

Mr. Howard

May 8/84

Dr Andrews,  
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Dear Dr Harrington,

As Dr

Selwyn gave me some encouragement that I would get work on the survey I have anxiously been waiting since my return from Ottawa to receive the hopes for intelligence that my services were required; but as no such communication has yet reached me I am now beginning to despair of obtaining employment from that source. Did you see him in Montreal, and did he mention anything about me?

If it be not too great a trouble to you will you kindly inform me at once, if possible, on that point, and also if you

consider it judicious to  
assail the old gentleman  
with another application?

I do not send the papers  
on those minerals I analyzed  
as Mr Hoffman is now  
occupied with the analysis  
of the chloritic one, and I  
believe he intends publishing  
his results. The publication  
of mine might be detrimental  
to my interests, so far as the  
Survey is concerned.

You must be having quite  
a job arranging things about  
the balance room and  
laboratory. I am sorry that  
I could not do more for you  
before leaving. With kind  
regards to Mrs Hampton

Yours respectfully,

W. S. Howard