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SIR:

In the name of the Provisional Committee of the proposed London College, allow me to request your attention to the following outline of a Plan, upon which I shall be happy to receive any observations that may occur to you, with a view to its improvement.

I am,

Your's, &c.

Hackney,

June 14, 1825.

F. A. COX, Provisional Secretary.

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# LONDON COLLEGE.

## I. GENERAL OBJECTS.

- 1. To communicate general knowledge.
- 2. To have a continual reference in the prescribed order of study to the circumstances and ultimate destination of Students.
  - 3. To keep the Institution open during nine or ten months of the year.

### II. GENERAL PLAN OF INSTRUCTION.

## Department of Literature.

- 1. English Composition and Philology.
- 2. Modern Languages.
- 3. Oriental Languages and Literature.
- 4. Belles Lettres.
- 5. Geography and History.
- 6. Greek Language, Antiquities and Literature.
- 7. Roman Language, Antiquities and Literature.
- 8. Hebrew Language and Literature.

## Department of Science.

- 1. Logic.
- 2. Moral Philosophy, including Psycology and Ethics.
- 3. Jurisprudence.
- 4. Political Economy.
- 5. Mathematics.
- 6. Mechanics.
- 7. Astronomy,—descriptive and physical.

8. Natural Philosophy.
9. Chemistry.
10. Natural History.
11. Botany.
12. Medical School.
Anatomy.
Surgery.
Materia Medica.
Pharmacy.
Midwifery.
Department of Art, and Application of Science thereto.
1. Painting.
2. Sculpture2102700 AAAAMAD I
3. Architecture.
4. Surveying and Engineering.
o. Navigation.
o. Manufactures and Commerce.
7. Agriculture.
III. CONSTITUTION AND GENERAL MANAGEMENT.
1. Chancellor.
2. Vice-Chancellor,—to be elected by the body of Shareholders, every two years.
3. Board of Directors.
—— Twenty-one, including Chancellor and Vice-Chancellor.
— To be annually elected by the body of Shareholders.
— Four to go out annually, and to be ineligible for one year.
4. Shareholders.
—— To be constituted such by subscribing £100.  —— The Shares to be transferable.
5. Professors.
To be appointed by the Directors.
Salaries to be determined by the Directors.
—— To give no Private Lectures.
6. Students.
To pay per annum to each Professor a sum to be regulated by the Directors
— To pay £1 1s. per annum, for Admission to the Library.

## IV. OFFICERS.

- 1. Principal of each Department to be elected from among the Professors.
- 2. Principal Secretary and Librarian.
- 3. Assistant Secretary.
- 4. Assistant Librarian.

## V. BUILDING.

- 1. To be erected in a situation as central as possible, with regard to the metropolis.
- 2. To comprise a suitable number of Halls of Instruction, and other necessary Apartments, with Library, Museum, and Reading Rooms.
  - 3. No Residences to be provided for Professors.
  - 4. The Secretaries and Librarians to be accommodated with Apartments.

## VI. WAYS AND MEANS.

- 1. Upon the calculation that about £200,000 will be required for the Building, Furniture, Apparatus, Library, and Salaries, it is proposed that the mode of raising it be by Shares of £100 each.
  - 2. A Single Share to be entitled to One Vote,—Five Shares to Two Votes.

Popers, and letters relating to the Commencement of the London University