

J, E and P - Fact or Fable?

1' wide spread of the view

great dogmatism with which it is held.

quote Jordan in Chr. Tod.

many recent books -

new, & reprints.

nevertheless - needs re-examination.

quote Univ. prof.

quote H. H. Rowley

should be ready to change accepted view, if shown to be wrong

Aristotle - *locus fallax*

(Ether)

flatness of earth

little recently that really tries to prove -  
simply assumed to be true.

if true, should be possible to present  
simple & convincing evidence.

cf. shape of earth.

2 exactly what the view is, as currently held.

how, when it began

from a *swelter*

~~culmination~~ of series of conflicting theories.

result of attitudes of 19th cent.

now layers of audience  
in other areas of literature & history.