

Belle vue 15th Dec^r 1849.

My dear Sir,

When I sent you my letter to
Mr. Jennings, chairman for the Register I was
very doubtful whether I could get a paper
of history ready for the first No. I have
been both unwell and busy. I am better,
but busy still. I have managed however to
make a beginning and hope I may yet
be in time for the New Year No. My plan
is to extend to some four or five articles at
least. I have not time to transcribe and
I will be obliged if you will be particu-
lar with the proof if I thought you
would have any difficulty with the copy
I would rewrite. In my mention of the
Shipman's contributions from the boards
of Pictou Presbytery in former times I
am not sure that I am correct on
that more than copy. ought not to

to be reported as well as those I have
named. Your father I believe was usually
of not exclusively the medium of trans-
mission. If you would be kind enough
to mention the matter to him he might
perhaps furnish you with material for
an Editorial Note on that part of the
subject.

Your Capt. Keith is reported to
be wrecked. If our goods have suffered
it will be well that they are insured.
Would it not be well to write
have them bid in if they require to
sold - Many of the things would not
suffer much from a mere wetting -

The list of goods I see is among the
papers I have got. I think Mr. Patterson
took the copies of our letters of instructions
to shipowners to have them insured
in the first Register - With kind regards
W. W. Dawson
Yours truly W. W. Dawson

Letter
to J. Wadswell
Du 10/11

Mr. J. W. Dawson

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