

McGILL UNIVERSITY ARCHIVES
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Murray Bay  
August 4<sup>th</sup>

Dearest papa, I did not  
intend to write to you today  
but I received a letter from  
Lorraine containing an in-  
vitation for you to go over  
there to see Dr. Mc Cash, I  
will write to Miss Susan, thank  
her, & tell her when you will  
be down, leaving the rest to  
you, I don't know whether  
you are very anxious to see  
the said gentleman, but if  
you are why could he not  
come over here, & see you, we  
would have plenty of room  
when the carpenters are gone  
I wish you could tell us  
definitely when to expect  
you, I will not write again  
as there is no mail till Satur-  
day night, & that would be  
too late if you left Queen on  
Monday, I went to the boat

on Wednesday half expecting  
Mr. Baynes to arrive, I will  
go on Friday, & if he does not  
come then, I will conclude  
that he prefers the Gallician  
spring, or some such place.  
Mrs. L. is quite well  
now, she went out with  
me this morning, & worked  
while we. I sketched & the  
children amused themselves.  
Mr. Way was painting me,  
but he came & gave me a  
little lesson, but I have  
learned much more from  
Mr. Leunt. Mr. W. does not  
seem to possess the gift of  
imparting his knowledge.

Please give my love  
to Mrs. Baynes & C. H. - I have  
received no English letters this  
mail, is it not strange? Is  
Alfred still in town, you  
do not mention him.

With best love  
Yours ever

Anna