

Evans

Ash Mills,
Hemel Hempstead.

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Dear Sir William

I must send
you a few lines of
thanks for the copy
of your Egypt & Syria
which has been sent
me in your name.
I am much obliged
for your kind remem-
brance of me, though
I am rather sorry to
see that our little
discussion about the

Egyptian flakes has
not brought us into
absolute accordance
I was at the Aberdeen
meeting of the British
Association, and at
the meeting of the
General Committee
I had the privilege
of proposing you
for election as our
President next year
at Birmingham.
I need not say that
the proposal was

unanimously carried
I hope that we shall
have the pleasure
of meeting you, if
not here, at all events
at Birmingham -
There is a probability
of the International
Congress of Prehistoric
Archaeology being
held next year at
Athens, and of all
possibilities I hope to
be present - This may
possibly prevent my
being at Birmingham

but I hope that the
attendance at both
meetings may not
be impossible - I hope
that affairs are
settling themselves
in Montreal and
that the small pox
epidemic is dying
out - With our united
kind remembrances
to Lady Dawson &
Miss Dawson believe
me
Yours most truly
John Evans