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Dear Major Cameron,

I have just been going over  
the correspondence & Catalogue of  
Newby Specimens forwarded  
from Dr. Guelder of the British Museum  
Cantway, but very much surprised to  
see in return from British Museum to  
the present moment.

The trouble has been caused by the accidental  
omission of some collections, owing to my  
absence when they were packed. Also by  
the ~~failure of a part of the~~ fact that a  
part of the Catalogue was overlooked  
at home the same cause.

I have written to Dr. Guelder by this  
mail to explain these circumstances & thus,  
as well for the Newby Specimens

packed & forwarded the necessary papers  
to the St Lawrence.

I also find that a considerable part of  
the botanical collections were left  
behind, in a box. About them I have  
written to Dr. Boker some weeks ago.

As about a month I hope to be  
on my way back to North Columbia,  
where I ~~expect to be~~ <sup>shall</sup> be engaged during the  
summer, probably in the further part  
of the Province.

I send a copy of a little paper  
on the Coast of 1875 - recently  
issued.

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