



Prof. Thompson

Theological Seminary,
Hartford, Sept. 23. 1880.
Principal J. W. Dawson, S. C. L.
Dear Sir,

In behalf of my
colleagues, I write to enquire
whether you can favor our
institution with a few
lectures the coming season
on The Relation of Science
and Revelation. You
would have an audience of
about thirty theological
students, the pastors and
resident preachers of the
city, and an intelligent lay
audience. If your
engagement allow this
additional service, it
would be not only very

gratifying & useful
to the Seminary, but
would do much to check
the sceptical tendencies that
are observed in this quarter.

May we learn from you
soon, provided the overture
is entertained, whether you
would as soon come before
winter as at a later stage
in our term, & on what
terms of compensation.

Very respectfully
and sincerely yours,
Wm Thompson.