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Two Rebuffes and their solutions are received. Our wishes rise above mediocrity. ISTHMUS is assured that we never saw the ode by CHRONOS until it was sent for insertion, to our office. As he candidly acknowledges that his lines on 1793 have already appeared, we are therefore necessitated to pronounce the present a republication. Gentlemen who wish a second edition, will at all times please to notice the first, that the publick may in no instance be misled.

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DESCRIPTION OF DARTMOUTH COLLEGE.

[ILLUSTRATED BY A BEAUTIFUL ENGRAVING.]

DARTMOUTH COLLEGE, in the State of New Hampshire, and township of Hanover, is situated on a beautiful plain, about half a mile east of Connecticut river, in latitude 43° 33'. It was named after the Right Honourable William, Earl of Dartmouth, who was one of its principal benefactors. It was founded by the late pious and benevolent Dr. Eleazer Wheelock, who, in 1769, obtained a royal charter for a university, wherein ample privileges were granted, and suitable provisions made for the education and instruction of the Indian tribes, in reading, writing, and all parts of learning which should appear necessary and expedient for civilizing and christianizing the children of Pagans, as well as in all liberal arts and sciences; and also of English youths and any others. Its situation, in a frontier country, exposed it, during the late war, to many inconveniences, which impeded its prosperity. It flourished, however, amidst all its embarrassments; and is now one of the most growing institutions in the United States.

The funds of this College consist chiefly in lands, amounting to about 80,000 acres, which are increasing in value, in proportion to the growth of the country. Twelve hundred acres lie contiguous to the College, and are capable of the best improvement. Twelve thousand acres lie in Vermont, which were given by the Assembly of that State, and are fast settling. A tract of 8 miles square was granted by the Assembly of New Hampshire, in 1789. The revenue of the College arising from the lands, amounts annually to £.140. By contracts already made, it will amount in four years to £.450; and in twelve years, to £.650. The income from tuition is about £.600 per annum.

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