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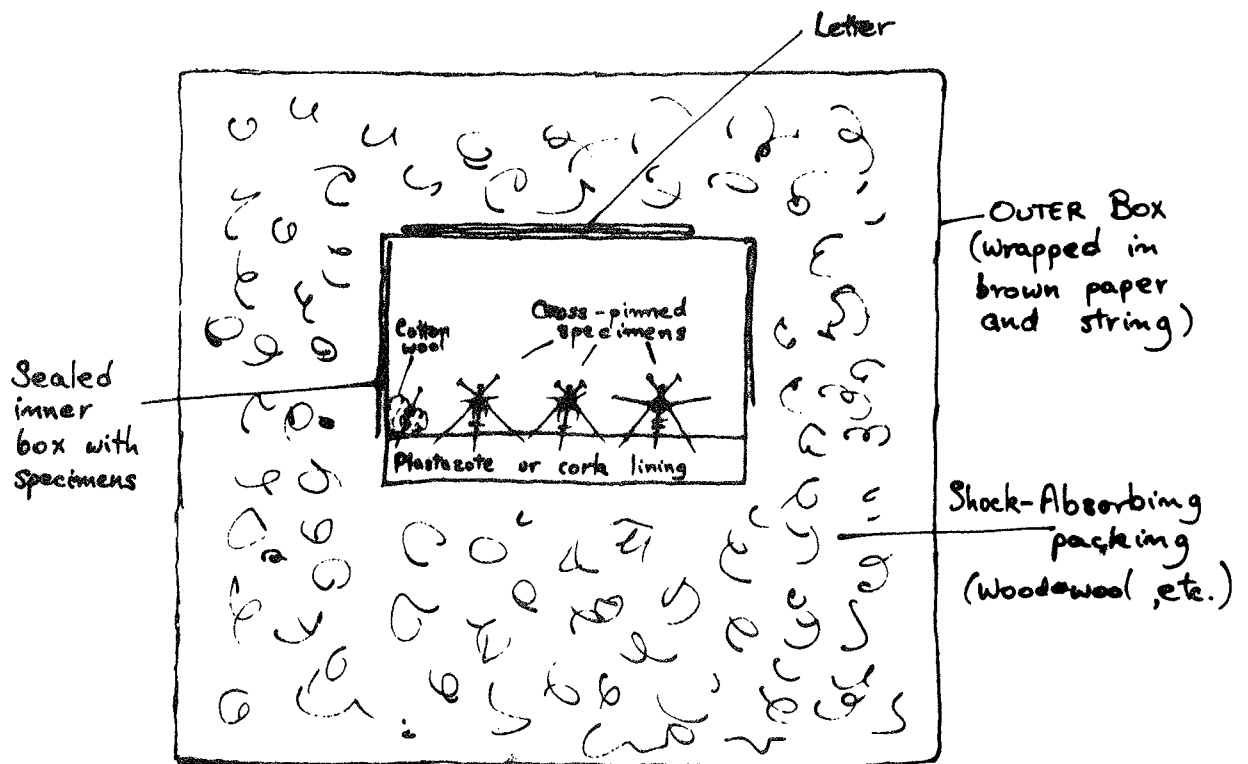
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The papers from the conference which we jointly held with the Society for the Bibliography of Natural History on the History of Museums and Collections in Natural History have been published (J. Soc. Bib. Nat. Hist., 9(4); 365-670). This is an excellent collection of papers only lacking in that the paper by A. P. Harvey, being an historical review of natural history publishing in museums, which was not read because he was understood to be ill, is not included. I was disappointed that this was not read at the meeting and got on my hind legs at the time and said so, also enquiring as to whether or not the text would be included in the published proceedings to which the answer was in the affirmative. The other mild criticism is that nowhere in the volume are the BCG or the GCG mentioned as joint organisers and sponsors of the meeting. The price of the volume is £20.00 to non-members.

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