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293 University St
Montreal.

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Dear George,

Thank you for your
kind letter of last week.
Weakness & bad weather
have prevented me from
doing anything with "Salient
Points" since my return, &
I had even ^{hoped} to have you
here to look matters over
with Rankine before he leaves.
He now speaks, however,
of sailing by SS Bavarian
on Wedy Morning, which gives
me time to commence

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With you by letter, I shall
ask him to telephone to-day
and to see if you can
come down day to-morrow

(Thursday) p.m. If not
I must write & tell you
about I have said to
R about the Biography ^{Ms. S}
which seems ^{the} most
urgent in view of my ^{probable}
early decease

As to this Biography
The box with the Ms is here
& will be delivered to you
when you come. R promises
to give any aid he can
in editing. Please obtain

business that in such
matters promptness is a
vital point, and a
publisher should at
me be engaged for I
should, for obvious reasons,
prefer Hodder & Stoughton,
you see no doubt be
able to help mamma when
I am gone if not before,
and I hope you and
all the others will be
most cordial & generous
to her - and to me another,
as far as my small means
permit.

I pray dear George that
God, who has been so
good to us heretofore, may
follow you with his richest
blessings and among these
I place first that of
a spiritual and eternal
kind.

Love to William Francis
and the children, congratulating
the order of their success
in the medical competition
we has witnessed.

Love from Mother & R

Ever yours

John Dawson