

To Ireland,
4/6 P.O.

S.S. Fenian,
Latter Point,
June 21/84

Dear Rankine,

I do not suppose
that this will reach
you in London; but as
I am making the shore
about the time you
will be leaving it, I
think it well to send
you a line, and to
wish you bon voyage.
We have had a short
enough voyage, but with
strong head wind all

the way across, and
pretty cold weather.

I quite forgot to tell
you in my last that
your traps had ar-
rived at Rock Ferry,
and will be sold
for the benefit of the
Bureau. I took speci-
mens of each kind
for the children at
home, and as they
are ingenious and
probably new to them

I have no doubt they
will commend Uncle
Rawkin's choice.

I did not think
of asking you if you
care to have Canadian
news. I suppose it
will be useless to
send papers regularly,
but if anything in-
teresting occurs, I may
send one now and
then.

Please write to some
of us from all your

Stopping places. We
shall always have
glad hearts when we
hear of your ever
improved welfare, and
will sympathize at least,
if we cannot help, should
anything go wrong.

Ever your aff^r
fectuate Father
J. Dawson

