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To the Commission or Board superintending  
the Royal Geological Survey of Canada  
Gentlemen

Having had for some years intercourse with Mr George Dawson while he was a diligent and successful student of certain branches of geology at the Royal School of Mines, I feel assured that he would fill the important office of Paleontologist to the Royal Geological Survey of Canada - to your complete satisfaction -  
Mr G. Dawson, a young man of high endowments, has had extraordinary educational advantages

advantages — of these he has well  
availed himself — and the result we have,  
in his recent Memoir on the Geology of  
Western America (middle) — a memoir which  
has been received with great approbation  
as abounding in valuable facts, well stated  
and excellently arranged. —

I shall greatly rejoice in his success

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