

[gift. of Susan Loring, 27 June 1984]

As I may

Dr. T. M. Bates enclosed
Prof. Joseph A. Henry
Smithsonian Institution
Washington

Bearsted House Kew, near
London, 22nd Sept. 1868

My Dear Henry

You will be pleased to
know that our quite smooth
and favorable voyage terminated a
week ago, and that Mrs. Gray
and I found comfortable lodgings
awaiting us here on Kew Green,
where we are established. Mrs. G.
is more the nurse for the voyage
I hope better, and can have
plenty of rest here. — when our
friends who survive seem very
glad to see us.

Mr. Minthorn I find has gone
home. So I should be obliged to you
for a line of introduction to our
Minister, Mr. Rowley Johnson —
which you kindly offered to Mrs.
Gray. Please address us here
till Mr. 1. — after that letter
address to the Baring Brothers, Sir,
London. Ever Yours affectionately
As I may.



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