

George Danks
to Rantline

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Rideau Club,
Ottawa.

I think of going down I intended
on Tuesday (23rd) to spend
Christmas, & may have to go
from there to Washington to a
meeting of the Geol. Soc. of America
before I return. They elect me
a member of the Council & the
Secretary complains that he can
never get a quorum.

My geography of Canada of
which you speak is to be very
help for small book, for which
Prof Sutherland of Melbourne
is writing the other help. It
is to include the British Colonies

generally. I get very little
time to work at it, but hope to
get it through in a couple of
months. What progress my
coworker is making I do
not know.

I take the Imp. Fed. Journal to
which I am deputy & sometimes
read it when I get time. I fear
Canada makes more of a show
in the Journal than it does in
fact in the movement. Something
pressing is required to bring
matters to an issue for printers
X will never do it. My
own idea is that we have about
twenty years fighting in the

X

old style to do over the
world to clear the air &
that the sooner Britain pulls
up her heels by two or three miles
& gets ready for it - the better.

The peace & prosperity of the
present generation cost several
hundred thousand men & some
hundreds of millions of pounds
during the Crimean war &
people are beginning to forget that
another fruit time will probably
cost not less.

Yours

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