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have it ready by that time, provided that the cost of illustration be not thought an insuperable objection.

I had entered another paper which would require two full page illustrations, but am quite willing to withdraw this, for the present year, in favour of the other.

At every possible moment I am working at the M. F. of the paper on Devonian Fishes, but meet with so many unavoidable interruptions every day, that I do not see my way clear to finishing it ~~before~~ before leaving here.

By this mail I have written to Mr J. E. Dawson to ask him if it would be possible to get the illustrations required for the paper on Fossil Fishes.

If the Printing Committee think fit to extend the time at which papers are to be sent in, under the somewhat exceptional circumstances of the case, in my favour, I will endeavour not to trespass again upon their forbearance.

Very truly yours,

J. F. Whiteaves.

L. M. Lamb

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[see Dawson
at the
Jan 1855]



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To Sir William Dawson C. M. G., &c., &c.

Dear Sir,

I should very much like, if possible, to publish the second & concluding part of my paper on Devonian Fishes in the current volume of Trans. of the Roy. Soc. of Canada.

The paper would require at least five full page illustrations, two of which would have to be of double size, so as to fold once, but would be quite an advantage if I could get one more of the former.

I have arranged, however, to leave here for Manitoba on the 17th of July & to be back by Sept. 1st, & cannot see how all the drawings required, & the manuscript, can be completed much before October 1st.

Of course, if the Printing Committee decide that they will, on no consideration whatever, receive papers after July 1st, then this particular one must stand over for another year. If, on the other hand, the Committee will allow this paper to go at the end of the volume & the M. J. to be sent in (say) by the end of September, I will do my very best to

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at the time
