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Dear Sir -

During last term you requested me to ask Mr. Garrett, the mineral agent in Ottawa, on my return here to see whether he had any <sup>thing</sup> new in his "Green's creek collection". I saw Mr. Garrett yesterday & told me that he was getting a box ready for me to take on my return to College on Monday, he says that in the box there will be other specimens than those from "Green's creek" which are or may be very useful. Well, ~~but~~ before bringing them, I would like if



you could let me know im-  
-mediately whether I can bring  
this box containing these diffe-  
-rent specimens both of fossils  
& minerals. I bring them <sup>down</sup> ~~up~~ as  
my freight, so that it will not  
cost anything for the transport.  
Mr. Garrett says that he hopes  
that you will ~~at least~~ buy a few  
at least, if not all. Hoping  
that Mrs Dawson and yours are  
all well, & wishing you the  
compliments of the season  
I remain

Yours truly

Henry M. Arns  
2nd yr Acto

To Dr Dawson }  
Montreal }