



McGill College,  
Montreal,

July 16/69

Dearest Margaret,

We arrived safe  
this morning, in the midst  
of rain, which went  
on all the forenoon  
in a regular pour. Since  
that I managed to  
make some purchases  
for you; and sent by  
steamer this evening,  
a box Croquet, William's Hat,  
suit of clothes, medicines,  
tea (as packing in the box)  
and a mouse trap  
& dictionary & almanach  
for William and two

sinners for Rankine.  
The whole packed  
in one box I shall  
put in the same  
box 2 doz 8<sup>h</sup> hymns  
books for the Sunday  
School. You may keep  
some for your servant's  
clap if you like. I think  
you will say it is a  
well = packed box. There  
will also be a few  
papers to fill up.  
We passed all ~~well~~  
at the house, and  
the garden in good

order. Mr. Byrnes  
was at home and  
we are getting a  
number of college  
matters to-day. Miss  
Coker rather sleeping,  
and I almost wished  
to send her to  
Murray Bay, but  
can't till I  
return; when if  
you think well  
I shall take her  
down for a time.  
Jane told that  
Ceil, Dimp, and

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Work here all gone  
to Murray Bay to keep  
Inchule's Hall. You  
will have a merry  
time of it. The  
boats came all  
right. I gave 1 sh  
to Mrs. Baynes, and  
6 to St Reddy, and kept  
4 for ourselves.

Send me a news  
about the medicine  
for Anna, which I think  
you will understand.

I have an advertisement  
of the Witness and send  
you the Bill.

Serge will write  
more news  
With love to all  
Yours William