

A. Careadish Bradshaws Collection

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My Dear Mr. Mackinnon

Friday

I received your letter of the 28<sup>th</sup> this morning  
& was tantamountly commended that office  
which gratifies me more than the most bene-  
-fice place any Government could give me.  
Confidentially & Secretly I have communi-  
-cated with each individual & those that  
I know would vote against us. There  
said nothing -

Mr. Ponsonby & Mr. George Ponsonby (the latter  
in the midst of his law business) have  
determined to sail to night; they are  
warm & powerful friends. —

B. Dayly, Falkener & Hamerton, Matthew  
two La Touche's, Mr. Somerville, Mr. Hume  
have promised me they will sail  
tomorrow night. —

I have written Mr. Ormonde to send his  
brothers —

I shall most affiduously persevere in  
my career with the direction —

as to myself my Dear Friend I do  
not consider my Interest one  
moment when put in competition  
with any service I can be of to  
the best of human beings —

If my coming into Parliament  
will be of use purchase the seat  
at any price — but let there be a  
clause in case I vacate to bring in  
a friend in my place during the  
Parliament or purchase at a larger  
price for a term of years.

I say every thing I wish to be attached  
from me to a certain person —  
I shall attend to all your orders  
with heart & soul —

I send you by this Post a statement  
of

A. Careadish Bradshaw to Col. Jackson -

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my own grievances which remain  
at your service

Your Obedient Servant  
Wm. Careadish Bradshaw

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Col. M<sup>c</sup> Jackson  
Ct. Va.

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J. F. Chamberlain

Sept 26. 1884.