

of the little Elephant; I believe that £30 would do for the two; of course the fossils would be sent home, and a full description of the proceedings.'

THE PRESENT STATE OF THE BRIDLINGTON CRAG.

To the Editors of THE GEOLOGICAL MAGAZINE.

MR. S. P. WOODWARD has stated, in his paper on the Bridlington Crag, upon the authority of Mr. William Bean, of Scarborough, that 'the whole mass has been entirely removed or built over,' and that 'the only remaining chance of obtaining the fossils consists of dredging in the harbour.' I beg to state that, during the prevalence of south-east winds, large tracts of the Bridlington Crag are exposed by the removal of the sand and gravel which generally lie over it from low to high water-mark, leaving it bare sometimes for weeks together. At other times, however, it remains covered up beneath thousands of tons of sand and gravel; and I have waited for years, hoping the sea would remove the surface, but it did not do so. At length, in January last the tide laid bare about 150 yards of the Crag for nearly a fortnight, and I collected a good series of fossil shells, &c. Only the upper portion of the deposit immediately under the cliff has been walled up; all the rest can be seen at intervals when exposed by the sea between tide-marks. I send you a Bear's tooth which was obtained from the Bridlington Crag.*—
Yours, &c. EDWARD TINDALL.

Old Guildhall, Bridlington, 24th July, 1864.

NOTE FROM MR. S. P. WOODWARD, F.G.S., &c. &c., ON THE BRIDLINGTON CRAG.

IN my paper last month, *Montacuta bidentata* is mentioned as a Bridlington Fossil in Dr. Bowerbank's collection, on the authority of Professor Edward Forbes. I have just obtained the very specimen, and it is labelled on the *back* of the tablet 'Nar Valley' (Norfolk), where it was found by Mr. C. B. Rose.—S. P. W.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DISCOVERY OF AN AÉROLITE, AND VISIT TO A PETRIFIED FOREST IN NORTHERN QUEENSLAND. — At the monthly meeting of the Queensland Philosophical Society, on the 2nd of February last, Mr. Le Gould read a paper entitled 'Geographical and Geological Observations in Northern Queensland.' We extract the following:—

Mr. Le Gould says, 'When two days' march beyond the Isaacs, a beautiful stream, and the first branch of the Mackenzie River, passing along a rocky valley, covered with large ferns and some good-sized trees growing about, I came upon a large gum-tree,

* The tooth referred to is a canine tooth of the Brown Bear (*Ursus arctos*), hitherto only obtained from the fens of Cambridgeshire, &c.—EDTT.