

having my leg steady for
writing. I obtain from
Mother ~~the~~ or Comment
especially as a letter written
with longing may accompany
"Sargina" with love phrases
to Emma. I to joining
my kind regards to Bronna
Issue me as her
your affectionate
Margaret.
19th 1886.

but before she had gone on
share. We had arranged to do so early
to have plenty of time for seeing its prin-
cipal streets & intending to go to Call upon
the Mr. Lewis, but before we started Mr.
McLean sent a message to the effect
that he was going to send a carriage
to give us a drive & finally to lunch with
them; this was rather embarrassing as
a party of four make a somewhat pro-
mildable array. however it finally adjust^{ed}

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Maunua

itself & we had a charming drive
 amongst the pines on the N.W. Arm—
 had early & hearty lunch at the Mr. Lewis
 & were back in ample time to watch the
 arrival of Halifax passengers. We left
 there with a fresh breeze which continued
 to gather force day by day until the
 "Lamia" equaled my "Polynesian" thus
 we tried to sail—nearly all were
 frustrated & dismayed—Oh my's! Could
 he heard from many of the Statoronic's,
 however by Thursday or Thursday night
 weather moderated & the air was halmy
 the course taken being very southerly
 & we have enjoyed sitting on deck &
 very much enjoyed a daily salt water
 bath. I have got through (for me) a good

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deal of reading, notably - Max Muller's
 "What does India teach us." I feel ready
 for a combat on Vedas & Rigveda's
 with any of his disciples. I have also
 got much most interesting & cheering
 information about the Missions of different
 Anommatious in B. Columbia. from Mr
 Greene, who is en route from Russ? Aines.
 The Gospel seems to have entered the hearts
 of multitudes of the different tribes in the North
ⁱⁿ Queen Alaska also a wonderful effect has
 been produced in some of the villages on
 a Southern point of Queen Charlotte Island,
 by a Christian Indian who went as missionary
 to them from the mainland. From Mr. S's account
 the entrance of the light has been as great &
 effectual as that accomplished by Mr. Geddie's
 mission to the South Sea. That work of

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iniquity — Bishop Ridley — the continued
to harass Mr. Dunkin's work at Metta-Hatta
Mr. D. is now in England pleading his own
case & a Commissioner has been appointed
to accompany him back to British Columbia
to inquire on the spot. All this however
will appear in print.

We have found Mr. Laflour agreeable —
modest & very gentlemanly. Mr. Adams & Clancy
is clear but looks self-asserting & blunt. Mr.
McCum is spoken of as — the Professor, but
his constant garrulousness betrays his want
of education & brings contempt on the pre-
fix. Altogether the time has passed agreeably,
at present we are coasting Ireland & tomorrow
we hope again to walk on thaly ground
but until that time all is blank as to our
doings. — ready to fall in with whatever
plan seems most suitable. So as I am tired