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Dear Mr Dall,

I return herewith
The shells marked to
be returned. The Siphon
Spitzbergenis is striated &
with coarse sulphure
than the average of
my Metis specimens, but
comes quite within their
range. It is curious
that this shell is so
very rare in the Pleistocene.
Yours Margaret

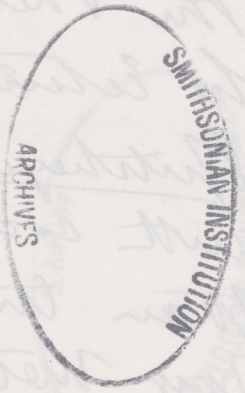
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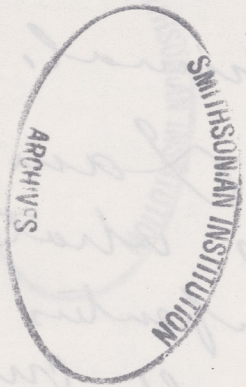
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is different from any
I have from the Pleistocene,
though M. helicina, when
decalcified, and so
thin & smooth with open
umbilicus, could scarcely
be distinguished from many
specimens from Aquid
Amaria I have not before
seen, unless some little
shells which I send
in the box and which
I have regarded as
a blackish-water

form of Succinea vicata
have any relation to
it; but they are differ-
ent in form. I
do not know the
animal.

I am quite at a
loss what to do about
Carpenter's charts, but
shall give some thought
to them again when
the hurry of college
work is over.

Sincerely yours
J. M. Dawson



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