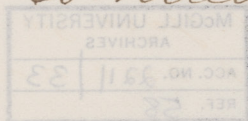


Pictou 28th March 1841.

My Dear Sir

I duly received your
Note of 20th Inst: and have cred-
-ited you with \$1⁵⁰ paid by you
in Oct^r last for the "Herald" on
ac^t of Y.M.C.A. and when Mr. Pot-
-tinger's int: is paid I will pay
over the balance of you ac^t to
the Y.M.C.A. Building Fund.

On their behalf I beg to thank
you for this donation. I feel
reluctant to solicit aid from
parties who are not resident here
but feeling convinced of the
great value to our Young men
of the Institution which seems
so much adapted to their wants



and as they are not in a position
to procure a Building without
appealing to others for assistance
I have sought to overcome my
Compunctions and in this way
brought the case to the notice
of several of our friends abroad.

I need not say how glad we
should be to see you and any
member of your family in Pic-
tow this summer. At present
there is no prospect of any of us
visiting Montreal and if we
go on business we cannot choose
the time but must go when
wanted. My father sends his
kind regards to Mrs. D. and yourself.
He says he is now living in
small quarters but will always
have a bed for you or any of your
family on visiting Pictow &
will not be pleased if you go
anywhere else. Let me add

that in the event of any of your childrens accompan-
-ing you in due directy oportu to my fathers and
woud be very glad to have them with us. With
Kindest regards to you all Dear mine

Very sincerely yours
Howard Garrison

Michael Dawson
Moultrie

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