

In A. Lawphill

Ottawa, 9 Oct: 1882.

Dear Sir,

I notice that you have been celebrating the 50th Anniversary of McGill College. In some of the speeches I have observed that the year 1827 was spoken of as that in which the College was opened, but owing to several years of non use of the Charter the present year is reckoned as the 50th of the actual working of the College.

My father resided in Montreal between 1824 and

1830, and I find an entry by
him in our family Bible
of which I enclose you a
copy. He was a surgeon,
and a contemporary whilst
in Montreal and friend of
Mr Stephenson, Robertson,
Caldwell, Robnes and
the elder Arnoldi, all
of whom I myself recollect.

I am,

Dear Sir,

Truly Yours,

A. Campbell

J. W. Dawson,

L. L. D.
Principal of McGill College,
Montreal.