

Attawa

7th May 1868.

Dear Doctor Dawson

Mr. Dickinson was late at the House last night & consequently late this morning & has had to go out as soon as he had breakfasted to a Committee meeting, & the rest of the day will be taken up with the two sittings. He is improving a little I think, but is not very fit for work yet, & his sight continues very troublesome.

He desires me to acknowledge your letter of the 5th received yesterday, & to assure you the subject of it has his most serious attention.

The reports of the speeches in the House will not give you a

very correct idea of what
papers there. Mr. Dunkin thinks
the Government are desirous to
meet the views of the Nova
Scotians. When the Nova Scotian
resolutions, which you mentioned,
were under discussion Mr. Dunkin
spoke very earnestly, & in a very
conciliating spirit; but not one word
of the most important part of his
speech was reported!

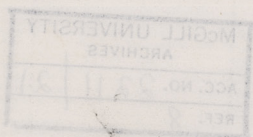
Mr. Dunkin was sorry that
he could not have attended Convo-
cation. I suppose he will be
here for another fortnight, and it
is doubtful whether he will then
be able to go home before returning
to Lunenburg.

I am sure Emma must
have enjoyed her visit to Mr. Dawson

This week, but I presume she
will have left for home when this
reaches you.

With affectionate remembrances
to Mrs Dawson believe me

Yours truly
Mary Dunkin.



*C. Decker
May 18*

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