

Fig. 11. Inelastic data for W=2 and 3 GeV as a function of  $q^2$ . This was one of the earliest examples of the relatively large cross sections and weak  $q^2$  dependence that were later found to characterize the deep inelastic scattering and which suggested point-like nucleon constituents. The  $q^2$  dependence of elastic scattering is shown also; these cross sections have been divided by  $\sigma_M$