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In reply to yours of 26<sup>th</sup> just received. I find  
~~a very poor~~ specimen of a Scirpus. Tell Aug 4. 94  
named ~~syriaticus~~ by Dr Snow. Should you  
wish to examine it I will leave it at Mass  
Horticultural Soc, or any other place more con-  
venient to you, when I come in toward the latter part  
of the work. I shall look for an additional pleasure  
at the next Revere House dinner in the hope of  
meeting you. Should you be in this vicinity at  
any time I would be very glad to meet you

Yrs truly,

Charles F. Fiske.

Jan. 27/96

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United States of America

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Walter Deane Eyr

9 Brewster St.

Cambridge

Mass.



Readville, Mass.

22 Jan 96

My dear Mr Deane

If you have *Carex*  
*umbellata* Schreb  
in the Blue Hill  
Reservation reported  
from me, erase it,

Yrs

G G K

~~GGK~~

Readville, Mass.

25 Jan 96

My dear Mr Deane

If you have *Muhlenbergia*  
*Sylvatica* T & G credited  
to the Blue Hills Reserve.  
fide G & K. dele

and substitute *M.*  
*Mildenovii* Trin for it.

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Potamogeton Spirillus Trich  
from Hoosier Whisk Pond

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I do not know of a *Picea*  
*nigra*, or a *rubra* within  
the limits of the Reservation,  
but I hope to go looking  
for them at some place a  
little later. So write me  
again about it, just at  
the last moment.

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*Hieracium Mappianum* is  
rather common in the Blue Hills.

mine are from the Reservation  
Road near N.W. of Hillside  
St.

Aster longifolius &  
tardiflorus were from  
the side of the new Reservation  
road coming fr. Braintree  
to Chelmsford and in  
Lynn.

Mr William  
telephoned me that he has  
asked you to come to us  
Tuxton tomorrow evening.  
I hope you will & the  
Goodbyea guests can  
wait till then, as I  
really have almost  
nothing to say on ch

Yrs G G K

119 Mass Ave  
Boston Jan 24/90.

My dear Mr Deane

In two of the  
lists which I used the localities  
are named - as Cambridge, Princeton,  
Bussey woods, Newton &c. & in  
the others "when not otherwise stated  
"the species were all collected near  
"Boston"

I am certainly disposed to meet  
your wishes in the matter &  
when Mr Manning is in a  
position to say what space will  
be allotted to fungi I will call  
on you at your convenience &  
think a conference will result in  
an arrangement equally satisfactory  
to yourself & Mr Manning  
Yours very truly  
Robert H Macadam

Dictated by Mr. Manning. OLMSTED, OLMSTED & ELIOT,  
LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS.

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EDWARD D. BOLTON,  
SUPERINTENDENT OF CONSTRUCTION.

WARREN H. MANNING,  
SUPERINTENDENT OF PLANTING.

BROOKLINE, MASS. October 23rd, 1895.

Mr. L. L. Dame,  
West Medford, Mass.

Dear Sir;- I enclose herewith a list of plants that has been received from Mr. G. F. Perry, 22 Adams Street, Melrose. He has observed all these plants within the limits of the Metropolitan Fells Reservation. If you are doubtful about any of them, please correspond with him. He has not complete specimens of all the plants, but can probably furnish you with sufficient material to identify them,.

Yours truly,  
W. H. Manning,

Have asked Dave  
if Perry is reliable.

Enter these as  
reported.

List of trees, shrubs, etc. observed by  
George F. Perry,  
in  
Fells Reservation.

Sassafras officinalis  
Ilex verticillata  
Rhus glabra  
Rhus typhina  
R. copallina  
R. Toxicodendron  
Betula excelsa  
B. alba var. ?  
Berberis vulgaris  
Juniperus Virginiana  
Pinus strobus  
Abies canadensis  
Cornus alternifolia  
C. florida  
C. stolonifera  
Quercus rubra  
" ilicifolia  
" bicolor  
" coccinea  
" tinctoria  
" alba  
Corylus rostrata  
" Americana  
Ostrya Virginica  
Castanea sesca  
Fagus ferruginea  
Viburnum dentatum  
" acerifolium  
Sambucus canadensis  
Lonicera sempervirens  
Clethra alnifolia  
Kalmia angustifolia  
Vaccinium corymbosum var. glabrum  
Carya tomentosa  
" alba  
" amara  
Robinia Pseudacacia  
Myrica cerifera  
Comptonia asplenifolia  
Fraxinus pubescens  
Patanus occidentalis  
Spiraea salicifolia  
" tomentosa  
Rosa carolina ?



