APPENDIX O.

REPORT OF THE GOVERNORS OF KING'S COLLEGE WINDSOR, N. S.

To the Most Reverend, The Lord Bishop, and the Members of the Synod of the Diocese of Fredericton:

The Governors of King's College appointed by the Synod beg leave to submit the following Report:

Some uneasiness was occasioned by the receipt of a telegram, at the close of last year's session, to the effect that the Synod of Nova Scotia had voted in favor of removing King's College from Windsor to Halifax. Let us assume that the circumstances of that unhappy resolution are sufficiently well known. It is neither pleasant nor profitable to recall them. Suffice it to say that the blow was met by vigorous and determined action on the part of the Board of Governors, and the result has been, we have good reason to hope, that the College holds a higher place in the confidence and esteem of the public to-day than it has held for many years.

In September last Canon Brock resigned the Presidency and Prof. Willets was appointed Acting President. At the same time it was thought necessary to increase the staff of the University by the appointment of a Professor of Modern Languages, and Dr. H. P. Jones, a graduate of King's College, who had attained great distinction at Heidelberg was chosen for this position. Two months later, on the nomination of the Bishop of Nova Scotia, as visitor, one of your representatives on the Board of Governors, Rev. F. W. Vroom, M. A., was appointed to the Professorship of Divinity. It may here be noted that three members of the present Faculty are graduates of the College.

The Committee who had in hand the work of Restoration, aided largely by the labors of Canon Brock, have collected and expended in much needed repairs and improvements something over \$1100 during the past year. The barns and out-buildings have been removed, new fences built, and the approach to the College from the rear greatly improved. About \$3000 has been spent on the Library Building in putting up new shelves, repairing plaster, freshly tinting the walls, making the windows storm-proof, etc. The President's house has also been put in thorough repair. A new fence along the front of the College property is contemplated and will be undertaken as soon as the Committee can see their way clear to accomplish it.

Much remains to be done in the interior of the main College building and the Committee earnestly appeal for contributions, which will be gratefully Treasurer

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