

Natural History Society.

“SOMMERVILLE LECTURES.”

Montreal, ..... 188

Sir,

I am instructed by the Lecture Committee of the Natural History Society to invite you to deliver one of the Public Lectures of the “Sommerville Course,” to be given during the months of February and March, of the present Session.

Should you be able to favor the Society, I shall be glad to make early arrangements with you in fixing the date and the subject of your Lecture.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient Servant,

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Edwards

Lang 19. 1883.

My dear Dr Dawson,

Simply to your note of last last  
they report that I have replies  
of acceptance from

1 Dr Wankley, Life Forces in Health  
& Disease - Feb 2

2 Dr Robert Bell Ottawa

The Arthabaska & McKenzie Basin

3. Dr Robert Campbell (St. Gabriel Ch)  
The life & writings of Darwin

(4) (1883) "On Education in the  
Province of Quebec" by Nelson  
+ Crown, MA. Oyon. late of  
High School now BC Lesmoussier

(5) requests by Major Latour -  
lecture by W de Baudry Beauport

6. Principal Dawson

On "New Facts in relation to  
Man's place in nature -

Not heard from

Dr. Terry Hunt.

Dr. Jm Dawson.

McLeod + Prof Johnson.

Hon. J. Fortin M.P.

Dr. Hington.

Thomas Macfarlane

For accept Mr Prower's lecture

have no doubt we can fill

the list without imposing upon

you, but our <sup>programme</sup> ~~list~~ would be

~~rather~~ stronger if Dr Hunt or

Prof Johnson would take up your

business. Mr Cotts tells me



that the furnaces are out of  
order so that we cannot open  
the Museum unless something is  
done. I shall request the House  
Committee to report upon this  
& meet early as you suggest -  
A delegate to the C.F.R.S. should  
be appointed - I would suggest  
Major Latour to that Office -  
A petition for reduction of  
duties on Microscopes & Scientific  
Instruments will also be submitted  
We expect Dr Hunt's paper on  
the Paconic Controversy for  
our Jan'y meeting -

Yours truly

Walter Edwards