

Victoria B.C.

March 4. 1876

My dear Walter,

I enclose William's
letter for return as requested, &
much obliged for the one yet.

I had intended to write you at
some length in answer to all
letters received, but as usual find
myself tired of writing now

but our business letters are disposed
of. I am sending you today a
lot of packages for the exhibition
which will nearly complete the

business, & I hope soon to
be happily relieved from it -

The weather begins to show signs
of improvement. I saw a bank
quite covered with daisies in
flower a few days ago. - The
Common Old County daisy which

has run wild here. Gorse &
broom Tox also become naturalized,
& the former is already in
flower.

With regard to the \$400 or \$500
I quite want it, I assure
you, & think the piano just
the thing, & hope you will make

the necessary arrangements
as you see best.

I gave a short-lecture here the
other night to the Young Men
Christians Associated! It
went-off well enough, but-I
felt rather ashamed of appearing
in that connection, & will not be
over-persuaded to do so again,
leaving not yet got to the point
of looking with as great complacency
on that, as I do on some
other evils.

Williams letter I hardly could
understand as he mentions
all sorts of places & people I

never heard of before, as story is
of familiar from childhood.

With love & all, & congratulations
to you on her exams.

Your affectionate son
George.

Done on Tuesday.

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