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25 Jersey St. London E.C. 4.  
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Dear Dr. Dawson

First let me con-  
-gratulate you on your  
being yesterday selected  
by the Council of the ~~Geological~~ Royal  
Society as one of the 15  
candidates for election this  
year. We carried you  
in easily at the first  
ballot. and I am sure



The result has given much  
pleasure to your many  
friends & well-wishers on  
this side.

Next, as to the illustrations,  
I have made a selection  
from those you sent me  
and will return the  
unused photos to you.

But before doing so,  
I will wait until the  
Empress has seen and

permanenced in the material  
submitted to him.

The printers have sent  
me two sheets of your  
ms. in type. But I  
won't trouble you with  
proof until I can let  
you have a good part  
of the book. He pub-  
lishers quite incline  
to publish the Canadian

A. Geikie, May 1. 91

Your department for use  
in Canada. But they will  
be better able to decide  
this point than the  
whole is in type.

Yours very truly

Arch Geikie