

University of Georgia.

Athens Ga. Oct 25

My Dear Sir.

Three years ago I was asked to come here, but as at that time Botany was attached to the Chair of Zoology, I declined. Last Summer Biology and Zoology were separated, and I was called to the Chair of Biology and accepted. I remained at field work until the end of September. I like my change very much. Of course there is a great deal of work that must be done, but in a little while I hope to have surroundings that will be as I think they ought

I presume that it is all right. Thanks
you for the note. I did not get Mr
Whitman's letter regarding the program
back until the Royal Society (it was mis-
carried or moved after being sent from
London), until October, although sent
in June - thus making it too late for the
year. But we have since been very
working up results for some time.
My business was the Woodhead, but the
the principal contractor goes on by credit
Mr. Clendenning who was given in the
prices with me and you.

Yours faithfully

Sir Mr Dawson & N.S. Co.

J. W. Thomson

With what I find here, with
Athens and with the
people I am very much
pleased. I somewhat
dread the long summer,
although the heat is not
excessive as we are here.

I expect also to be appointed
State geologist, but don't
want it just yet as I
~~want~~ to put in another
summer in working out
the relation of the Beaches
of the Lake region with
the marine deposits of L.
Chaplain. and some other questions.
Early in Sept. I returned the
level to Prof. McLeod
requesting him to examine
the instrument and
stating that I would be
responsible for it. I have
not heard from him since.

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