- ~~Rosa lucida~~
- ~~Rubus canadensis~~
- ~~Pyrus arbutifolia~~
- ~~" Americana~~
- ~~Rubus villosus~~
- ~~" strigosus~~
- ~~Cerasus serotina~~
- ~~" Pennsylvanica~~
- ~~" Virginiana~~
- ~~Mitchella repens~~
- ~~Ceanothus Americanus~~
- ~~Populus tremuloides~~
- ~~" balsamifera~~
- ~~" grandidentata~~
- ~~Ribes Cynosbati~~
- ~~" rubrum~~
- ~~Aesculus Hippocastanum~~
- ~~Acer rubrum~~
- ~~" dasycarpum~~
- ~~Ulmus Americana~~
- ~~Ampelopsis quinquefolia~~
- ~~Vitis aestivalis ?~~
- ~~Lobelia cardinalis~~
- ~~Benzoin odoriferum, or Lindera Benzoin~~
- ~~Humulus Lupulus.~~

Dame will write me about this.

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WARREN H. MANNING,

125 TREMONT STREET,

BOSTON, MASS.

Feb 4th 1886

Dear Mr. Dean:- The Scotts Woods plants are from that part of the Scotts Woods that is within the reservation, at least those that I collected are, for I was particular to look up the line.

Yours truly,

*Warren H. Manning*

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METROPOLITAN PARK COMMISSION,

114 AMES BUILDING,

BOSTON,

March 5th, 1896

(General)

Prof. Walter Deane,

9 Brewster Street,

Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Dear Sir:

Your list of the flora of the reservations of this Commission was presented to this Board by Messrs. Olmsted, Olmsted & Eliot, and I have been instructed to make arrangements for the printing of the same. Would it be convenient for you to call and see me at this office as there are several matters in regard to printing that I should like to consult with you about?

Very truly yours,



Secretary.

Dear Mr. Dean;

I have been quite unable to keep my promise in regard to the time of sending in the enclosed list. But I feel quite confident that you will acquit me of intentional negligence, when I mention that my right arm has been blistered and cauterized many times within the past three weeks.

When the list is printed, if it will be an assistance,

The proof can be sent to  
me for correction.

I am now given the promise  
of using my arm, and I  
shall be very happy to make  
amends for my delay.

Very sincerely,

Flora W. Patterson.

29 Hammond St.

Cambridge.

Jan. 13. '95-

~~Pronospora Ficaricae, Tul~~  
or Ranunculus bulbosus.

B3.

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Synchytrium Myosotidis var.

Patentillae, Feal  
or Potentilla Canadensis.

M. Louis A. Crocker



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*Plowrightia morboza*, (Sal) <sup>Sw.</sup> Facc  
or *Panus virginiana*.

1883

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~~Taphrina Alni-incana~~ (Kühn)  
an *Alnus incana*. Magnus  
H. A. B. B.

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~~Daphnia~~ *caerulea* (Mont. & Desm.)  
Tal

*inveniens* *coecinea*

Kar. *lunctoria*

M

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*Taphrosia flava*, Fark  
in *Betula populifolia*.

S. 80.



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~~Magnusiella~~ ~~Potentillae~~ (Pursh.)  
or ~~Potentilla~~ Canadensis. Doubtless.

1803

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*Puccinia Anemones*, P.

an *Anemone nemorosa*.

M. Louis A. Groenewald

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*Gymnosporangium clavipes*, C. S. P.  
or *Juniperus Virginiana*.

M

Anta Great Britain

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*Hydnum succineolum* *Fr.*

*Polyborus versicolor*, (L.) Fr.



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Flora W. Patterson

FUNGI.

Ustilagineae.

Urocystis Hypoxis, Thaxter. (Rare.)

On Hypoxis erecta. Stony Brook Reservation, June 17, 1895.

The finding of this species is of considerable interest as it has been reported but once before when it was collected by Dr. Thaxter in Connecticut.

See Phycomycetes.

~~Peronosporaceae.~~

Peronospora Corydalis, DeV. (Probably frequent.)

On Corydalis glauca. Blue Hills Reservation, near Great Blue Hill, September 2, 1895.

Peronospora Linariae, Tckl. (Frequent but obscure.)

On Linaria Canadensis. Stony Brook Reservation, June 17, 1895.

~~Pyrenopeziza Linariae, Tckl.~~  
~~Pyrenopeziza Linariae, Tckl.~~

Discomycetes.

