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MONTREAL

10 September 1970

Dear Mrs. Winslow-Spragge:

I received from Professor C.W. Stearn, Chairman, Geological Sciences a copy of a letter dated Berkeley, December 18, 1907. It doesn't copy well on the Xerox machine, but I thought you would be interested in a typed copy which is enclosed along with a copy of the letter transmitting it. The item has been given our accession no. 1086.

Yours truly,

John Andreassen
John Andreassen
University Archivist

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Mrs. Lois Winslow-Spragge
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Sept. 4, 1970

The University Archivist,
Administration Building,
McGill University.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing a letter which was recently found in one of our laboratories with an old collection from A. C. Lawson of the University of California to Dr. F. D. Adams, former acting Principal at McGill, dated 1907. I presume that you have some of Adams' papers on file, and thought you might like to add this letter to them. Lawson, one of the distinguished American geologists of the late 19th and early 20th century, was also, I believe, a graduate of McGill.

Yours sincerely,

C. W. Stearn
Chairman, Geological
Sciences

CWS:pl
Encl.

BERKELEY, December 18, 1907

Professor Frank D. Adams,
McGill University,
Montreal, Canada.

My dear Adams:

It will afford me great pleasure to send you under separate cover a sample of carmeloite containing representative pieces of Iddingsite. I should be glad to send you my original slides, but unfortunately I sent these some years ago to Iddings, who wished to see them.

I was very sorry to see in the papers the account of Farrington's death. You have lost a fine man, and I extend to you my sincerest sympathy. I had the pleasure of sitting under Farrington in mineralogy many years ago, and always entertained the warmest feelings for him. You will have difficulty in getting so good a man to succeed him.

Wishing you a very merry Christmas and a Happy New Year,
I am,

Yours very sincerely,

Andrew C. Lawson

(Copy)

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Geology And Mineralogy

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Wishing you a very merry Christmas and a Happy New Year,
I am,

Yours very sincerely,

(signed) Andrew C. Lawson

(mirrored) Virginia C. Lawson

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My best regards.

Very truly,

Virginia C. Lawson

Professor of English

*Letter from Lawson, California to Dr Adams-McGill -
Speaks well of B.F.H. — December 18, 1891*

This sent to McGill Archives by C.W. Stearn

Virginia C. Lawson

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