

on the development of
corals and actinaria.

Developpement des coralliaires

1 Actiniaires sans polyfier.
Arch Z Super 1 pp 289. 396.

2. Actiniaires a polyfier.
Arch Z Super 11. pp 269. 351.

If you have spare copies I should
feel very grateful for them.

I am Dear Sir
Yours truly
W H Moseley.



Creter College

Oxford

April 23. 1877.

My dear Sir

My friend Prof Ray
Lankester conveyed to me
a kind message from you
which gave me great pleasure
as coming from so distinguished

a naturalist.

It is a very great encouragement to me to find that you appreciate favourably my labours amongst the corals since this is a field in which you are the highest authority.

My paper on the structure of *Millepora* is in the press.

I send herewith copies of

the plates which will accompany it and which I hope will interest you.

I hope to finish my paper on the structure of the Stylocasteridae in the course of a few weeks.

I should much like to possess separate copies of your two late memoirs

papers. because you were absent
from home in the country and
I am sorry to say in bad
health.

I trust that you have now
entirely recovered from your
indisposition and are able to
continue your illustrious researches.

I am yours truly.
W N Proseley

Creter College
Oxford.

Nov 9. 1871.

My dear Sir

I send you by this post
a copy of my paper on the
structure of Millepora which
has just been published in
the Phil. Trans.

I hope you will pardon me for

reminding you of a promise
which you made to me, that
you would send me separate
copies of certain of your papers
in which are described your
discoveries concerning the
development of corals.

I should be extremely obliged
if you could send me these as
since I am engaged on working
at corals it is absolutely necessary

that I should study your
researches with the greatest care.

The papers which I especially
wish to possess are as follows.

- (1) H. de Développement des
Coralliaires & Actiniaires sans
polypier. Arch. Z. Exper. 1. pp. 289. 296
- (2) Actiniaires à polypier
Arch. Z. Exper. 11. pp. 269. 281.
- (3) Devel. des Polypes et de leur
Polypier. C. R. L. XXVII.

When you wrote to me you
were unable to send me any

Creter College

Oxford.

Dec 8. 1877.

Dear Sir

Very many thanks for
the copies of your two memoirs
on the development of corals.
They reached me quite safely and
are of the greatest possible value
and interest to me.
I am now finishing a paper

on the structure of the Stylasteridae
for which I have prepared numerous
plates illustrating fully the structure
of the soft parts of eight different
genera.

I hope before long to be able to
have the honour of sending you
a copy of this paper.

Again thanking you

I remain

yours truly

W N Moseley.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON,
BURLINGTON GARDENS. W.

Sept 23. 81.



My dear Sir

I am a candidate for the
Professorship of Comparative
Anatomy ~~vacated~~ at Oxford
vacated by the death of Prof.
Holliston. In order to weigh
my claims on the Electors
more of whom are zoologists,
it is necessary according to

English custom that I should
produce testimonials as to my
ability and the value of the
scientific work which I have
published.

I should be greatly indebted to
you if you should feel disposed
to write me a few lines testifying
to the value of my investigations
concerning corals etc. which I could

make use of. A testimonial from
you as to my ability as a
comparative anatomist would
be of the greatest possible assistance
to me.

Hoping that you will excuse
my troubling you in this matter
which is of the highest importance
to me.

I remain
yours truly

A. Moseley

H. M. Moseley

M. le Prof. H. C. La Caze Dartmouth

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON,

BURLINGTON GARDENS. W.



Oct 7. 87

Dear Sir

Very many thanks
for your kind reply to my
letter and the testimonial
which you append to it, which
will be of the greatest service
to me. I shall write and
inform you of the result of my
candidature as soon as it is
made known.

I am delighted to hear that you
A. M. Prof. H. de Saenz Duthiers

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and founding a second
zoological observatory for
winter work at Bangul.
Many thanks for your kind
~~offer~~ permission to visit
you either there or at
Roscoff. If I get the profes-
-ship I shall look forward to
doing so ~~with~~ as I shall have
more time than here where I have
to be every day in an office.

Again thanking you.
I remain yours truly
H. N. Moseley

University of London W.
Nov 24. 82.

My dear Sir



I think you will be
pleased to hear that I
have been elected to the
Linaure professorship at
Oxford in aid of my candida-
-ture for which you so kindly
gave me a testimonial.

I beg to offer you my
best thanks for your
assistance and to assure
you that I shall always
be delighted if I can do
you any service.

Believe me
with kind regards
yours truly

H. M. Mosely.

M. G. P. de Lacaze Dutrieu