

Acc. 924

Brompton

Barracks

4<sup>th</sup> April 1875.



Mr. G. M. Dawson A.R.S.M.

Sir

I received your letter on  
the 24<sup>th</sup> March with the Character  
you have been pleased to send me  
for which I return you many thanks  
likewise I have received a note  
stating that you have sent a list  
of the Birds of Last Season to  
Capt Brooke R.C. which I have not  
received.

I am sorry to have to tell you  
that I met with a sad misfortune  
about a fortnight ago. The House  
in which I rented two rooms caught  
fire and barely gave us time to  
get out. I lost all our clothing and  
Books we had. The list and notes on  
the Birds went with the rest.  
I lost all the Furs and Indian  
trinkets I brought to England with  
me. You see I am quite unable to  
send you any notes on the Birds at  
present but if you will send me  
the list I shall be happy to give

You all the information I can

Yours Respectfully

Sept 8<sup>th</sup> J. S. Buckworth R. G.

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