

Kensington, Tex.

Apr. 22. 1852.

Dear George Benson. Thanks for the  
specimen of sodalite. I find there is some of  
much the same color in Mass. at Salem.  
I have shown it to a leading lapidary  
in London, Mr. Boyce Wright, & he thinks  
that it might sell well if in sufficient  
quantity for small vases etc.

I think it wd. sell well for parasol  
umbrella etc. Foss.

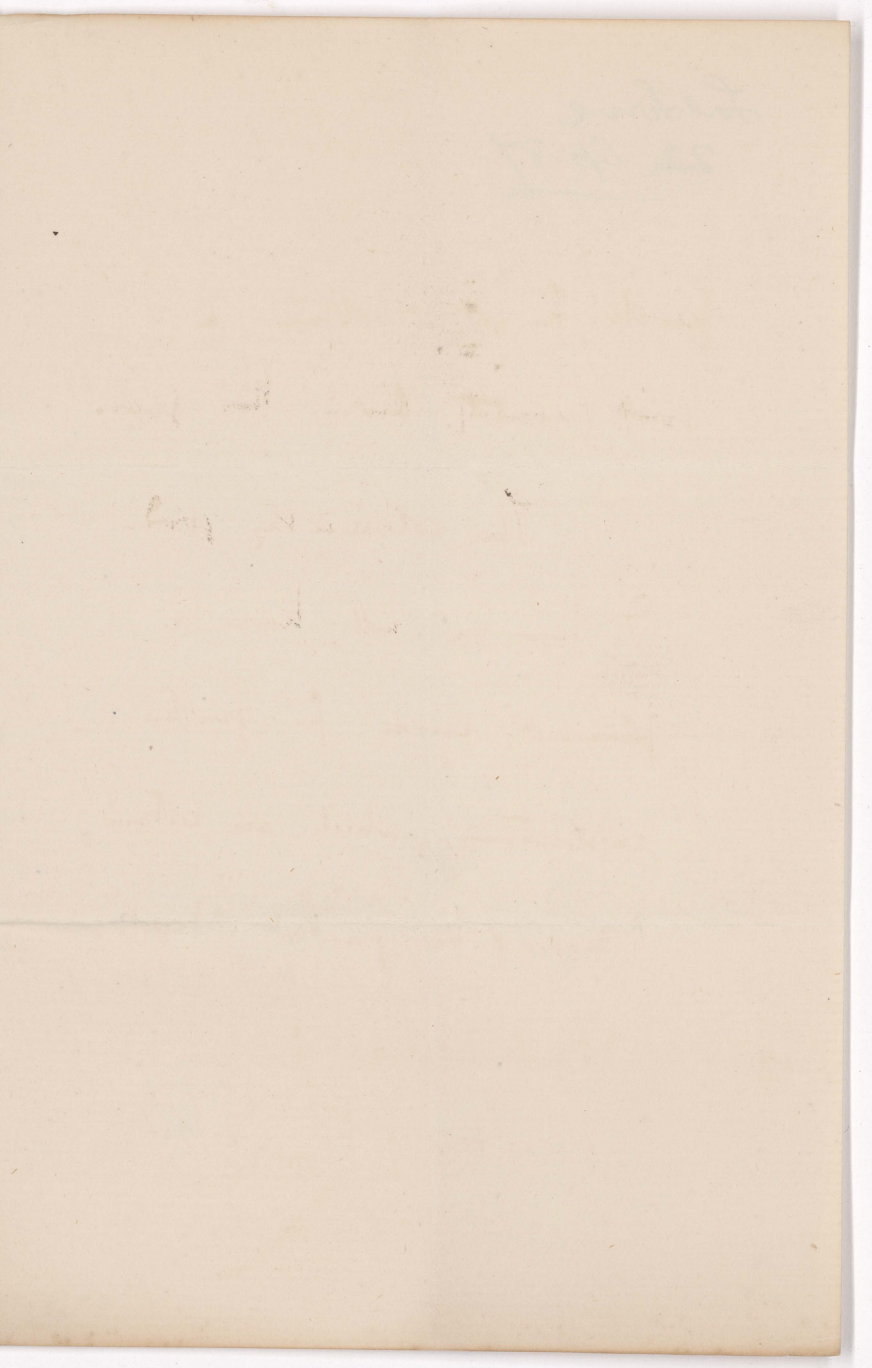
More of it is required to judge of its  
value, & perhaps it may be

possible for you to obtain a  
good quantity during this year.

The colour is very good.

I hope you will have a  
pleasant season for further  
explorations, which are certainly  
of more of the greatest interest.

Believe me  
Yours &c  
L. Jones



Last Love

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