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Mason College
Birmingham
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Dear Sir William

I have to thank
you most sincerely for the
box of Graphites you forwarded
me through D. Brude. They reached
me some days ago, quite safely.
I have gone carefully through
them, & find them most interesting.
Some are most admirably
preserved. But before naming
them & sending you figures
& named specimens back,
I must revise all the Malane
specimens I now have in
my possession. As I am

anxious to get all perfectly
correct; and there are several
points in your new specimens,
much more perfectly brought
out than in any of those I
do collect during hibernation from
the same locality.

That they are all of Upper
Tremadoc age, or of Tremadoc
age, as we understand the
term I have no doubt, and I
hope that you have also got
with them some Calcegeron
Trilobitic forms.

I am perfectly bewildered
just now with public lecturing
in different parts of England,
and it will be at least a month
before I can possibly return

you named specimens; but they
shall be sent directly to an an-
See honestly say I have done them
what justice I may.

I have to thank you
also for the copies of your
various papers you have
sent me recently, all of which
I have read with the very greatest
interest & pleasure. There is
a very great deal I should like
to write upon upon each of them,
but I must deny myself the
pleasure just now, till I am
free to think a little more
clearly.

Please give my very
kindest ^{compliments} ~~compliments~~ &

respect to Lady Dawson &
Miss Dawson;

and apologizing for this
brief hurried note, and once
more thanking you most
heartily for your kind note
& papers.

I remain

Dear Sir, believe me,

Ever yours sincerely

Charles Lapworth