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Dearest Anna,

This must be a very short note for I am already so nearly asleep that I am uncertain as to whether I am not altogether asleep. This is I trust lucid.

We have had another hot day, although not quite so bad as yesterday. The models have at last reached the Collyer, and Hamilton & I have been hard at work all evening unpacking them. Nina, Sophie & Mrs Donald passed while I was at

work & Nina asked
me to go in there when
I got through, but it was
too late & so I did not
go. I promised Sophie to
go there to tea on Sunday.

On the whole the
models were in good
condition, only one having
suffered much. But
I am now like the
man with the elephant.
I do not know what
to do with them as there
is not a room in
the college unoccupied
& at the same time
suitable for a model
room.

Please say to Dr Dawson
that there is a box here
for him from Murray

of new foundland and
ask him if he wishes
it sent down to me. I
do not suppose that he
does, but it would be
well to inquire.

And now my darling
I may say that I do not
at all believe that what
Prof. Dany told you could
possibly be true in our
care, even if he has found
it so in his. No dear, I
only expect to get fonder
& fonder of you as time
goes on. I married because
I longed for the sympathy
of a true and loving
heart and I have had
a thousand times more
than I could ever have
hoped for. And surely it

must be a false love,
a false kind of sympathy,
which can retrograde
or become stagnant.

True love must grow.

If there is no growth then
I say the love is not
true. I have loved you

dear for years, but the
love of the past is but
a shadow, compared
with the love of the present;

I know that it must
go on increasing. God
grant I may soon be
with you dear! I am
so weary of being alone.

Saturday Morning. - Have just been picking flowers
for the hospital & am sorry I did not do so last
evening, for we have had very heavy showers
during the night & many of the best flowers
are beaten down ground & covered with dirt. Still
I have got a few such as they are.

In haste Your fond Husband,