

Messrs
Ingraham

London

4th July 1882

My dear Sir

I was extremely obliged
for the reply which you were
good enough to send me
as it placed me in a position
to make arrangements for
leaving England.

As I wanted to visit New
York on my way to Montreal
I have thought that it would
be best to be independent
of the Canadian Steamboats
and so I have taken return
passage for myself and
Mrs Wiltshire in the Cunard

Line, and we shall leave
Liverpool on 5th August
for New York, returning to
that City again from Canada
and we shall try and
arrive at Montreal on
23rd August.

If it would be possible
for you to give me one
more answer, would you
mind mentioning if there
are any geological excursions
after the meeting closes on
30th and if they occupy more
than a day. It will

be necessary for me to settle
the date of my return to
England (so as to secure comfortable
berths) as soon as the Steam
boat arrives at New York
The Cunard boats leave on
Wednesdays, and therefore
I should be glad to learn
whether I could arrange
to depart from New York for England
on 1st September and yet
see some Canadian Geology
Will it be possible to obtain
a sight of Eozoon Canadiane
in situ? I have so often
lectured on it, & so often
seen rock sections under
my microscope - that I feel
a great interest in the fact
and should like to inspect

The rock in position, if that be
possible

Many thanks for your
information that you hope
to be able to secure an invitation
for myself and Mrs Wiltshire
at Montreal - It is very
good of you, but we should
not like to be a cause
of trouble to you and
we shall be very well
content whatever course
you may adopt.

Believe me

Yours truly

J^{no} Wiltshire

J^r W Dawson

Principal of the University