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Ottawa 25th Sep^r/89

My dear Sir William,

The Ottawa Literary & Scientific Society, of which I have the honor to be president, would feel it a great act of kindness on your part if during the coming winter you would deliver a lecture to constitute one of its season's course. The day & date would be left entirely for you to arrange, and I am sure that His Excellency the Governor General, who is our patron, &

and who evinces much
interest in our proceedings,
especially the lectures, would
be present on the occasion.

Should you kindly reply
in the affirmative I will
send you the proposed
programme of the 'course
which is to open on 7th
November.

With every expression of
esteem

Believe me

Yours faithfully

H. Beaumont Small
President

Ottawa Let. & Scientific Soc^y