Limerick June 26, 1862.

Rt. Rev.

Sir:

Your letter of the 26 came duly to hand: and in reply, would say, that the fossil remains of Megatherium, etc., of which you inquire, were found in Maldonado (which is about 30 leagues E. of the capital of Uruguay) about the time that the Southern Rebellion broke out in the United States.

My friend, Dr. Louis Parnizzi, is director of the Museum in Montevideo, and would be a very good person to write to relative to the objects which you desire. Does not understand a word of English, you would have to address him in Italian, Spanish, or French. The Buenos Aires Museum, has in my opinion the finest collection of that kind in the world, but the government will not knowingly permit them to leave the country.

I forbid the sending of No. 33 & 34 for less than $25 each & No. 163 for less than $30.
they are also from S.A. I do you well know they cost much more than these three several sums. Will not your college purchase them at the above figures? If so please inform me & I will forward my proofs to you. Are Nos. 572 & 573 of sufficient interest to induce you to purchase them, and also Nos. 565 & 566, 567 & 568, & 569 & 570 or any of them? Many thanks for your kind offer.

Respectfully,

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