

My Dear Hawkins

Having heard from Mr Gould  
that Mr William Jardine had  
a box of birds which Mr Gould  
told me he knew were sent  
to him when he was in  
communication with Mr  
B H. respecting the pollution  
of the Woods and that Jardine  
considered only as deposited  
with him & still had packed  
up in his Hall.

I therefore wrote to him

and have received the  
accompanying reply.

We cannot make certain  
that we have all the specimens  
sent home without <sup>out</sup>  
the opportunity of examining this  
box. and it is curious that  
Mr. Allan should have  
considered that he was not  
at liberty to describe or figure  
the specimens if they were  
absolutely given to him

W. H. W. in common with  
with Mr. W. H. W. in common with  
Mr. W. H. W. in common with

from W. H. W.

P. S. W.

W. H. W.

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