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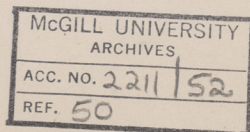
My Dear Dr Dawson

By the death of du Gibbon
the Science Master in the Ottawa
Normal School of this Province
that appointment is vacant.

The salary I think is
\$1600 per ann. possibly more.

It is scarcely such an appoint-
-ment as I should think
of naming as suitable
for du George; but it
can do no harm to let
you know of it.

du Gibbon died suddenly



only two days ago; so
that no time is lost.

The appointment will
rest with Mr. Adams (now
Minister of Education,
with whom I think I
have some influence.

Considerable importance
will be attached to
Chemistry; so that it
will be well to direct
attention to testimonials
in that direction, if any
thing is thought of this.

If however, Mr. Gorse

should consider the
post wholly unworthy
of consideration, I
hope he will not
regard my naming it
as any slight on his
abilities & acquirements.

I thought it could do
no harm to give you
the earliest notice of
any vacancy that
occurred.

Yours faithfully

Sam. Wilson

