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The adoption of the Metric System, now making rapid headway in this country, will bring us into harmony with more than a score of nations, save millions annually in computations, and a year of the school life of every child.

24.8.78

My dear Dr Dawson

I am much obliged to you for your kind consent to furnish me the notes I desire; and as soon as I have finished my ~~new~~ new study of the fossils I will communicate the results to you without delay. I hope I may be able to do so before I return home, but I may be obliged to look up some matters after reaching there -

Your card & letter were awaiting my return from the White Mts, where I have been spending this week with the Appalachian Club. I will keep the card in my portfolio to remind me of your request about the tracing, ^{I will attend to it} as soon as I return to Cambridge - in about 3 weeks -

Very sincerely yours

Sam. N. Puffer

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