

1435 St. Catharines Street

Thurs. 13th March 1873

My Dear Sir William

The Ladies of the Dilling Workers Society, whom I met yesterday, desire me to convey to you their thanks for your timely donation to their funds. They have assumed the responsibility of \$150⁰⁰ of Mr. McLeod's salary, and are depending largely upon what they may be able to make out of a course of lectures, which, in terms of your note, they have decided to postpone till the Autumn. The only difficulty about this is that our mission-ary's salary needs to be paid as the year advances and most of our sources of revenue are only available at or towards the end of the year.

We will be very glad if you find yourself able to assist us in this

matter. I am feeling more and more
that Dr McLeod is a most blessed
and encouraging work.

You will be pleased to learn that
the managers have succeeded in re-
negotiating a new and smaller loan of
\$3000 at 6 instead of 8 percent on
the Church - and that of this \$3000, some
\$2000 are promised - though not just
yet available. It has been decided
to hold the Annual Social gathering
of the congregation (which was de-
ferred until this matter would be
adjusted) on Friday Evg. 20th inst.

It would be very helpful to us if you
could be present and give a few words
of address. Enclosed please find
tickets which have just been issued.

Sincerely yours

James McLeod

Mr. Case

Nov 1852