the name of a limited number of trustees in England, to be hereafter named by me, for the sole purpose of constituting an endowment for the Principal of the College, and the Divinity Professor, both offices being combined, the Bishop and the Archdeacon of Huron investing it for that object in their names.

3. That the first appointment shall be with the present Bishop of Huron, and every later appointment with the trustees in England, in whose names the endowment will stand, who shall have power to supply vacancies in their own number.

Trusting that this offer will be some encouragement to other friends, even in this time of commercial pressure, to render some immediate help towards the general fund, so that the Institution may come into speedy and effective operation.

I am, my dear Archdeacon,

Your Friend and Brother in Christ,

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*Copy of a Letter from the BISHOP OF HURON to the VEN. ARCHDEACON HELLMUTH, D.D., on his departure from Canada to England, on behalf of the Diocese.*

London, C.W., Sept. 19, 1862.

MY DEAR ARCHDEACON,

As you are about to return to England to resume your labors as my Commissary, I desire to express my deep thankfulness to those dear