



Winnipeg. Monday April 17th

Dear Father,

I have thought
best to forward the list
of drugs & surgical
appliances, which I shall
require, to you, & to ask
you if you will be so good
as to see Mr Lyman
about it, as I think he
may give more attention
to it thus. Some of the
surgical appliances he may
not have, but if he un-
dertakes the order he
must obtain these himself
I be responsible to me for

2) The whole as it stands
If he makes any
objections or trouble please
give it to Kenneth Campbell
who will I know do it for
me & do it well. In either
case I shall expect a
liberal discount on an
order of this kind. The
whole will require to be put
through as rapidly as possible
& forwarded to me in Winnipeg
if possible with some one
coming as extra baggage which
is the only sure or quick way
if not by express. The fitting
of the bottles &c. into a suitable
box will be the only troublesome
part as everything will need
to be accessible in racks or
trays and at the same time
in a suitable condition for
carrying without much
packing. The requirements will
be as follows :-

Of I got here this morning
at about 10 o'clock I was
fortunate in securing quarters
at Grand Union. Address
anything to club here as
P.O. is utterly useless & the
general delivery involves several
hours wait in a crowd of
emigrants &c. Winnipeg is
much altered, marvellously so.
I have seen Mrs. Free, D^r Baynes
& O'Hara, Lewis, D^r Kerr, Paterson
who leaves for Coak tonight, Mr. Van
Mr. D. Smith, D^r Beers,
Horne, Galt with whom I dine
tomorrow & a host of others. Galt
is doing remarkably well & seems
much pleased with his position
& prospects. He & his cousin have
taken a house together. I shall
be here for about a week or ten
days probably although I may
take a run along the line
eastward which I can do at
discretion having an
unlimited pass all over the C.P.R.
Weather here is now mild &
spring like & almost all

Snow is gone. Ranhine
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With very kind remem-
brances to all

Your affec. son
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