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Payment

NEW YORK CITY,

July 6 1885

Dr. J. M. Dawson

McGill College
Montreal

My dear Dr. Dawson

Your favor of July 1, enclosing \$1 to pay for the binding of Dr. Harrington's copy of Vol XIII of the Transactions was recd this Am. On looking over the books, I find that Dr Harrington has not yet paid his dues (\$10) for the current year, and that he is therefore not yet entitled to receive the volume itself. To send him the binding, for which he has paid (through you) without the book, would be a mockery. I fancy that in this instance Dr H. acted not just

like the Frenchman who was
willing to forego the necessaries
of life, if he could have its lux-
uries!

I suppose he will return from
Europe in the Fall; and if you be
not authorized to pay his dues
for him before that, the matter can
lie until then, we holding the \$1
over to his credit, and sending him
a bound volume when we hear
from him.

I trust to have the pleasure
of meeting you next September
in Nova Scotia. We all anticipate
a delightful meeting there; and
I am reading the book you
kindly sent me with special
interest on account of my expecta-
tion of seeing for myself some of
the things it describes.

With regards to your family, in
which Mrs R. would join were she here,
I am
Yours truly, R. M. Raymond Secy