Geoglossum Peckianum, Cooke. (Common.)

Middlesex Fells, near Shiner Pond, August, 1895.

Leotia chlorocephala, Schw. (Common.)

Middlesex Fells, near Shiner Pond, August, 1895.

Peziza hirta, Schum. (Common.)

Middlesex Fells, August, 1895.

Exoasceae.

1 Exoascus sp. ?

(Very rare.)

On Alnus incana. Blue Hills Reservation, June 17, 1895.

This is the first Exoascus found in America upon Alnus leaves. The determination of the species is reserved for further collections and more critical study.

Uredineae.

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7  
Caecoma nitens, Schw.

(Abundant.)

On Rubus villosus. Blue Hills Reservation, June 17, 1895.

Chrysonyxa pirolata, Wint. (Scarce.)

On Pirola rotundifolia. Blue Hills Reservation, near Babel Rock

September 3, 1895.

Puccinia graminis, Pers.

(Every where.)

On Agrostis vulgaris. Great Blue Hill. September 2, 1895.

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Roestelia Potryapites, B.

(Often abundant but restricted.)

On Amelanchier Canadensis var. oblongifolia.

Top of Hancock Hill, Blue Hills Reservation, September 2, 1895.

Roestelia globosa, Thaxter (Frequent.)

On Crataegus coccinea, L. Stony Brook Reservation, June 17, 1895.

Put in  
under rocks

Basidiomycetes.

Cantharellus citarius, Fr.

Middlesex Fells, August, 1895.

on ground.  
edible.

Craterellus cornucopioides, (L.) Pers.

(Frequent.)

Middlesex Fells, August 1895.

on ground

Exobasidium Vaccinii, (Fekl.) Wor.

(Common.)

On Vaccinium vacillans, Stony Brook Reservation, June 17, 1895.

Hydnum suaveolens.

(Common.)

Middlesex Fells, August, 1895.

Polyporus versicolor.

(Common.)

Middlesex Fells, August, 1895.

on wood.

Rhizisma solidaginis, Schw. (Frequent.)

On Aster corymbosus. Blue hills Reservation, Great Dome, Sep. 2, 1895-

Schizophyllum commune, Fr.

(Common.)

Middlesex Fells, August, 1895.

on wood.

Fungi Imperfecti.

Gloeosporium Canadense, Ell. & Ev.

(Common and very destructive.)

On Quercus alba, Blue Hills Reservation, June 17, 1895. - M.

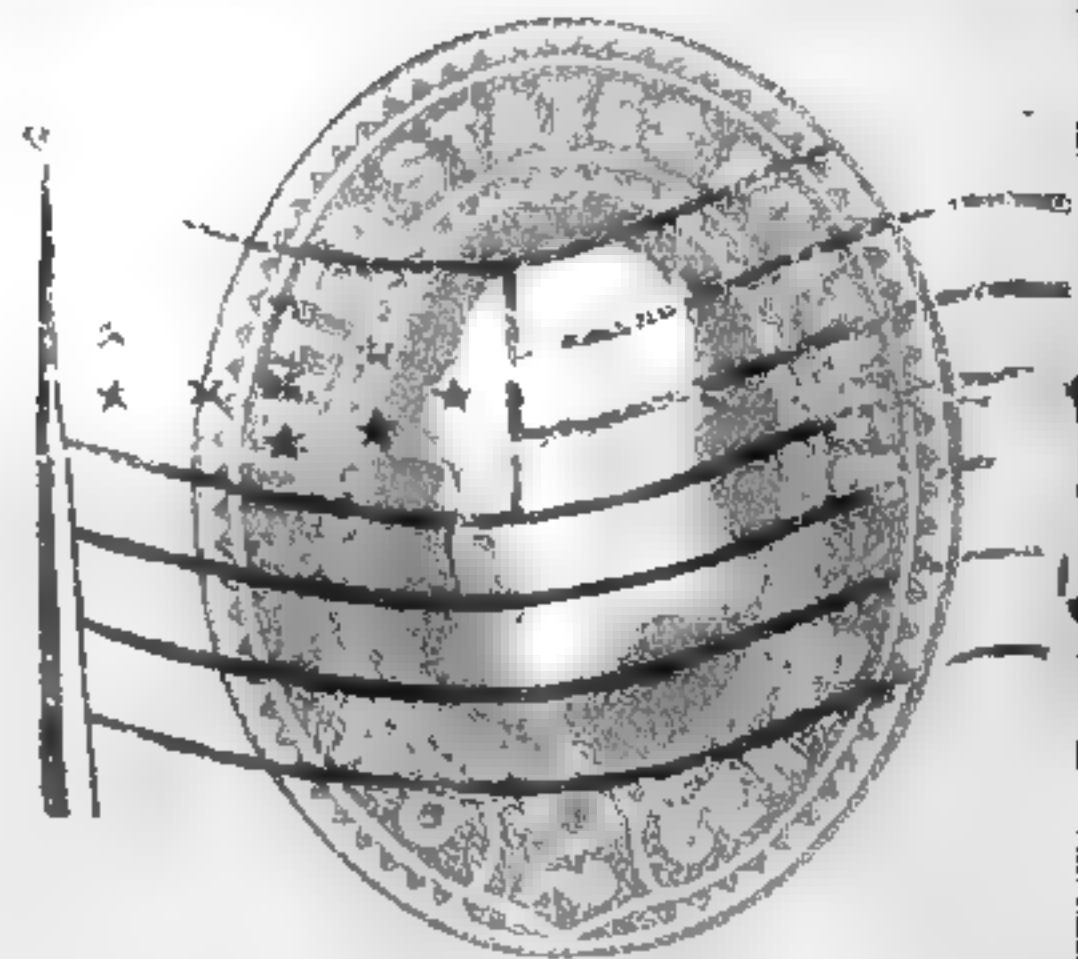
Phyllosticta pomiformis, Sacc.

