

WB Rogers

1. Temple place

Boston, Jan. 28. 1860

My dear Professor.

I have this moment rec'd  
your Note and will send you  
the abstract of my remarks  
on ~~business~~ ~~business~~ on Monday,  
being now so occupied as to  
be unable to recur to the  
subject.

When you called yesterday  
I was in attendance on a  
Committee at the State House,  
in behalf of a Memorial which  
it fell to me to prepare on  
the subject of a reservation  
of Back land for Scientific, &  
Industrious institutions. I regret



that I missed seeing you, as  
I wished to have a talk  
about Darwin's book & other  
allied matters... & to know  
what had occurred at the  
Academy on Wednesday before  
I arrived.

Your approbation of my  
remarks is very gratifying -  
I know Darwin too well  
as an individual & as  
man of science, not to  
feel desirous that he may  
have a fair hearing. As  
to the geological matter  
the line of criticism was  
very obvious -

I hope to see you soon  
at Cambridge. Tell me

On what days & how  
you are most at leisure -

Very truly yours

William B. Rogers,

P.S. Dr. Huxley's paper has greatly  
interested me.

Prof. Asa Gray



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