

M^cGill College.
Montreal.

Monday

Dearest Margaret,

My plans having
apparently been broken up
by George's escapade; which
however I do not blame,
as I quite like him to
act independently and shift
for himself, I have been
try^{ing} to realize the present
aspect of affairs and to
form new arrangements.

At the moment it
seems likely that I may
have to go to Nova
Scotia again in August,

afternoon, and this morning
evening. Ever your William

whether ~~Brown~~ ^{Bentley} succeeds
with his company in
England or not.

In that case I intend
to meet George and
return with him, and
would also take Anna,
with me for a little
trip which she will
need.

If George left on
Tuesday, he will be due
in Halifax about Thursday
or Friday, and I have

sent word to him to
telegraph on his arrival
He will anticipate he
detained say ten days or
perhaps a fortnight in
Nova Scotia, and thus
is just as well, as the
heat will be over before
we can come well.

If I go down, I shall
introduce him to all the
people present, in case
he should think of
settling in Halifax, which
may be a good arrangement,
as I am the only regular

mining engine there is
dead, and I think
there is a good opening.

All this will however
depend much on George's
letter of this week, or
receipt of which I shall
telegraph if necessary.

Now with regard to your
self, there is no need of coming
home on Friday, if any one at
Crescent will keep you a
little longer. I probably cannot
set away anywhere till the
beginning of August - August being
away till then - and it will
be as well to take all the sea
air you can.

Yesterday it rained all the
there is a high wind, as cool as can