

Little Notes

July 8, 1887

Dear Mr Peterson,

I was glad
to learn from my son,
before I left town that
you are proposing to make
some changes which will
improve his position and
which I hope will also
strengthen your hands
in the work of your
department. He is I
know very earnest in
his wish to do his

J. G. Belton

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duty to the best of
his ability, and
I am sure will use
well any facilities
that may be given
him more especially in
the work of bridges
designing & which
he wishes if possible
to devote himself
as a specialty.

I need not say

to
Adm

~~My dear~~ that I shall regard as
a great favour any
improvement in his
position you may be
able to make, and
I feel that such change
could scarcely fail to
be beneficial to the
interests of the Com²
pany

With thanks for
your kindness

I remain
Yours sincerely
Wm Dawson

to

Bellevue

Wash D.C.

I have the honor to
 acknowledge the receipt of
 your letter of the 10th inst.
 in relation to the
 proposed amendment to
 the Constitution of the
 District of Columbia
 and in reply to inform
 you that the same has
 been referred to the
 Committee on the
 subject of the

very
 truly
 yours
 Wm. Lawrence
 Secretary