



GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OF CANADA

(Museum and Office, 76, St. Gabriel Street) MONTREAL.

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My dear Harrington

I have rec^d your two letters
of. & 31st Draft for \$100 will be
sent you to day. Can you find
out when Dr. Doneyman will return
to Philadelphia? If he will be
there shortly I don't think I need send
any one down at present, or when
you leave, say in ten days; but it
would not be advisable to have
Harry Lasker there without some one
to look after things, & who knows more
about them than Mr. Stevens. If you

leave on or about the 13th I had
perhaps better send Weston down and
give him a chance to see the show.
He could remain a fortnight & then
J. Moneyman will probably have
returned. As every thing will be strange
C. Weston he had better be there a
day before you leave, so that you can
show him round and place him
in charge. I will therefore let him
leave this on Monday 12th so that you
may expect him on the 13th—

The Catalogues not arrived is very annoying
I was not aware the box was addressed
to Girard Street. I hope you will have
found them there. Noticed some
of the mistakes on the cards, but did
not think there were many of much

A. R. C. Selwyn.

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importance, especially as the specimens
are correctly described in the Catalogue
I corrected the Oran-daga formation on
some of the N.S. gypsiums, but was not
aware that a similar mistake had
been made on all.

Observe what you say about the
Salt report. If the figures given are
incorrect I think the Salt men themselves
are to blame. They knew the purpose
for which Mr. Smith was collecting the
information and if they gave him
incorrect returns the fault is certainly
theirs not his. — I would like to have
the names of the Complainants and the
figures which they say are incorrect. It
might then be possible to determine



On whom the blame should rest.
so far as I can judge at present the
fault is more theirs (the catch men) than
Mr Smiths.

Yours sincerely

Edw. R. S. Selwyn:



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I think of going to Metz this week
or on Monday next. A.M.