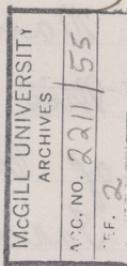


remaining £2. I am sorry I forgot
to tell you of this before
you came but there
is not nearly any heat
~~left~~ ^{left} & the furnace
has been ~~out~~ ^{out} & it
was sent in ~~return~~
~~last evening~~ ^{last evening} I got
very pleased letter of
Wednesday & am glad to hear
that you are making your
arrangements carefully, & that
you are taking an assistance
with you, upon whom I hope
you will lay all the minor
parts of the work. We go on
here as usual - the mill - sum-
mer-house & boat-truck are finished
& I am quite content to let all
other improvements be off until



my own good husband
 (whom after trying all the other
 people I find to be by far the
 best & most obedient of my boys)
 returns. Our first Scripture Reading
 on Wednesday eve. was fully attended
 still, as you predicted, we found
 ample room for all. Considering
 that none of us had studied the
 subject, with the help of Cal. Hutton
 & Mr. Janowes, we got on very nicely.
 For next Wednesday we have
 chosen as the subject - "The object of
 life".

By this morning's mail William
 has told me of his success, in
 getting the new Computer for the

Institution of Civil Engineers
Don't you think a native of
this might be made Capital
of towards helping for the
Toronto Chars. Of course this
again throws work upon you,
but what must we not
sacrifice for our children!
I named the matter to Mrs.
Wilson & she says that a
native shall be sent to the Toronto
"Globe". Did W. tell you that the
treatise which has gained him
the prize has been returned to him
with the request to reduce it to
two thirds of its present length
for publication - also to reduce
the drawings to suit the size
of this volume. This will keep
him busy during the rest of his

stay here & with his German
wife affair has little time either
for relaxation or to do any kind
service for the family. Do still
the parents have to work for the children
not the children for the parents.
& beyond all, in one family,
the Patre familias for all for
I the home to come upon job again
W. brought out from Tina Pettigrew
goods to the amount of £3. sterling
a portion of which was for Anna
which she has paid. I talk J. P.
at the time I sent for the things
that she not use the supplies of
£1, I think, that was in her father's
hands previous payment. So
if job have time on your return
from the Ottawa and job
please get a P. O. order for the