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Dear Papa

I left Kidwick last
Saturday afternoon & arrived here
safely a little after tea in the
evening. I had Sunday to rest
& went up to the Metallurgical
Laboratory on Monday morning
& have now got regularly to work
there. Before leaving Kidwick
I took a days trip by coach to
Windermere & back, which I
enjoyed very much. It is a
beautiful drive of about 15
miles, & you pass by Gressmere &

Rydal water on the way.

I find here waiting addressed
to you a bundle (125 - I think)
of copies of your paper on Devonian
forms &c. I do not know
exactly how to dispose of them
but will send you a few by
book post & keep the rest
till I hear from you about
them.

The Natural History lectures
begin today week, the mining
not till next month, in the
meantime I must try to get on
as fast as possible with the
practical work, as the lectures will
cut it up a good deal no doubt.

Sir Rod. Murchison is I hear

Very much worse, & has been
so for some time.

Last week's Nature was delayed

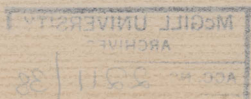
so I will have to send
two this time. They contain
several very interesting articles.

I feel a little tired & sleepy
this evening after my day at
the laboratory, so please excuse
me by this mail &

Believe me

Your affectionate son

George W. Dawson



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