

My
dear Papa

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Dear Papa

I have just received this weeks letters. Many thanks for the proof engravings they seem to be beautifully executed. I will send No II to Mr. Caruthers as you say. I will also send off tomorrow the copies of your Sigillaria paper & the addresses you have given me.

I unfortunately have sent off your parcel, & only kept ^{about} a dozen copies.

I will ^{however} have plenty to fulfill your present orders, & a few over.

I took tea with the Bayneses the other evening, at Mrs Aldridges where they are staying; & had a very pleasant

evening though I came away
early on account of my work.

Mr B has been investing in a
mammoth tooth which he showed
me. He says he intends giving it to
you. He got it - somewhere in Kent.
It seems to be a rather good specimen
& was evidently the last molar of
which part had not emerged from
the alveolus. I notice that they
keep on the table at Ferguson St
Library. Copies of Wallace's Calendars,
amongst others that of Victoria in
Australia. I think you should put
the School of Mines on your list for
a copy of the Wallace Calendar when
it is out.

I should think your proposed trip
to P.L.I. would be very enjoyable, & a
great treat to William, as he says he
is going. I suppose this will be the last
letter you receive before you at work.

Your affectionate son
George A. Dawson