

GOVERNMENT HOUSE

QUEBEC,

1st June, 1894.

Sir William Dawson, LL.D., K.C.M.G.,
Principal of McGill University,
Montreal, P.Q.

Dear Sir William,

It was a pleasure as well as an honor for me to meet you last Monday at the McGill University, where I went to pay an informal but practical visit.

You may well be proud to look at the astounding results which your intelligent and undaunted perseverance has achieved for the glory of your name and the credit and profit of the whole country. If something can put hope and courage in the heart of those who look with anxiety to the fulfilment of the destinies of our country, the vitality and glorious success of such institutions as McGill are that thing.

I have brought back from my visit a deep feeling of national gratitude towards those who have been the

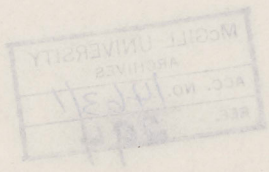
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