

Glasgow July 24, 1841

It there's the postman, that's a letter
from Mr. Dawson & it is, and you
may be thankful that it is not a
sheet of blank paper, for there are
no adventures to be found in travelling
in these times. I got to Glasgow without
even a railway accident, and found my
way easily to Mrs. Wilson's, but she will
not find me a very profitable lodger, for
before I had been in Glasgow two hours, I had
two invitations from friends of my father's
to live with them during my stay here.
— I have not escaped the manie of coming
to Glasgow, for at the house where I am
there are two young ladies who play both
on the piano forte & accordion. One of
them touches off some of Strauss's waltzes
beautifully — Glasgow is a much more

beautiful place, - not than Edinburgh
or don't be jealous - but than I expected -
It is a bustling place, more like an Amer-
ican town than Edinburgh - Tell your
father that I called upon Mr. Adell and
that he is able & willing to give me all the
information I require -

I believe I have nothing more to say
about myself, and I have no time to
be positive or sentimental; so I shall
not trouble you to spell any more of my
bonid screwing. With the hope then
that you & Miss Manay will not be
very dull in consequence of wanting
my pleasant company for the long space
of three days, I am that "good creature"
I remain

February 14th

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