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Dubuque Iowa Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> 1848.

Dear Sir.

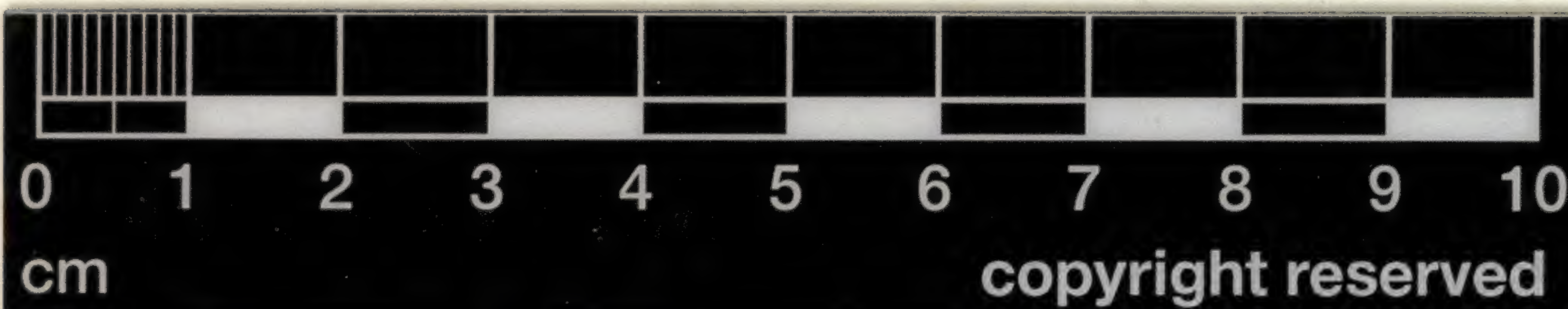
I sent by a steambast to-day a small package of roots of our Pulsatilla patens, Mill. for our friend Dr Gray. It was consigned to Beane King & Co. of St Louis, care of Dr Engelmann. They are packed in moist mof & have around them a quantity of their native soil. I hope you will not delay forwarding them as early as possible, that they may reach Cambridge before very cold weather - though I don't suppose frost would injure them.

I have not done much yet towards analyzing the plants I have collected during the season, but shall endeavor to determine them before spring. My fall colls are rather limited, owing to a greater call upon my time in professional duties.

Yours Respectfully,

Dr. Engelmann,

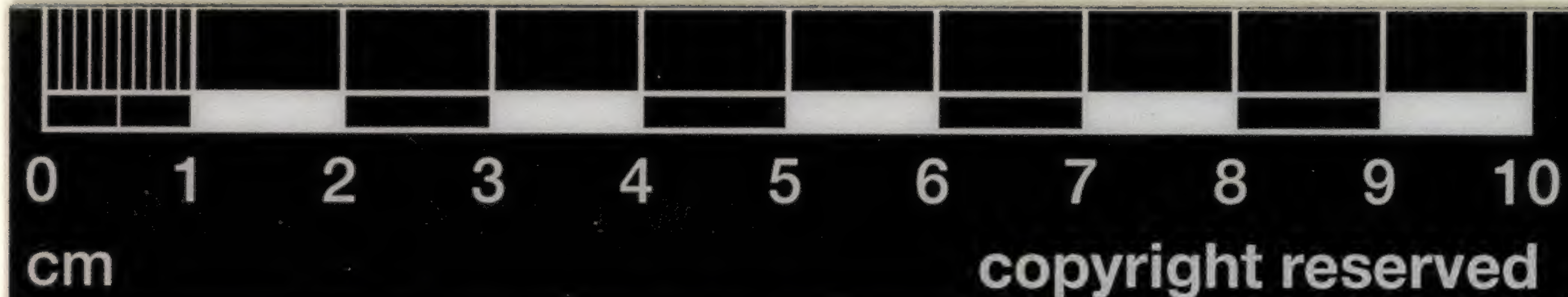
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Rec Nov 7<sup>th</sup>  
As Dec 5

Dubuque, Iowa, Oct. 30. 1857.

Dr. G. Engelmann

St Louis, Mo. Dear Sir,

Since the receipt of your kind reply to my letter of last December, I have been making meteorological observations with such instruments as could be obtained in our place, and about 3 months ago I had the pleasure of receiving from the Smithsonian Inst. a full set of thermometers, which have been faithfully observed. Last week Dr. Henry sent me a rain gauge & a barometer the latter however was broken before I received it. This I regretted very much & sought the first opportunity to return it to Mr. Green of N.Y. the maker. But now the trouble will be to secure its safe & prompt transmission before the close of navigation - otherwise I shall have to wait till Spring. My object in addressing you is to engage your services in securing an opportunity of having the barometer brought to you at St Louis - where I can obtain it without difficulty - perhaps before the closure of the river by ice. Please answer, if you can secure its transmission. I will be happy to pay any expense that may be involved.

