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Dr. G. M. Dawson. C.M.G. &c.
Director of Geological Survey -

My dear Dr. Dawson -

The receipt of the enclosed
acknowledgement, accompanying
copies of my Preliminary Report
upon S. W. Nova Scotia, (for which
I am much obliged,) gave me the
first official or reliable information
which I had of your preferment
to the Directorship of the Survey -
I therefore take this, the first
opportunity, to convey to you my
sincere congratulations upon your
appointment to so distinguished
and responsible a position. It

is an appointment which I
am sure will prove equally ac-
ceptable to the members of the
staff and to the public at large.
What you have already done to
advance the reputation of the
Survey is so well known that
no doubt whatever can exist
that, under your direction, it
will continue to maintain the
high reputation first acquired
for it under its distinguished
founder Sir Wm Logan and
since extended by his followers
and fellow-workers.

I wish you heartily all suc-
cess in the new field of action
upon which you have entered, and
many long years in which to
enjoy it.

I am

Sincerely yours
L. W. Bailey

