

EARNSCLIFFE,

OTTAWA.

Private

Oct 21/85

Dear Sir William

I have yours of yesterday
Mr Comptroller the permanent
head of the finance ^{Dept} has
returned from England. He
says that Cherriman's
appointment proved to
be almost a sinecure
and that Govt would
not be justified in continuing
the office at the same
salary. His present
opinion is that an officer
of the Dept duly qualified
should do the insurance
work in addition to other

stated. He will
report on the subject
fully to Council and
as he is responsible for
the efficient working of
the Department, his opinion
will naturally have great
weight. He may find
reason however to modify
his opinion, and I will
inform you privately how the case
now stands, so that you
may not look too
confidently to the app^t
Gives faithfully
I am Dear Sir
Sir H. Dawson

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