

Little Metis

July 5<sup>th</sup> 1880

Dear Dr. Dawson,

I had a very tedious journey down, and did not arrive here until nearly half-past eleven on Saturday evening. The little ones were of course in bed and asleep, but Anna was up waiting for me. She knew about what time to expect me as I had telegraphed from Louis Pictou to let her know of our tardy progress.

All are well here and Mrs Dawson

was delighted to get the flowers, most of which arrived in excellent condition. The lilies were a little flattened but have now regained their normal shape and ~~now~~ look beautifully.

Possibly there may be enough raspberries in our garden to be worth while picking, and if they are ripe before you leave you had better make me of them. Edward could pick them. There will be beans also, going to waste unless you could care for them.

I neglected to mention to you that when I was at the printers on Friday, they

had set up very little of  
 your paper. Mitchell, however,  
 promised to have it finished  
 & to let you have the proof  
 to-day or to-morrow. He said  
 he would send the proof to  
 the college. Will you kindly  
 write on it the number of  
 extra copies wanted and  
 also whether you wish  
 for covers.

Please thank George for  
 coming down to the train to  
 see me off. If I had thought  
 that he was coming down I should  
 have invited upon his driving  
 with me. I enclose a note for  
 him from Anna. Very sincerely yours  
 B. H. Harrington.

Hampton  
July 20

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