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Musical, 29 July 1883

My dear D. Dawson,

In reply to a recent
letter from me to Sir John
Mandemat I have enc
this morning in which
he says:

"I don't mention your
letter about the British
Association, but have
not had an opportunity
to bring up the matter
before Council. I can't
say anything before it
is discussed there, and
as you may suppose
we are all busy preparing

for the session. However
I shall attend to it
before long."

Under the circum-
stances I fear we cannot
postpone anything beyond
a printed reply to Mr
Boswell's letter. I
have thought of calling
the subscribers together
on Friday night, or
earlier, if you can
attend. Will you please
let me know. I have
written in a similar
sense to Dr Hunt,
your truly.

Thos Maitland

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