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U. S. Geological and Geographical  
Survey of the Territories,

Washington Feb 22, 1879.

My Dear Sir

Your kind letter  
to me with enclosure. came  
safe. All is good. Your  
reputation is well known  
to the President, I thank  
you most cordially for  
your kindness - The  
bill has not yet passed  
and may fail. but  
I think it will succeed.  
If it does, our geological  
work will rest on the basis  
of statute law.

To Mr  
F. W. Dawson

Yours most truly  
F. W. Hayden

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