

July 12/72

My dear Sir

Early in May I was suddenly called away from Cambridge and left at a moment's notice my absence extended till end of June and during that time I am sorry to say Mr. Desguery came and went back home again so that I was unable to keep my promise of letting you know the time of his visit to Cambridge. I regret extremely this should have happened; as he was here but a short time he has not been able to arrange matters any better than they were when he came so that I am afraid till his next stay in Cambridge which will probably be soon after father's return in October, not much can be done with the fossils.

Yours truly
 A. S. Peabody

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Yours truly
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