

295. University St.  
Montreal.

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Dear George,

I have been discussing with mamma the question of our "golden wedding". She seems very averse to saying anything about it, not wishing to suppose that her friends should suppose she is over 50. She has wanted now or then to have a photograph of herself & me in the library to give to the

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Members of the family  
and to give a cup of  
tea and a bit of cake  
to children & grand children  
reclining. Can you join  
us on the occasion? I do  
not know how far  
the approach of the  
Season may interfere with  
your getting away, but  
if you could be here  
even on Friday evening  
it would be a great pleasure

to us. I doubt if William  
or Florence can come,  
but if W. cannot get  
away, you might bring  
F. My inf feeling in the  
matter is that we have  
been permitted to help each  
other along lifes journey  
for so many years, for which  
we should be profoundly  
grateful. We want no gifts  
silver or otherwise, but are  
preparing to give the photographs  
to all the members of the

Jan. 1. Copies were sent  
by last mail to Rankine  
and Eva who are well  
at latest advices.

I am slowly regaining  
strength, but will not again  
be as strong as last year.  
My recent attack has however  
given me a hint as to  
the precautions to sustain  
health, some of which I  
have been neglecting, not  
having been accustomed to care  
much for myself.

Ever yours

J. M. Dawson