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Dear Sir William

I thank you
very sincerely for your
kind thought in sending
me 'Eclaire Lost & Won'. I was
away from home when
it came, so that I have

Just received it, and
have read the latter
half with eager interest.
It is a subject that
is always absorbing
and your opinion
must carry great weight.
I will read the book
again from the beginning.

with careful interest.

In speaking to literary people I am always proud to mention yours among the books that Canada has produced, for I know that at your name will always come a look of assured recognition on all faces.

which is not accorded
to any other Canadian.

If my own work was
not of so small a sort
I would gladly acknowledge
your kindness with a copy
of my last story, published
to-day, but - I will rather
wait - till I learn to do some
- thing better, when perhaps
you will accept a volume from me.
Will you kindly give my
to Lady Mansour.
I am yours faithfully
L. Douglass