

Letter
to July 1856
Cowan & Co

McGILL UNIVERSITY ARCHIVES
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16 May

17 Princes Street,

Edinburgh 4th July 1856

Miss. Sa^d Dawson & Son

Pictou

Dear Sirs

We have to thank you for
your favor of 17th ult. covering Remittance
of £25. - with is placed to your credit.
We beg also to hand you MacLachlan
Stewart & Co's of receipt - 187 - to your
debit -

We regret that your first order
came to hand too late for W Whyte & Co's
parcel & also for all the Spring ships
to your port. it has therefore been waiting
here until now -

We purpose sending
it now via Halifax, because we learn
that there are no vessels for Pictou
until August - which we fear will
be much too late for you -

We are Dear Sirs

Yours truly

Courant & Co.
& W Simpson