

Dear John A. Wright

The Heron

Dear Sir I have
just returned from a visit
to the Rev. A. Johnston
at Harvey, N. B. And while
there we were walking one day
past an immense Rock of a
Railway cutting opposite such
a lovely lake which they call
Cumber Lake I think Mr
Johnston said that some
scientific Gentlemen had
spoken of it as quite
interesting as a Rock that
had not been chlorified
and thinking it would
be of some interest to
you I picked up two
or three specimens but
neither Mr Johnston or I had
any idea of what would
be the best or I just took
up two or three as they were

Mr Johnston had another
curious specimen which
he had found in Chertsey
County from some rock that
it looks so kind of
strange just like the
impression of or bones
of a creature that I
send, it being also
his wife had taped it
out of the window but
he recovered it again
I know Mr Johnston
would be glad to know
if the piece he found
would be interesting and
I would ask you if you
would be good enough
to send a few lines before
the first of November
as he comes down here
then on business of Mr Chubb
and I could then let him
know what it is

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I wish some of your
People could have been
there to collect Leaves for
there were some lovely
ones I did not know
how to prep them rightly
and had gathered a lot
but found that

I had not been carefull
of them and that they were
too much crowded and
that the stems had broken
them I send a few of
the best but I have a
good many more and
if they would be of any
interest I could send
more of them on
My love and best wishes
to Sam Jackson and Tomp
My own health is very
much better indeed I feel
quite well now I remain
Yrs Truly
Sherris. Stewart

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I need not say that
there is a great deal of
work to be done in
the field of history

Wm. Stewart
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