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Ockham.

Monday Morning

16th [~~'July'~~ crossed out] Augst

['1841' added by later reader]

Dear M^r De Morgan. I send you today, 1^{stly}:

a paper in which I have proved the Theorem

$\int f x \frac{dx}{dt} dt = \int f x . dx$ (of pages 102, 103), backwards.

That is I have assumed $\int f x . dx$, & deduced

from it that when $x = \psi t$, then $\int f x . dx = \int f x \frac{dx}{dt} dt$;

whereas in the book $\int f x \frac{dx}{dt} dt$ was assumed,

& the process was exactly reversed. —

I do not send this as having any advantage

over the other proof. Merely because it happened

accidentally to strike me, & I wrote it down ;

& I now [~~'may'~~ crossed out] enclose it for inspection, to see that I

have correctly deduced each step. —

2^{ndly}: I enclose you my Second Paper on [~~'the'~~ inserted] Accelerating

Force subject. This one is the explanation of

$$S = \int v . dt$$

Tomorrow I hope to send you the one on $t = \int \frac{ds}{v}$.

[119v] I hope I am not plaguing you very much.

I am anxious to read up to a certain point

before moving to Devonshire. —

Believe me

Yours most truly

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