#### THE UPPER CANADA COLLEGE QUESTION.

# From the Napunee Express, October 9.

We have no more time at present to enter into this matter, but we think that it is full time for the Parliament to step in and rectify the wrongs sustained by the Grammar Schools. The whole history is one scries of speculation and reckless expenditure. And to continue this any longer is manifestly unjust and unfair. We give a few extracts to show the way in which money is frittered away.

We conclude our present article with the final words of the Report, every word of which we heartily endorse, and only hope that in this instance, at least, full and speedy justice will be done.

### From the St. Catharine's Times, October 27.

These are a few of the facts, which, with a host of others of a similar nature, have been given to the country by the assiduous author of the pamphlet, and we doubt not that they will raise a feeling of indignation throughout the Province, and a demand for the sweeping away of this huge imposition and incubus upon the Grammar Schools, and for the restoration to those schools of the 66,000 acres of land taken away from them to form an Upper Canada College Endowment.

# From the Owen Sound Comet, October 23.

We wondered, as we progressed in the examination of this subject when we saw how a tyrannical Governor would issue his orders in Council in direct opposition to measures introduced by a weak Government, and that the country would bear such barefaced plunder; but when we see the audacity of the Toronto Upper Canada College authorities, and the cowardly yielding to their illegal appropriations of Grammar School funds, we are surprised that they have not, by their former success, been emboldened to grasp the whole Grammar School apportionment, and leave nothing to the Grammar Schools. This expose that is made of the misappropriation of Grammar School money, we ' hope, will have the effect of bringing the subject prominently before the local members and the Government of Ontario, with a view of putting an end to this disgraceful embezzlement of School funds.

### From the Ottawa Citizen, October 31.

What would the annual \$23,000 have amounted to now, at six per cent. interest? Why to \$2,200,000 and something more. What would the annual interest of \$2,200,000 at seven per cent. come to? Just \$154,000, and this is the yearly amount which, for all future time the cause of liberal education in Ontario loses at the hands of the concern. We have said about enough on this sickening subject, at any rate for the present. At some future day we may deal with other very important matters reviewed in the pamphlet, when possibly our co-operation may be of greater service than it can be to-day, and we therefore close with the last few words of the able writer to whom we have been indebted for our facts—not that they were unknown to us before, for we have given its current events more or less of our attention.

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