

Fauldau

8 Merchiston Avenue

Edin^g

31st July 1866

Dear Sir William Dawson

I was sorry for the
Contempt, which deprived
me of the pleasure of calling on
you at Perth. After being
present there at the Students
Conference which I addressed,
was compelled to return home,
without remaining to take part
in the larger Convention as I had
hoped. I had answered your
first letter to the address I
am now using, & hope your
Perth letter reached me.
Then, I telegraphed to Perth.

but I fear did not make any
meaning very plain. I write
now to say, that from Tuesday of
next week onwards I shall
be continuously at home here,
I should be greatly pleased to
meet you, if you are passing
through Edin: any time during
August, but we might talk
over the matter of which you
write. I need not say how
much I should esteem the
honour of pleasure of an inter-
-view. Believe me

Yours most kind regard

Maidman