(Frequent.)

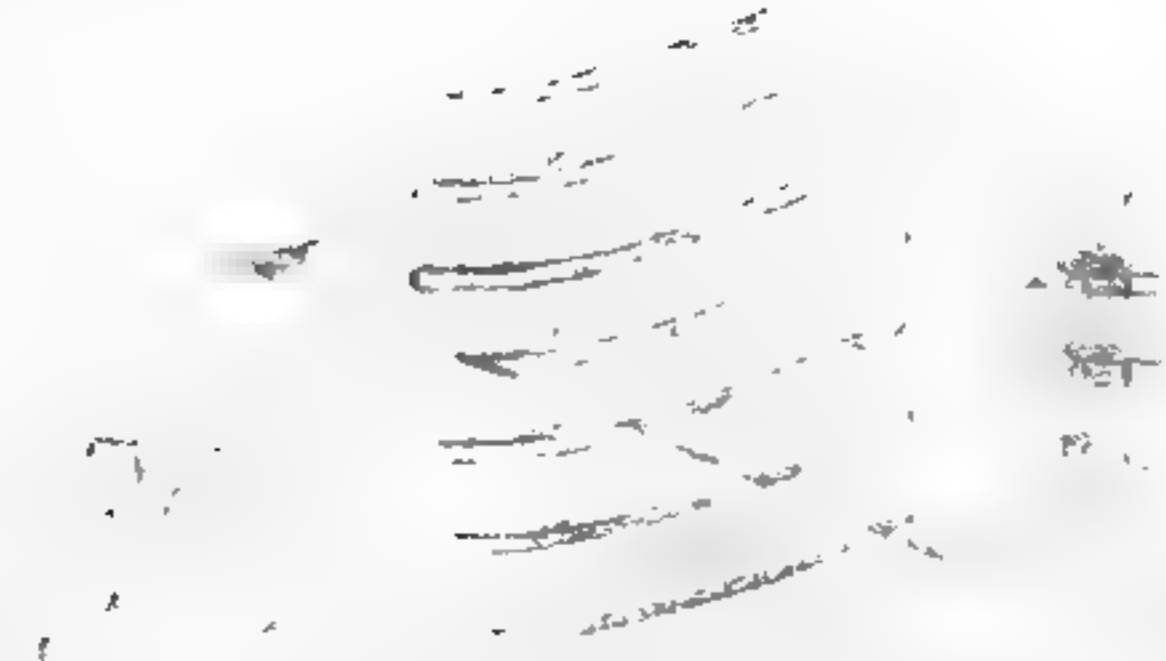
On Quercus alba, Blue Hills Reservation, June 17, 1895.

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From 29 Hammond St.  
Cambridge. Mass.



Mr. Walter Dean.  
Room 20. No. 125 - Summit St.  
Boston. Mass.



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Thurs Mar. 3, 1904

Mr. Warren H. Manning

Dear Sir,

I have corresponded with some Algassix members in regard to obtaining some information relative to the Natural History of the Tule Reservation. But as yet I can give you nothing more than you already know from Miss Zimari's. I had inserted in our local paper a notice in relation to the subject, this may bear fruit.

