

to ~~Mr~~ Dawson & to your
son George - all Yrs
^{my self}

Believe me
very sincerely yr

Katharine M. Lyell

I shall take every care of the
letters, & return them as
soon as they are copied.

We have just been to the Isle of
Shye which is full of interest.
I am now staying with my sister
in-law in Scotland, but return
home (42. Regent St. Road
London) almost immediately.

Shieldhill, Kierriemuir (Scott)
27 Sept 1876

My dear Dr. Dawson

Many thanks for
your kind note. I shall be
very much obliged if you
will send me Sir Charles's
letters, and if it will
not be too much trouble,
I shall be most glad
to have the memorandum
you so kindly propose
to send me about his
American work. I

am now merely collecting
all his correspondence, &
when I have arranged it
all chronologically, I hope
with the aid of friends
a faithful sketch of his
industrious & generous
life in the cause of science
& truth, may be given.

I thought the little account
you gave in the obituary
notice of him so very
good. I have just been

to Glasgow with my son & daughter
to the British Association, & have
now struck with many things
which impel me with the
great strides ^{geological} science is making
but my dear brother-in-law
has achieved the great work
in the childhood of the
science, in awakening
an interest in it far &
beside, & to the last moment
of his existence had an
untiring love for it.

Pray remember me kindly