Respectfully Your Servant

Asa Horst



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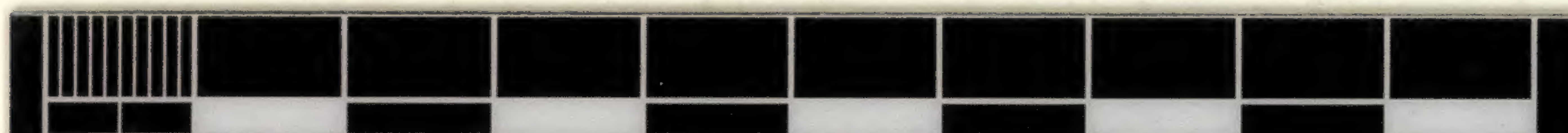
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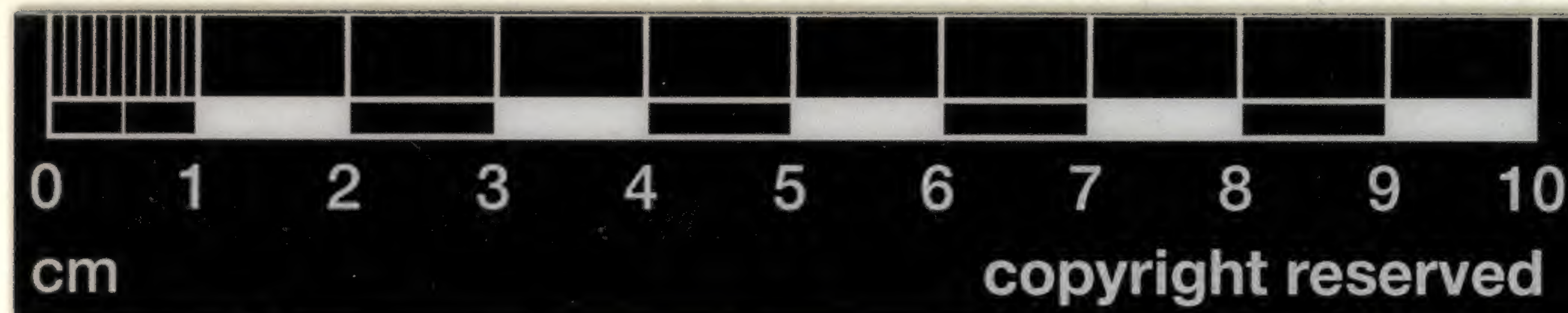


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Rec<sup>d</sup> Nov 4  
Ans Nov 26

Dubuque, Iowa Oct. 31. 1853

Geo Engelmann

St Louis, Mo } Dear Sir,

I have placed  
in store for shipment to your address  
one Al. spotted fish taken from  
the Mississippi near Dubuque, which  
I wish forwarded to L. Agassiz  
of Cambridge Mass. It will be to the  
care of some of the shippers of your  
line & will probably arrive in  
a week or ten days. It is  
a contribution to assist the Prof.  
in obtaining materials for his forth-  
coming work on fishes.

I am continuing my Acetrol-  
ogical observations for the Smithsonian  
Institute & take great interest in them.

With grateful feelings for your  
former kindness

I am yours truly-

Asa Torr.



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Rec<sup>d</sup> Dec 16<sup>th</sup>  
Ans Dec 20<sup>th</sup>

Dubuque, Iowa, Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> 1853.

Mrs. Engelmann M.D. }

St Louis. Mo. } Dear Sir -

Yours of the  
6<sup>th</sup> inst & one of last month are rec<sup>d</sup>.  
The fish mentioned were shipped  
on the Steam Boat Leva to the care of  
Otis West St Louis - it was a full  
barrel of 42 gallons - not a keg.  
I wished them sent to Prof.  
Agassiz.

Very Respectfully

Asa Torr.



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Dec 16<sup>th</sup>  
Dec 20<sup>th</sup>

Suberger, Jan. Dec. 2-1873.

Mr. Engelman Mt. St Louis. Nov. 1873

Some of the  
I find a one of last month's ones  
The first mentioned were shipped  
on the steam boat to the care of  
Ott's West St Louis - it was a full  
bunch of 12 stalks - not a leaf  
I wish them sent to Prof.

Yours truly  
George Engelmann



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