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My dear Father,

I have not  
yet heard of the arrival  
of the veterans but hope  
every day to hear. I  
do not and hope that  
you will feel quite strong  
enough to travel by the  
middle of August and  
it will give Margaret  
or myself great pleasure  
to meet you in Boston

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and I am on  
here with you.

I just heard to-  
day that the long  
expected steamer to  
ply between Quebec  
& the Lower Provinces  
has arrived, and  
will commence

running about  
the 1st August?

I am told it is  
a post boat and  
if so this will  
be your best route,  
and we must  
with great care  
meet you in Quebec.  
Please enquire about  
this and write in  
first time as to  
the mode of con-  
veyance. Please ask  
Mr Thomson before you

learn whether I shall  
go on to make out  
the deed in his  
name. See how  
affair is completely  
planned with Mrs  
McPhail or Mrs Robm  
before you leave, and  
tell her that we shall  
be glad to see her, at  
all events after her  
marriage.

Letter of W. D.

25 July  
1857

We are all well  
and proceed well I  
hope with our work  
Yours truly & affectionately  
W. Dawson