



Ottawa,
10th June, 1886

Dear Sir William,

Many thanks for your
long letter with respect to the
position and prospects of
the Royal Society. I am
entirely in accord with
everything you say.

I think we shall have
plenty of copy in a few days.
I am hurrying up the Secretaries.

We should make an
effort for a good meeting

Next spring. The Railway
fares are always reasonable
and we can expect them to be.
We should offer hospitalities
to delegates from Foreign
Societies next time. Perhaps
some one will care out.

I am of opinion that
our printing arrangements
are too expensive. It should
be remembered that one copy
is sent to each member.

Yours sincerely,
Prof. Powell

August
1878