

Attawa George
21. April 1882

Dear Father,

The Governor was
at the museum here day before
yesterday full of the idea of getting
some illustrations for the transactions
of the new society done by the photo-
carbon process. Dr Selwyn thinks
of sending to be photographed the large
leg of Alctanus abilis, a shot of
Sorex Selwyni, the two abundance
ones of the Sorex's collection. Also
some of the bones collected last summer.
It would be desirable therefore to make
if possible some short communication
in explanation of these bones, which
might be printed in the transactions.
I am glad you have good news of
Benton. Please get me his address
by return as I wish to write to him.
My son is at Benton, a deep freckle

well not be there. If he is I
 would give him an order to get it.
 He may have no other for use during
 summer. It is on my writing table.
 Iron chain rod in right hand lower
 drawer. Desires me to chop bow,
 however, that it would be almost
 as cheap to get a new one as to send
 mine up to Winnipeg by express. My
 saddle is no use. Letter probably
 written & would not in any case as
 much to repair as to buy a new one,
 besides he had much better get
 a Mexican saddle if he
 needs one. They are little, are
 infinitely more comfortable, & no
 one uses anything else in the
 West. I asked Eva to send me a
 note book which has not arrived. Please
 ask her if it was sent as I should be
 sorry if it has gone wrong in any way.