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Dr. Dawson, F.R.S., F.G.S.,

Dear Sir,

I have some intention of attending McGill College next session & study Civil Engineering or Mining and Assaying or both, and will take the liberty to make a few inquiries. I have a B.A. degree from Mt. Allison College, have studied two years Chemistry under Prof. Burwash, and have passed examinations at this College in all the mathematics required for entrance in the Middle Year in the

Department of Applied
Science at McGill. Could
I enter in the Middle Year
without passing any
examination?

What time would it
probably require to complete
both courses, and what
would be the expenses
for tuition? At what
price can board be obtained?

If I should go to McGill
College this winter, I would
like to get employment
on a survey during the
vacation next summer.
Are the prospects of
getting such employment
usually good?

By favoring with a reply
you will greatly oblige,

Yours respectfully,
H. V. Thompson