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Prof Huxley

I was well acquainted with
Prof. M. Darwin, during
the period of his studentship
at the Royal School of
Mineralogy in London; and
I am glad to be able to speak
in the highest terms
of the intelligence and
power of work which
he displayed, and

which led to his becoming
one of our most distinguished
associates -

Mr Dawson's large
knowledge of Natural
History, Paleontology
and Geology, has not
been allowed to lie
idle since his
student days and it

is my belief that he
only needs opportunity to
attain scientific eminence

I should therefore be very
glad to see him appointed
to the office of Paleontologist
to the Geological Survey of
Canada, for which I
understand him to be
a candidate. Mr.

Duvernois' scientific qualifications

In the first an unquestionable
and my knowledge of his
character, lead me to
entertain a strong conviction
that he would discharge
it duties conscientiously
and successfully

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