

*Handwritten note:*  
Very truly yours,  
Wm. Brewster

sending on the additional specimens, I remain,  
dear Sir, as ever, your obedient servant,  
Wm. Brewster

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Wm. Brewster

giving you reasons for retaining the ordered group. I must confess  
I am very sorry to hear of the death of the  
of your drawings necessarily to be made from them. I will give you  
you some time during April. If my circumstances can furnish the  
specimens in the course of a week or two and will return  
lined to the Lower Cambrian rocks. I hope to be through  
out the American Lower Paleozoic rocks, the genus *Olenellus*  
is, as known in the St. Lawrence valley, Newfoundland and  
account of finding associated with them remains of *Olenellus*. As  
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My Dear Sir,  
Montreal,  
McGILL COLLEGE  
SIR WILLIAM DAWSON.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., March, 21, 1890.

Sir William Dawson,  
McGill College  
Montreal;

My Dear Sir,

Your letter of March 11th, and the box of fossils are at hand. The latter afforded a few specimens in addition to those already sent that will be of important service in the study of the Metis fauna.

I call the specimens from the conglomerate Lower Cambrian on account of finding associated with them remains of Olenellus. As far as known in the St. Lawrence valley, Newfoundland and throughout the American Lower Paleozoic rocks, the genus Olenellus is confined to the Lower Cambrian rocks. I hope to be through with the specimens in the course of a week or two and will return them to you sometime during April, if my draughtsman can finish the three or four drawings necessary to be made from them. I will give you due credit for the fossils and mention where they are from.

I shall be pleased to receive and read a copy of the paper giving your reasons for retaining the Quebec group; ~~a~~ matter comparatively little to me, what name is used, if we only clearly understand what is meant by it. Thanking you for your kindness in sending on the additional specimens, I remain,

Very truly, Yours,

Charles Walcott.