

Lambe

Montreal 30 Dec 1875.

My dear Sir,

Having had a letter from Wm J. Morris of Perth yesterday and knowing that he is trying to turn his knowledge of the geological & mineralogical formation of the Ottawa district to account in the support of himself and his family, I take the liberty of asking you if you would kindly consider his case
Principal Dawson }

and if possible secure from
Mr Selwyn if possible some
employment for him in
a branch of science for which
he has a strong bias and
apparently much ability.
He has had his training
guided by Dr Nelson & is
studious industrious &
enthusiastic.

He has not requested
me to make this application
nor has he even hinted at
it but knowing the destitute
state to which he is reduced
by his late failure as

a Manufacturer of Railway
bolts or as Toronto it
appears to me ought to
seek to get him employ
ment and I feel sure
that he will be glad
to make an application
himself.

Before letting him
know however I considered
it best to consult with
you and if there be
an opening by our consideration
him fitted to fill it

them to direct him to
apply to Mr Schuyler
himself.

yours truly

J. B. Landon.