

KING'S

UNIVERSITY



COLLEGE.

Windsor, A.S.

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Spencer

My Dear Dr. Dawson.

I am going to trouble you by a statement of some of our College matters. Owing to the mismanagement of the Governing body, and the withdrawal of the College Grants, our College is in difficulties. In the wisdom of our Bishop King's College would not consider amalgamation with Dalhousie, and the end will eventually be that we will give every advantage to that institution without receiving any benefits. The Bishop proposes to break

The portion on the Seneca Block is rather  
tender in hand, and on the first read a  
paper before Sept. next day, as well as  
an extract. I hope that you will find  
my paper geology substantiating your  
views. I like this kind of consulting  
you on my difficulties, or especially  
difficulties. I am very sensible you  
will send to me some more data.

I am  
from all servants

J. M. W. W.



up the College, and turn it  
into a theological school.

Now according to the terms  
of my appointment this is  
illegal (or in fact with regard  
to the others as well). If I  
can get a position elsewhere  
I will quietly leave, but if  
not I fear I may be forced  
into a lawsuit.

This year the College has been  
more successful than ever before  
and the last two years have seen  
the largest attendance. I have  
a flattering letter from the  
Bishop intimating the danger  
and this morning I got  
a testimonial of all that  
could be desired from our  
President, ~~anticipating~~ coming  
difficulties.

I do not think that I told  
you before that I have been  
for sometime Vice-President,  
and many results have been  
derived therefrom, as the President.

an Englishman resembles  
most men of his country  
brought to Canada.

In fact, the present peril of  
the College lies on the heads  
of two men - the Bishop  
and the President, who  
have alienated all the  
New Church party, and they  
~~are~~ the people having  
power belong to that school.  
Prayers for the dead are taught  
and intercession of saints not  
objectionable. These are the  
Causes of our decay.

My work on the Geology of  
the Western End of Lake  
Ontario is completed, except  
the maps. Dr. Harrington  
is publishing in Can. Nat. Hist  
I an ~~and~~ Palaeozoic Geology  
Part II is Surface Geology  
with an appendix of Levels  
of Ontario (all <sup>ways</sup> railroads &c)  
& Part III the Palaeontology  
It will print about <sup>240</sup> 240 pages