

Bonney

British Association for the Advancement of Science,

22, ALBEMARLE STREET,

LONDON, W.

June 12 1885

My dear Principal

I am greatly obliged
to you for your abstract of a
paper on the Mesozoic Flora
of the Rocky Mountain region
The abstract is most interesting
The full paper will be yet more
so -

I can assure you that I very
highly esteem the honour
which the Royal Society of
Canada has done to me -

I regard it as hardly second
to that paid me by your bene-
volence, and the two the highest
which I have received during
my life - But I am fully
conscious that I am indebted
more to the kind offices of
friends - especially yourself -
than to my own merits -
Your kindness in this as in so
many other things I shall
never forget - of the honors
rendered to me I shall
hope to show myself more
worthy in the future -
I looked over your Egyptian
works a day or two since -

I shall select a few types
for slicing - the number that
will require it is not large
and leave them with Cuttelle
when I go away - As soon as
ever I return (I leave for a
month in the Alps at the
end of this) I will take
up the description - Till my
departure I am so loaded
up with work that it would
be useless to have her cut at
once -

Why did not Dr Barrington tell
me how he was coming? I
would have taken care to

have a room free to receive ^{him}; now
I fear he may turn up after
my departure or may come
shortly before, and find I have
to treat him inhospitably - I
know that our limited space
is already filled for most
of the nights between now and
the end of the month - I shall
give him a slice of my mind -

Please give the kindest remem^r
brances of myself and sister to
Lady and Miss Dawson and
of myself to all friends -
With many thanks

Believe me
Sincerely yours

F. J. Bonney

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Dear Sir William Dawson

The Council wish to
present a few copies of the
Annual volume to libraries
in Canada as a fitting
memorial of the visit of
the Association, and I
venture to ask of you the
 favour to indicate the
 establishments which would
be regarded as most

W. D. B.

available — In most of course send
one to Quebec — Would the Annual
School of Science at Toronto be
a fitting place? On the next
leaf I send a list of places
in Canada to which copies
have already been sent.

Please send me eight names.

I have had the pleasure of
seeing Dr Hamington and
hope to see a little more of
him on his return from the
Continent — With kind
remembrances to all friends

I am

Very sincerely yours

H. Bonney

Memorial. The file University.

Toronto The Observatory

Winnipeg. Hist: and Sci: Soc.

A copy has also been sent to the
libraries of each of the Colleges
adjoining the file College
[where rooms we met]

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