



Pictou 23 Nov 1858

James Dawson Esq

Dear Sir,

Our mutual friend Mr Matheson asks me to acknowledge your letter to him respecting the Canadian Mission, and to enclose £5 as his contribution thereto, which please acknowledge to himself.

I have collected £12.10/- from Mr Blackadar, which with the £5 previously paid makes £17.10.0 which I have agreed to accept in discharge of her years rent. I have rented the red store to James Rankin 1 year £5 —  $\frac{1}{2}$  the upstairs where Mr Blackadar was to Mitchell McDonald 40/- per quarter, and the other half to Griffiths @ 40/- per quarter making all now rented - Will send account at close of year - With best respects.

Yours Truly James Kimbale