

Northwell, 21<sup>st</sup> Feb'y 1898

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Dear Sir William

I am very greatly gratified by receipt of your valued favor of 18<sup>th</sup> inst., appreciated the more, because of the assurance it gives, encouraging the hope that Our loving Heavenly Father is dealing in mercy in bringing you as I sincerely trust, in the way of a restoration of health and strength. That this may be the case very many will rejoice and be very thankful thereof, and ardent desires in this direction will be offered from many loving hearts. Your letter to the Witness on liquor in the Klondike Country and permits to sell the same was very good and very timely. I hope it will have great weight with

the Government as it deserves to have.

There seems nothing very special to prevent such a law as kept liquor from the North West so long being enacted, and the law that keeps liquor from the Indians. It might be kept it from Indians it cannot be otherwise to prohibit it to others generally. The advance of prohibition is gaining, a very good article by Gen. G. Foster appeared in a late number of the Halifax Wreath.

Your very kind intention (WV) to carry on the design of republishing your Lectures on the "Times of Scripture" is very good. I fear to press the matter at this time may not be in harmony with your health. It may be undertaking more than you may have strength will to accomplish. I sincerely trust you may in no case overexert yourself in this connection. I would be very sorry if in so doing, injury might result to a retarding of your regaining desirable health & strength.

I have inquired about the



searched copy of the publication you  
refer to on the Mass of Scripture  
but regret so far without success. I  
hope to receive in a few days a work  
on this subject that will I think be gratifying  
to you. on receiving it I will have pleasure  
in placing it at your disposal

With kindest regards, and sincere  
desires for your early and full recovery  
and that all blessings may be given  
to you and all your loved ones

Yours  
C. M. Williamson  
Respectfully & Sincerely Yours  
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