

Dear Dr Dawson,

I have just heard
that Lynch still proposes to consult
the Protestant Committee, as to the
success of Miles, but alas, that having
the nomination in his own hands, he
is decided in favour of Hether. If this
is according to your wishes, I have
no more to say. But I understand
you to be unfavourable to that ap-
pointment, and perhaps in that
case, it would be well to have an early
meeting of the Committee, to take the
whole matter into consideration.

I thank, for my part, that after the
work done by Deir, and so long done,
it will be ungracious in the Committee
to allow another person, to take his place,
without urging his claim to the
situation of Dr Miles. Perhaps he might
occupy his place in Morris College. Perhaps

That might not be found necessary.
I do not think it at all likely
that we should find any one to
well qualified for our work, and
you are of the same mind, I think
his appointment might be carried
at all events I think there should
be an early meeting of Committee
Please let me know - and we could
have it called

Yours Truly
John Cook
Quebec 13th April 1861

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