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My dear Dr Dawson,

Your note  
than your letter, reached me  
while I was in the midst of  
a hot political contest - I so  
greatly appreciated it that I  
wished to carry my answer to you  
personally. But day after day  
passed away, without my finding  
an opportunity to call upon  
you - until I send <sup>you</sup> many  
apologies for a silence that you  
must have thought unpardonable.  
My own recollection of the  
incidents to which you refer  
differs somewhat from the  
impression which they left

as mentioned - + to number me  
as one among the committee,  
Sincerely wishes for its success  
Believe me with great personal  
regard

Very faithfully Yours

C. Ken Davidson

Principal Dawson.

with you, but you have made  
me feel that I have permitted  
a perhaps unjustified resentment  
to too <sup>long</sup> estrange me from my University  
Its interests, as you justly tell me  
ought to be paramount - and  
there can, moreover, be no question  
as to the cause of protestant ed-  
ucation in this Province, needing  
our united support - There is more  
than one feature in the existing  
laws, which to my mind operate  
unjustly against us, & had I been  
returned in the late election, I  
should have applied myself  
with some obstinacy to their  
removal - Perhaps you will  
have the goodness to ask Mr  
Baynes to consider my letter

C. P. Davidson

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