

Jeffersonville Indiana  
July 28. 1879

Prof J. W. Dawson  
Montreal  
Canada

Dear Sir

I write to make inquiry in reference to a box of Fossils which I shipped via American Express to you Dec 27/78 in exchange for 15 vols of the Canada Naturalist; I also wrote to you of the same date, advising you of the shipment of the box; upto the present time I have not heard from you.

I sent you all the fossils which were <sup>named</sup> in my list to you 140 specimens, also added 80 specimens and said in my letter, that I thought the additional 80 specimens would amount to the duty on the books, also stating that if you did not consider them the equivalent to the duty on the books that you could send fossils from your locality in exchange? I would like you to ship the books at your earliest convenience and oblige

Yours respectfully  
Victor W. Lyon

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Jeffersonville Indiana  
Jan'y 28. 1879

Prof. J. W. Dawson  
Washington  
D.C.

Dear Sir

I have not heard from you  
I want you all the fossils which were in  
my gift to you the specimens, also add  
50 specimens and send me my letter, that I  
thought the additional specimens would  
convenient to the study on the rocks, also stating  
that if you did not consider them the equivalent  
to the gift on the rocks that you could send  
fossils from your locality in exchange.  
I would like you to ship the boxes at your  
earliest convenience and oblige  
Yours respectfully  
Richard W. Ligon

J. W. Dawson  
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