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Most illustrious person and celebrated botanist Dr. Engelman from Elias Fries

I gratefully acknowledge the receipt of the second part of Plantarum Lindheimeri and as a thank you for your generosity I am sending you in return 5-600 rare scandinavian plants.

From my singularly competent and generous friend Asa Gray I received some time ago the first volume of the Lindheimer collection. I have inserted the first collection in our herbarium and shall now do the same with the second. The sheets had been disturbed during the transportation and the assignment of many specimens is not clear. I must therefore ask you, if possible, to send me a list of interpretations of plants about which I am uncertain.

I am not happy with my american plant collection. The complete Tuckerman Herbarium; a small endowment of the Schweinitz collection and Curtises; these I have received from Asa Gray. From the same new world I have almost nothing from Oregon and the Rocky Mountain region, also very little from Mississippi, Georgia, Alabama, Florida and Louisiana. The current Draemondi collection with this regional distribution has not been made available to me. Thus I must respectfully ask you if you can send me some of these regional plants for which I am prepared to remunerate you.

Best regards my famous friend; I, too, hope to be included among your many friends.

Daban, Upsala June 20 1847 (Engelmann corrected to 1857. Transl.)
Great in Europe; not to speak of America!