

Murray Bay

Aug 17, 1877.

(Friday)

My dear Father

I have been doing some of the work that you asked me to do, and find it very interesting indeed. I always was interested in the physical features of countries & the changes they have gone through. It is sometimes a little difficult to make out exactly the point which should be taken for the top of the terrace, as they are often sloping or cut away.

I have taken the levels on this side and on the other behind Col. Preves. Over there, they are very distinct but here a little less so. I have also been to Petit Lac yesterday, and got a pretty satisfactory set of levels there. I have found out a way of almost entirely eliminating the effect of the weather by means of double observations.

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I called on Dr. McCaul, & found him very pleasant. He invited me to tea on Tuesday evening. There is a Mr. McDonald a & sister of Dr. R. M. D. who is staying with them. I have also met Mr. Blake before I called with your letter. It was at Sunday School which he superintends. When I did call he was out away on a fishing expedition to the Saguenay. from which he has only just returned.

I have received \$ 20 from Hamilton for which I am much obliged.

Please say to Bernard that if there is ~~or~~ any surveying he is thinking of doing, I shall be glad if he could leave it till I return, as I should like to go with him & might be able to help him.

I must close now as the Reddy's have asked me to go out rowing this afternoon & it is time I was there. Dr. Reddy came down yesterday.

Your affectionate son

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