No. 4.

AN ACCOUNT of all other SALES made of the CLERGY RESERVES in Upper Canada, to the latest Period to which the same can be made up; stating the Gross Amount of such Sales, the Net Money actually received, and how the same has been disposed of.

BY the last Returns, it appears that the Commissioner of Crown Lands has sold 13,179 acres of Clergy Reserves in Upper Canada for the gross sum of \pounds . 9,774. currency, payable by ten annual instalments, with interest. The sums so received for the sale of the Clergy Reserves are directed by the Act of 7 & 8 Geo. IV. c. 62. to be invested in the Funds of Great Britain.

No. 5.

DESPATCH from Sir John Colborne, K. C. B. to Sir George Murray, G. C. B. &c. &c. &c.

SIR,

Upper Canada, York, 29th September 1830.

I HAVE the honour to transmit to you the annexed Statement of Grants of Land made to Trustees appointed by Charter for the maintenance and establishment of King's College in this Province, as required by your Despatch of the 14th June to be forwarded to you, in compliance with an Address of the House of Commons to His Majesty.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your most obedient humble servant,

(signed) J. Colborne.

EXTRACTS from the Minutes of a Meeting of the COUNCIL of the UNIVERSITY OF KING'S COLLEGE, Upper Canada, held in the Council-Chamber, September 28th, 1830.

THE College Council having before them a Communication from His Excellency Sir John Colborne, K.C.B., enclosing a Despatch from Sir George Murray, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, with the copy of an Address of the House of Commons to Ilis Majesty, praying, "That He will be pleased to give directions that there be laid before the House an Account of all Grants of Land to Trustees or other Officers appointed by Charter for the maintenance and establishment of any College or Seminary for education in Upper Canada, with any Valuation or Estimate that may have been made of the same," have the honour to report, That the Charter for the establishment of King's College within the Province of Upper Canada in North America, with all the powers and privileges of a University, was granted by his late Majesty King George the Fourth, in March 1827, and was soon after transmitted to His Excellency Sir Peregrine Maitland, then Lieutenant Governor of the Colony, by Lord Bathurst, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

That in virtue of the provisions of the Charter, seven members were named by Sir Peregrine Maitland, who, together with the Chancellor and President, compose the College Council; a Registrar and Bursar were also appointed, and the institution regularly organized.

That a grant was given by his late Majesty towards erecting the necessary buildings, of 1,000 *l*. sterling per annum, to continue sixteen years from the 1st of January 1828, of which two years have been paid.

That a grant of 225,944 acres of the Crown Reserves, the greater part of which are

occupied and under lease, was given to the Corporation for the support of the University. That the probable rental arising from the leased lands, at the time they were transferred to the College, may be estimated at less than 1,000 *l*. per annum. That the College Council have agreed to sell their possessions, at a fair valuation, to such

of the tenants as prefer the fee-simple to leases, with the view of investing the money and confining the expenditure of the University to the growing interest.

Of this revenue, no correct estimate can at present be formed.

That the lands belonging to the University have been considered by some as worth nearly 100,000 l.; but it will be long before they yield a revenue equal to the interest of that sum. At the same time the endowment may be justly deemed magnificent, and will with good management grow in value with the country, and as the institution requires to be extended.

King's College Council-Chamber,

York, 29th September 1830.

(signed) Jos. Wells, Bursar of K. College, and Acting Secretary in the absence of the Registrar.

Colonial Department, Downing-street,] 23d February 1831.

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