

Nov 2. 16.

I enclose a letter for Mrs
which I enclose to
you to forward.

I send also to Anne
a copy of the long promised
Journal Report
Catalogue, & enclosure
for Pope & Warrington
of this year. In which

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my last year
exams, were
marked
Sports.

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My Dear Mauney,

Things go on much
as usual. Yesterday being Saturday
& the Laboratory shut I took the opportunity
to call on Lady Lyell on account
of my seeing there some time ago.
Calling afterwards is the greatest bore
connected with going out. I am
sorry that I have not yet found time
to call on Dr Davis, I must try &
do so soon.

When you wrote to say that you had
sent copies of Papa's lecture to some
London friends, I felt sure that
you had included Mrs Rae, my
forbearings were not groundless
for last Monday I got a note

of invitation, I was obliged to go
there to dinner on Wednesday evening.
The party altogether numbered
about 10 & it was a very pleasant
evening, though the dinner was
exceeding long & elaborate considering
the small number of guests.

I saw in a shop in Baker St. yesterday
some photographic albums quite
on the plan of yours, & illustrated
with landscape & flower designs.

The pages were flat like those of an
ordinary album, & the places
for photographs - oval or square,
symmetrically arranged but not
all upright & four on a page as in
ordinary albums. One page had
wheat- & convolvulus twining up much
like Ella's design in yours but of

Course all printed in one colour.

Another a Landscape with falcons &c

The photos were intended to be stuck in without cards on the pages themselves.

Dr Beatty when I saw him last asked me to go with him to dine one day & in the evening to a meeting of the Geographical Socy. He promised to

write when he found out the exact day.

on Friday I had a note saying that he had waited till then in hopes that

his wife would be better, & he would be enabled to go as intended but

that she had not recovered & was in fact "most seriously ill -

& in great danger" - I was very sorry, & surprised to hear this as she

seemed so well when I saw her only a little time ago.

H. B. enclosed a ticket for the pag.

meeting, of which I am afraid however
I will not be able to avail myself
on account of work.

I note your suggestion about a
Continental trip, it would be very
pleasant, but I fear also very costly.

In your list you mention Ellen &
Louisa Cleghorn as the most ladylike & E
Scottish friends. I fancy you meant to mean

Maria C. Louisa is the youngest & the
widest of the family.

I had written her name in before that
I had written the letter, I was
not sure of the name at the time.

that she had not recovered &
was in fact "most severely ill"
I was very - "in great danger" -

very, I had said I had then as she
seemed so well when I saw her only
a little time ago.

St. B. Andrew's Hotel - for the night.