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MONTREAL MEETINGS, August 21 and 22, 1882.

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF

HIS HONOR Lt.-Governor ROBITAILLE, of Quebec.

Montreal, July 31st 1882.

W^c J. W. Dawson, L. L. D.

Dear Sir:

At a Forestry Convention, held at Cincinnati, O., in April last, an organization was formed under the name of the "AMERICAN FORESTRY CONGRESS." It will hold a meeting at **MONTREAL**, on the **21st** and **22nd** days of **AUGUST**.

Can you not be present at this Forestry meeting, and if possible, communicate a paper upon some subject relating to Forestry—sending its title before the date of meeting, in order to be properly classified?

You would further oblige if you could send me the names of any persons who might contribute papers, or be likely to attend, in order that invitations may be addressed to them.

Kindly let me know as early as possible if you can attend the meeting.

Yours truly,

WILLIAM LITTLE,

Vice-President,

132 ST. JAMES STREET, MONTREAL, CANADA.

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will be read at the meeting, in order to be properly classified?
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persons who might contribute papers, or be likely to attend, in order
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Kindly let me know in reply, as far as possible, if you can attend the
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Yours truly,
WILLIAM LITTLE,
Secretary.

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MONTREAL MEETING, AUGUST 21ST & 22ND, 1882.

Those gentlemen who have been invited, and who have not already signified their intention of being present, are particularly requested to do so at the earliest moment; those who purpose contributing *Papers*, would greatly oblige by sending the subject matter of such papers. It is further urged on those gentlemen who are interested in the subject of Forestry to send at once the names of such persons in their neighbourhood as evince a similar interest, that invitations may also be issued to them.

The sole object of these meetings being the discussion of subjects vital to the interests of this Continent, anything of a holiday or festive nature being attached to their proceedings is not to be expected.

Among the more prominent subjects to be brought under discussion are the following:—

How to conserve existing forests.

The best methods of working timber-lands in the interests of the holders, of the public, and of the revenue.

The duties of Governments in regard to Forestry.

How to promote the extension of timber bearing lands in districts where timber is scarce, and how best to introduce it into the treeless regions of the West.

The protection of forests from fire.

The necessity for special instruction in Forestry.

The best trees to plant for commercial, climatic, sanitary and ornamental purposes.

Forests in their relation to the water supply.

Utility of roadside planting.

Shade tree planting for towns.

Fruit tree cultivation.

Climatology and Forestry.

Members of the AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE will, on arrival in Montreal, report at the Offices of that Association, at the Windsor Hotel. Members of the FORESTRY CONGRESS who do not belong to the former Association, and who have not secured accommodation elsewhere, will register at the St. Lawrence Hall.

The Committee Rooms of the Forestry Congress are at the *Forestry Chambers*, 132, St. James Street, opposite the St. Lawrence Hall, where all information can be obtained. The Meetings of the various Sections of the Congress will be held at the *Chambers*.

The Address of the President and other important ones will be given at the Queen's Hall during the evenings.

With the view of promoting the success of the good work undertaken by the Congress, the following Railway Companies have generously offered to convey persons desirous of attending the Montreal Meeting on the following terms:—THE GRAND TRUNK, GREAT WESTERN, VERMONT CENTRAL, and DELAWARE & HUDSON will issue single tickets to Montreal at half rate, or return tickets, for the same place, at single fare, as may be desired; good to start from 12th to 22nd August, good to return up to 10th September. THE INTERCOLONIAL, CANADIAN PACIFIC, and SOUTH EASTERN, will issue tickets to Montreal and return at a single fare; good to start from 15th to 22nd, and to return up to 30th August. THE NORTH SHORE will issue tickets for the round trip at a single fare, from the 15th to 22nd, and to return up to 28th August. THE DETROIT, GRAND HAVEN & MILWAUKEE, and FLINT & PERE MARQUETTE Railways will issue round trip tickets at one fare and a third, and allow reasonable time for the journey. THE CINCINNATI SOUTHERN, (C. N. O., & T. P. R. Co.,) will make favorable rates for round trip tickets over its line.

The RICHELIEU AND ONTARIO NAVIGATION COMPANY will issue tickets good from 12th August to 15th September, at a half fare for the single trip to Montreal, or a single fare for the round trip, from all ports at which they call between Hamilton and Quebec. (Meals or Staterooms not included.)

The above tickets will be granted only upon presentation of Certificate signed or stamped by WILLIAM LITTLE.

It is well to remark, however, that round trip tickets at excursion rates are granted on most lines, thus enabling most persons living at a distance to reach the Canadian frontier where they can obtain the reduced rates to Montreal. The Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee is good from Milwaukee; The Delaware & Hudson from Binghamton, Scranton and Albany; The Vermont Central from Boston and other New England Points.

The rates per day at the principal Hotels are:—WINDSOR, \$3.50 to \$5.00, table board \$2.50; ST. LAWRENCE HALL, \$2.50 to \$3.50; CANADA, and ST. JAMES, \$1.50 to \$2.00; RICHELIEU, ALBION, and AMERICAN, \$1.50.

The ANNUAL MEETING of the AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE will be held at Montreal, beginning August 23rd.

The AMERICAN FORESTRY ASSOCIATION and the SOCIETY FOR THE PROMOTION OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE will hold meetings at Montreal on the 21st and 22nd August.

All communications should be addressed to the AMERICAN FORESTRY CONGRESS, FORESTRY CHAMBERS, MONTREAL.

WILLIAM LITTLE, VICE-PRESIDENT.