

Longle Meads 2^d August 1897
Sir J. W. Dawson K. C. S. G. & C. D., &c &c

Dear Sir Your highly valued favor
of 10th instant has given to Mr. Mathewson
and myself very much satisfaction, and
your very kind wishes therein
expressed, running through the whole
of it, will I feel assured, be
permanently prized during the
remnants of the life journey of us both

It is cause of special thankfulness
that it has pleased Him whom so
long you have, with your worthy
lady, so faithfully served, to restore
health and strength to some extent,
and I trust in His Good Providence
these blessings will largely be
increased and continued for
many years to yourself & Lady
Dawson, enabling both for a

lengthened period to benefit
many for time and eternity)

May the comforting assurances
and precious promises of God's
Sacred oracles, be applied to the
fullest extent in the experience
of Lady Dawson and yourself
and every one of the family
Connections,

We have been very highly
favored with the kind attentions
of friends in our present
Commemorative season, but
prominently amongst these do
we place your very courteous,
and very kind communication,

I am, Dear Sir, Sir William,

Respectfully and faithfully yours,
J. M. Dawson

Mathewson
July 1914

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