

Quebec St Beaulieu Terrace
Wednesday 19th July 1840

My Dear Sir

I duly received your letter of 31st ulto in reply to mine
and I am sorry that you have had so much trouble apparently to
such little purpose - I have been quite successful in Quebec
in getting subscribers and I had hoped that I might have met the
same success in Montreal -

I deferred writing you because I had
hoped that Anna could have remained some time with us and then
that either Dickson or myself would have accompanied her to
Montreal at the close of the month and we were all very much
disappointed on calling at Miss Mademont's to find that she had
gone - Mary went this afternoon to Miss Mademont's to enquire for
Mr Mademont and she was handed Anna's note, which I suppose
had been overlooked in the distress and confusion now existing
in the family - I am sorry to say she found that there was little if
any hope of his recovery -

I had misunderstood D Miles about Mr. Robt.
He says she had offered to canvass for him, when he was ready but
that he understood she had since gone on an expedition to the Lower
Provinces - D Miles is I believe now in Montreal and promised to
make enquiries - In the meantime if you will be so kind as do
what you proposed either with Dawson or any other Bookseller
you will oblige me much - Several of the Booksellers here have
female canvassers whom they employ regularly in this district &
I was informed that the same system was practised in Montreal -

I give the Booksellers in Toronto, Halifax
& St Johns 20% for canvassing, delivering books & collecting & paying
over the subscriptions - I need not say how sorry we all are that
Anna gave us so little opportunity of paying her that attention
to which she was entitled from every member of my family, but she
no doubt did right in returning when she did, especially as it
seems to have been her mother's wish -

With kind regards to all I remain

Very faithfully

Wm. J. Anderson

D. Dawson
McGill College

Public of ...
Thursday 14th July 1890

My dear ...

I have received your letter of the 12th inst. in reply to
which you say that you have had a number of offers
to take up the shares of the ...
I am sorry to hear that you have had to
reject the offer of the ...
I am sure that you will be satisfied with the
arrangement which has been made for the
benefit of the ...
I am, dear Sir, very truly,
Your obedient servant,
J. S. ...

Arthur

Samuel ...

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