

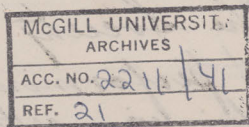
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Rockport. Larue  
Belfast

28. Dec. 1864

Mr. Gordon has been in my  
employment upwards of  
two years keeping books  
and Superintending drainage  
buildings &c and I have  
great pleasure in recommending  
him for such again —  
He can keep books very  
well

A. D. Crommelin J. P.



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The Chemical Agricultural Society  
of Ulster  
63 Upper Arthur St Belfast.  
Feb. 22. 1866

Mr A. Gordon has informed me  
that he is a Candidate for the Situation  
of Flax Instructor in India, and  
I have great pleasure in stating  
in favor of his application, that  
I have known him for several  
years, both during his studies  
in Queen's College and since he  
obtained his diploma, and that  
I consider him as a well informed  
steady and conscientious young  
man, and properly qualified for  
the office of Instructor. He has for  
some time been employed in the  
management of land in Antrim  
and possesses considerable experience  
in the practice of Agriculture.

The Society will find him capable  
of performing any duties committed  
to him in a satisfactory manner.

J. H. Hedges F. C. S.  
Professor of Agriculture in Q. C. C.

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Marlow Mills  
Ballymena

Feb 21. 1866

I am well acquainted  
with the bearer Alex<sup>r</sup> Gordon  
and have much pleasure in  
bearing testimony to his qualifications  
for the office of instructor  
in the propagation and  
management of flax. He was  
brought up with a practical  
knowledge of agriculture,  
and management of the flax  
crop in its different departments.

Robert Craig  
Spinner Bledcherie

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Larne  
Co. Ulster  
1 Juny. 1868

M<sup>r</sup> Gordon has been in our  
employment for three years —  
He was as Book keeper and  
Cashier most efficient and  
trustworthy —

During the last year  
he assisted in management  
of Spinning and Scutching  
mills in which he was very  
hard working and useful.

He will be found an able  
assistant

B. Maxwell & Co.