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My dear Dr Sanderson

I have just seen Prof Frankland, and he says that he will send to you, in about a week, some propionic and butyric acid, as well as some valeric acid, so as to complete the series; for he thinks that it might have been valeric acid instead of butyric mixed with acetic, which was in

drosera; and if you will try these acids for artificial digestion I shall be very much obliged. On my return home I will send the globulin and hæmaglobin

Yours very sincerely.

Ch. Darwin

Nov 15th

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(Until Early Tuesday Morning)