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THE ROYAL SOCIETY,

BURLINGTON HOUSE, LONDON. WY.

Jan<sup>y</sup> 23-1872

My dear Sir

Your parcel, as  
advised in your letter of  
November 10, came safely to  
hand, and your desires and  
instructions with regard thereto  
have been attended to.

The plates of your "Fossil  
Plants" are nicely represented,  
& will prove instructive for  
readers of your book. We

have distributed the copies with  
discrimination, which means  
to persons most likely to  
appreciate them, and we have  
still a few on hand waiting  
for favourable opportunity. If  
more should be asked for  
we shall not fail to avail  
ourselves of your kind offer.

Allow me to express  
my hope that your College  
and the Principal are

flourishing according to your  
desire. We have had applications  
recently from two of your  
Canadian savants for foreign  
membership of the Society. They  
have been answered that that  
honour is not to be obtained  
by solicitation.

We here, are going on  
in our usual quiet way, but  
with always heaps of work,  
and sometimes too much for  
the day. Our new President

Mr. A. Gray  
~~July 1922~~  
attends to his duties, & now and  
then makes a remark which  
enlivens our discussions. Last  
Thursday he wound up a discussion  
on the Gibraltar Strait Current  
with a quotation from Childe  
Harold.

I remain

dear Sir

faithfully yours

Walter White

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RS

Principal J. W. Dawson

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