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My Dear Dr. Dawson

Your note

is of referring to your  
valuable specimens.

I can assure you I  
shall do all in my  
power in looking after  
them

and shall wish (so  
far as in my power) to  
have them placed as  
you desire - My appointment  
as Chairman of the  
Management in London  
is not as pleasing  
to me as I would wish,  
as I fear some of the  
Members of it may not  
prove a successful as  
I much desire: - Hoping  
however that all may  
end well and have  
our Candour  
Gibson

May prove somewhat satisfactory  
They will remain  
Yours very truly  
Saml. Henslow

P.S. I find much difficulty  
concerning correct nomenclature  
from your collection of fishes  
It appears that hardly two  
scientists agree on this question.

When so many authorities  
disagree I have almost concluded  
to class our Salmonoid family  
into three tribes viz

"Salmo Salm", Miputany Salmon &

"Salmo Lacustris" Lake Trout of all kinds

"Salmo Formalis" Brook & Sea Trout

Shape color & even which is  
so very different, is after all brought  
about by food habitat and  
all I think <sup>be covered in</sup> ~~is~~ the list of the  
above mentioned classes —