



Margaret

Cacouna July 12<sup>th</sup>  
Tuesday

Dearest William

Miss Lum

Called this morning with a copy  
of the new <sup>educational</sup> Circular, hoping to have  
seen you as well as Mr. As we had  
not spoken much about this educational  
question & Mrs. Simpson did not  
expect you in Montreal until  
Saturday. I thought it best to telegraph  
to her that you would be there tonight.  
That she might hasten the writing  
of the report, that you might see  
it as well as well as the Circular  
before you left.

In the second line of the first



clause of the Circular ought not to read: "of a higher Education". In the third: "The opening lectures of each Course is free to all ladies".

I think it will be all important to mention the Subjects of the lectures.

Do you think the additional privilege accorded to the wives of Clergymen may be displeasing to the wives of other professional men, many of these equally unable to pay & generally more intelligent women.

These remarks are of course for you alone I should not write so freely to Mrs Simpson. As I return the copy of the Circular through you I shall not write to her at all.

Should you see the Report before you have please tell me what you think of it to Mrs Simpson



Sends a Copy for my approval.  
your opinion will at least guide  
mine.

I shall look in the papers for the  
times of the sailing of those lower  
Province boats & write addressing to  
Charlotte Town regularly. Adieu  
Goodbye. I pray for a blessing on  
you & on the object of your journey  
& hope you may return rejoicing  
bringing shoes with you.

Believe me

Yours affectionately loving

Maryann.