

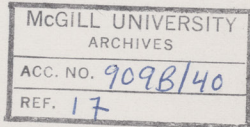
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Private M.D.

New Haven, Aug 15. 1876

Dear Mr Dawson.

I would give  
you son, with great  
pleasure, a recommend  
to the position of Paleontologist  
on the Canada Survey  
had I not already,  
on request, written one  
for another applicant  
for the place. I have



derived a high opinion  
of your son, from his  
scientific writings, and  
regret that I cannot  
comply with your  
request.

Yours very truly  
James W. Davis

The note you sent for  
the *Ann. Sci.* is in  
type. Such notes from you  
are always most acceptable.

