

Quebec 30th April 1881-

My dear Dr Dawson

Your letter came to hand this morning, I have had a long conversation with Dr. Cook, he desires that Mr. Weir should continue, Sir John Macdonald had been written to advise Chapleau regarding Weir, he read Sir John's reply, and Chapleau's reply to Sir John^{rs}, that the Protestant Committee would be consulted, but it would be a Political appointment & the Dr thinks it will be Lynch. Sir John sent Chapleau's reply, without any remarks. Dr. Cook would rather have Weir than Lynch, but nothing will be done until after the session.

~~Gene~~

May 85

I think I outstrip you in bad
writing in this letter, and
like your self have not
time to rewrite it for the mail

Yours very truly

Dr. Dawson

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J. Ferrier

we will know by & by whether they will
bring up the new project of the
School Law, and will notify ^{you} immedi-
ately, I saw Bishop Williams on the
day of opening, —

I will send your request for
Mr Richardson to Mr Hickson, and
if he will grant the pass, I requested
him to send it to you for Richardson

allow me to say that you have no friend
that can more sincerely hail the coming
honors to be conferred upon you,
and it will give me unbounded
pleasure to address you, Sir William,
(if I am right in reading your name)
and next that, I shall also be able,
to address Lady Dawson; never were
honors more justly conferred or could sit with more
grace than on yourself and Mrs Dawson,