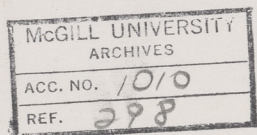


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My dear Hamington

I have just learned that Prof Lesley State Geologist and our professor of Geology and Mining Engin^g is about to resign. - His salary is \$3000⁺ pr year

I do not know how you are pleased with your present position. - I do not think it possible that you have as many rooms or as large collections as there are devoted to Mining & Geology here. I write to ask

Whether, if I was to suggest
your name, ~~that~~ you would
like his position here - will
enough to change

Give me a prompt reply

I am

Very Truly Yours

Wm. R. Marts.