Nearly all the ferns which I have so far identified were found in the Tule, I shall endeavor ~~to~~ during the coming summer to cover the whole eastern section of the Tule.

I have an old blue-print of the "Geology of Middlesex Falls", prepared by Dr. Lincoln D. Geneva N.H. This you may have if it will be of any use to you.

Dr. Lincoln has covered the whole territory named, he is very thorough, he takes nothing for granted, and if you want any

help on geology, perhaps he will aid you. 2

He is usually around Boston during July and August. (He teaches in Geneva)

I will bring the subject mentioned in your letter of Jan 14th '91 before the coming State convention in May, perhaps you could be present at that meeting.

I wrote to Reading, and they referred me to Mr. W. W. Manning as the only active member who had belonged to Reading Chapter.

I am arranging my Lichens in boxes and trying to identify them.

The most striking are the;

Umbilicaria, there are but two species, usually found together the villosa and pusillata.

The Cladonias I have cristatella pyridata uncialis and two or three uncertain.

there are several of the Parmelia. etc. etc etc

My note book is arranged thus.

Tribes I

Family Parmelici

Genus Theloschistes

Species parietina

Locality Marblehead Mass. near the Fort.

Thallus foliaceous-reduced.

Surface -

color. chrome yellow.

apothecium

disk chrome yellow

exciple

Rhizoids many

Spores

Habitat on rocks, near salt water.



I will send you a list of Ferns if you will  
Please state which nomenclature you want used.  
The old or new  
Miss Caroline M. Crawford - Hotel Southworth  
Newbury, Mass. has done more or less botanical  
near Boston, perhaps she can aid you some.

With best wishes for your success

I am

Yours truly

Geo. T. Gray.

#22 Adams St.

Worcester

Mass

*Handwritten notes or scribbles in the top right corner.*

*Handwritten mark resembling a checkmark or the number 7.*

Melrose Mar. 16/95

Dear Mr. Manning

I received from you paper relating to the Flora of the Metropolitan Reservations, I will try and make such use of them as will assist in the work in which you are engaged. Can I buy one of the maps mentioned?

I am not a botanist but am picking up the names of some of our plants.

One plant found in the Fells is not common, that is *Calla palustris*, or at least I suppose that is the species name as I find no other *Calla* mentioned in Gray. I find the same swant I find Forget-me-nots, and on its banks two years ago I found *Adiantum pedatum*, but the latter was in an exposed position and probably some one found it.

Is the *Cornus alternifolia* rare? there is one tree 50 ft. from line of Fells, if the tree is rare I will see if I can find one within the borders of Reservation near the one I mention.

I inclose a list of ferns which we have identified.

Yours truly

Geo. F. Perry.

#22 Adams St.

Work done by George F. Peck  
during 1895.

This season my investigations have been wholly in the North-east section of the Falls Reservation, that part north of Washington St. and East of Pond St. This takes from Virginia Hood to Doleful Pond. My reason for selecting this part of the Falls, is that most of it is little traveled except in the main paths. I have made it a point to crawl through the densest tangle of Green Brier, and thicker, and it is my object to become familiar with every rod of the section named, which comprises about 350 acres.

The first year can only be called a preliminary step, as knowing little or nothing of botany and forestry I was obliged to learn the science (in part), and then catalog every kind of tree, shrub and vine, next year I can make

a systematic collection of the <sup>2</sup>  
parts of trees at different stages  
of their growth. The most I have  
so far collected is leaves.

In addition to collecting and cata-  
loging, I am taking notes on  
the habitat, the effect of insects  
and any peculiarity I may  
notice.

Below is a list of trees, shrubs etc  
which I have so far identified, and  
I have the location of each.

*Sassafras officinalis*.

*Ilex verticillata*

*Rhus glabra*

*R. typhina*

*R. copallina*

*R. Toxicodendron*

*Betula pfeelsa*

*B. alba*: var.?

*Berberis vulgaris*

*Juniperus Virginiana*

*Pinus strobus*

*Abies Canadensis*

Cornus alternifolia  
 C. florida  
 C. stolonifera  
 Quercus rubra  
 Q. ilicifolia  
 Q. bicolor  
 Q. coccinea  
 Q. tinctoria  
 Q. alba  
 Corylus rostrata  
 C. americana  
 Ostrya virginica  
 Castanea sesca  
 Fagus ferruginea  
 Viburnum dentatum  
 V. acerifolium  
 Sambucus canadensis  
 Lonicera sempervirens  
 Cletia alnifolia  
 Kalmia angustifolia  
 Vaccinium corymbosum var. glabrum,  
 Carya tomentosa  
 C. alba  
 C. amara  
 Robinia Pseudacacia  
 Myrica cerifera  
 Comptonia asplenifolia  
 Fragaria pubescens.  
 Patanus occidentalis (2)  
 Spiraea salicifolia  
 S. tomentosa

Rosa Carolina ?

