

Tueber 18th June 1881

My Dear Dr Dawson

In reply to your
very kind note of the
16th Inst, I regret to
say, that it will be
impossible for me to
leave here in time to
attend the Convention
in Toronto next week,
in all probability the
house will not adjourn
before the 23rd, which
would of course be
too late to permit my

London 18th June 1871

My dear Mr. Stansfield

I have just received your
very kind note of the
12th inst. & regret to
say that it will be
impossible for me to
have been in time to
attend the Convention
in Paris next week
as it is impossible for
me to get out of London
before the 23rd, which
is of course the
latest I can get off

Adm
June/81

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Attending the Convention, I am very
sorry, as it would have given me
much pleasure to have been
present, I am Sir Yours

Very Truly
W. A. Nelson