

ROOMS OF THE

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN
Association,

BIBLE HOUSE,

CORNER OF ALEXANDER AND
CRAIG STREETS.

Montreal, Dec 2nd 1870

J. W. Dawson L. S. D.

My dear Sir:

Your note of the 29th I did not receive until late on the 30th yesterday I telegraphed Mr Ferris that the bill in its present shape was not satisfactory. and by last night mail wrote him. The portions of the Constitution & the Paris Basis had been left out, and I rewrote the 3rd Clause of section 2nd so as to include the S. S. Union & Pact Society. (I had not seen the printed copy until yesterday afternoon.) My impression was that you had been present when the matter of including the S. S. U. & T. S. was fully discussed. and from information from Mr. Carter & Mr. Ferris it was deemed best not to include the above Societies as it complicated the difficult

there might be in getting the bill
through, and it was decided that
some document should be drawn up
expressing what was intended, and this
to be signed by the G. M. C. A. Bodies,
and handed to the attys. making it as
binding as possible. Which was
satisfactory to all present. However
I hope the matter may be put in the
bill so as to cover all the ground,
my desire is to have the matter clear
and satisfactory to all concerned.

I remain
Your truly

J. J. Claxton

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No 10
SS mine

