

Boston, Massachusetts.

December 13. 1877.

(Essex street 35.) Hotel Deichert.

Mr Dawson Montreal Canada

Dear Sir,

May I venture to write to you a letter  
on a scientific matter. I brought  
from Germany from where I came in the  
Spring of this year to North America to  
make scientific examinations and collections  
a peculiar palaeontological Object last  
year detected from me in Germany. This  
Object representing very probably the  
remains of an animalic creature of  
the lowest state, and probably belonging  
to the Foraminiferae. In some points  
it shows some identity in structure with  
Eozoon Canadense. I would be very happy  
to get some pieces of the Eozoon Canadense,  
in order to compare authentic specimens  
of this curious Organism with this new

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paleontological Object. Next year  
returning to Germany I shall take  
my way over Canada and I should  
be glad to meet you in Montreal.

If you would trust with me some charac-  
teristic specimens of Lozoon, I would  
carefully preserve them and after having  
made carefully microscopic examination  
thankfully return with some other  
interesting objects from Germany  
and other places from Illinois, Florida etc.  
containing fossil Foraminifera and microscopic  
"Günnschliffe"

I have the honor to be  
very faithfully yours  
Prof. Paul F. Reusch  
of Germany