R. lucida

Rubus Canadensis

Pyrus Americana

P. arbutifolia

Rubus villosus

R. strigosus

Cerasus serotina

C. Pennsylvanica

C. Virginiana

Mitchella repens.

Ceanothus Americanus

Populus tremuloides

P. balsamifera

P. grandidentata

Ribes cynosbati.

R. rubrum

Aesculus Hippocastanum

Acer rubrum

A. dasycarpum

Ulmus Americana

Ampelopsis quinquefolia

Vitis aestivalis ?

Lobelia cardinalis

Benzoin odoriferum, or Sindera Benzoin.

Humulus lupulus.

I have a list of several which  
I want to prove by their fruit.  
(not named above).

#22 Adams St.  
Melrose Oct. 13/95

Mr. W. H. Manning.

Dear Sir

I inclose notes  
on work performed, and will  
at once send back the lists  
and maps which you sent  
me.

I should be glad to have  
a set next year, as by that  
time I may be able to  
be of some service to you.

I shall continue to take  
notes this fall and winter  
when the weather is suitable

I am yours truly

Geo. H. Perry.

P.S. Is *Castanea sativa* correct, it is given  
on Page 35 of catalog sent me.?



Ferns so far identified by Geo. F. Perry.  
Fells Reservation.

|                                  |    |                      |
|----------------------------------|----|----------------------|
| <i>Polypodium vulgare</i>        | c. |                      |
| <i>Adiantum pedatum</i>          |    | 8 specimens - 1 loc. |
| <i>Pteris aquilina</i>           | c  |                      |
| <i>Asplenium Trichomanes</i>     | o  |                      |
| <i>A. ebnerum</i>                | c  |                      |
| <i>A. thelypteroides</i>         | c  |                      |
| <i>A. Filix foemina</i>          | c  |                      |
| <i>Phegopteris polypodioides</i> |    | many 1 locality      |
| <i>P. hexagonoptera</i>          |    | do.                  |
| <i>P. Dryopteris</i>             |    | do.                  |
| <i>Aspidium Thelypteris</i>      | c  |                      |
| <i>A. novaboracense</i>          | c  |                      |
| <i>A. spinulosum</i>             | c  |                      |
| <i>A. cristatum</i>              | c  |                      |
| <i>A. marginale</i>              | c  |                      |
| <i>A. acrostichoides</i>         | c  |                      |
| <i>Cystopteris fragilis</i>      |    | c in 1 locality.     |
| <i>Onoclea sensibilis</i>        | c  |                      |
| <i>Woodsia Ilvensis</i>          | c  |                      |
| <i>D. huncilobula</i>            | c  |                      |
| <i>O. stans regalis</i>          | c  |                      |
| <i>O. Claytoniana</i>            | c  |                      |
| <i>O. cinnamomea</i>             | c  |                      |

Botrychium Virginicum f.

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Lichens.

Have collected a number and placed in boxes, but am unable to identify them.

Shall I send them to you?

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I have found in locality  
L 24-25 - a "tree" with bark  
like a white birch and leaves  
like a red birch.

I have not given you the names  
of any of the genus *Salix* as  
I shall have to make a special  
study of them, beginning early  
next spring.

On page #35 of your catalog you give  
*Castanea sativa* var. *Americana* is  
that identical with *Castanea vesca*  
given in Gray?

On page #9 is *Pondacacia* spelt correct-  
ly?

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appears  
Send Acknowledgment  
W. D. Sear

#22 Adams St.

Melrose Dec. 2d 1895  
Mr. W. H. Manning

Dear Sir;

I am studying trees and shrubs as I have an opportunity so as to prepare myself for next seasons work. I have no good work on trees, could you advise me which book to buy, one that is not expensive. (Say \$3. or \$4.) Do you know any thing about Chas. S. Newhall's "Trees of N. E. America."

As I said at the beginning of this year, I cannot promise to do anything, but shall make

an effort to, going over the  
same ground again.

I have had not time to  
pack and send the Lichens  
to you but they are all  
packed in small boxes and  
are safe.

Yours truly  
Geo. F. Perry