

- Sphery. Russowii var. et (Reine 19: 68)
 v. Birgenschmiedes Russ. (Bot. G. 15: 132)
 v. fossilium Russ. (" ")
- S. Warstorfii Russ. (Reine 19: 68)
 v. purpuraceus Russ. (B. G. 15: 140)
 v. vesicular Russ. (" ")
 v. viride Russ. (" ")
- S. acutifolia ^(b. subulosa) vesicular _{Warst} (B. G. 15: 193)
- S. squarrosum spectabile Russ. (B. G. 15: 224)
- S. vulgatum vesicular Warst (B. G. 15: 225)
- S. medium Paere. (Fournet) (B. G. 15: 253)
- Rhabdomeria denticulata (Pd) B.S. (B. G. 9: 151)
- Barbula gracilis Schwaeg. (Ind. Bot. 1: 75)

Monte Zucconi V.

Mosses not on trees
 Mt. Zucconi

Apr. 17/98

1/2

April 16. '98

Dear Sir;

I shall be very
glad indeed of any
additional information
concerning 1. ~~the~~ 2.

I am a Peruvian
by birth and education
and have been studying
its flora for the last
8 or 10 years.

Yours truly,
A. J. Grant



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Mr. Franklin Collins,

125 E. Ave.

Manchester,
N.H.



Plymouth, N.H.
April 18 95

I have just received a complete list of Favos N. Sphoera and he includes all you send me and some others.

S. Russowii +
S. Wamstorffii, species are not included but many varieties of these species.

I should very much like the reference for *Rhabdoviscia reticulata*

+
Barbula gracilis. I expect the later is from N.H. or Mass. Thank you for your favor. I remain sincerely yours, J. S. H. Sargent.

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Mr. J. Franklin Collins,

126 S. 11th St.

Pennsylvania

P.O. 2

Plymouth, N.H.
Oct. 17, 95



Dear Mr. Ballou; -

I thank you for the check. The moss specimens are not very large as the rates are so low and applicants so numerous.

I will send you a regular receipt - later.

Sincerely,
A. J. S. W.

Do you exchange missives?



Plymouth, N.H.
Oct. 21, 98

Dear Mr. Ballou:-

I should be more than pleased to have your article on a slide heater for the Jan'y '99 issue of the "Biologist." I had not planned any plate of masses for that issue and as my contracts with plate permits are plate each issue yours will just fit in.

If conveniently condensed to that length I should like the whole thing to go on two pages but will gladly

give more room if necessary
to completeness and clearness.

I wish I could afford twice
the space that I now have, I
could easily fill it.

I think that a drawing is easily
reduced to any desired proportions.

$\frac{1}{2}$ is a common practice.

By measuring a box of the
Bryalopit you can easily
get at your dimensions.

I don't believe I ever thanked
you for your article in the last
Bryalopit. If I haven't please
accept my sincere thanks, if
not too late.

I saw Dr. Kennedy's "beats"
last Aug. and he was enthusiastic
over it.

I hoped I might meet
you then (A.A.A.S.) but
didn't do so. Were you there?

I should like your MS. by the
first week in Dec.

I will insert the note you
send in our next issue.

Sincerely yours,

A. J. Shront,

ms. & rec.
sent. Oct. 23/98.
A. J. S.

Plymouth, N. H.
Oct. 27, '98.

Dear Mr. Ballins:-

Your article arrived a day or two ago, for which I thank you heartily.

I am in the throes of moving from one house to another and haven't had time to digest it yet.

The drawing looks big but if you measured it, it is doubtless O.K. I haven't it here or would measure it myself. Unless you hear from

me again to the contrary
within a week you may
consider it all O.K. The only
question with me is, Did you
measure the page on the
printed surface?

Very sincerely,

A. J. Rhoads

P.S. Will have the
separates struck off as you
desired. Am very sorry
that I can't afford to give
them but at present the
Bryologist doesn't pay for itself.
Glete & the F.B. get all
the profits.

A. J. R.

Plymouth, N. H.
Dec. 8, 1898,

Dear Mr. Ballin: --

You have
been appointed Vice-
President of the Mass-
achusetts and I hope you
will do us the favor to
accept.

Sincerely,
A. J. Grant

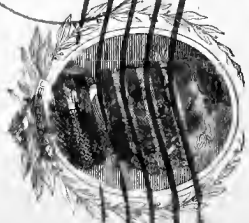
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Plymouth,
N.H. 1-11-29

Dear Mr Ballins:-

Please
excuse the slip by ~~which~~ ^{which} your name was
omitted. Either

the copyist the printer
or myself was to
blame. I don't know
which. The paper
correctain will be
made in the April
Buzalopst.

Sincerely,

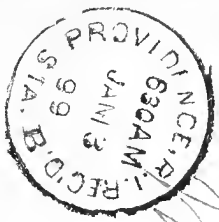
A. Grant.

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Mr. J. Franklin Collins
126 E. Ave.
Providence,
R.I.

297 Jefferson Ave
Brooklyn N.Y.
May 30. 99

My Dear Sir: Please pardon
my delay in determining
your name. Last Feb.

I came to the Boss' High School of Brooklyn
to teach history and
the change I did not

fully agree with
as I have

and unable to attend
to my school work for
a portion of the term
The mass will have to be
called a var. of campylo
at present, though far
from typical. In the
seriation and accumulation
of its leaves it resembles Thuderic
Walt rough sets A.J.G.

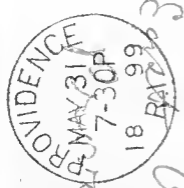
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J. Collins



*One
Providence
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221 Washington St
Boston Aug 1-2-1900

Dear Mr. Collins:-

Thank you
for your prompt subscription
to my *Musci Pleuroscopi*.

I mail sat. day. tomorrow,
hoping they will prove
satisfactory as I have
endeavored to have
them in all possible
respects. Use the
specimens as long as
expected. If not I
will make them
still larger.

Sincerely

P.S. ^{at J.P.'s request}
I'll send you 500 to Mrs
Spurr at once.
A.C.

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Mr. J. F. Bellis
Ypsilanti University,
Paris, Ind.
R. I.



360 Lemoyne Ave

Jan. 9, 1901

Dear Mr. Collins:

Thank you
very much for your offer
to make me a slide
holder. I shall be very
glad to accept it whenever
you can find time to
make it.

Have you a full set of
my Taney Club publications?

Sincerely
A. J. Rowan

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Mr. J. F. Franklin Colburn

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D. C.

221 Madison St

Brooklyn, N. Y.

June 6, 1906

Dear Mr. Collins:

I should
indeed like a specimen
of the Maine Anacampta-
dora. Will send you
a specimen of
Catharina *Crispa*
as soon as I get
around to it. If I
don't do it, remind
me if it.

Cordially,

A. J. Throat

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Mr. J. F. Franklin Collins

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Mar. 12 1900

Tetradactylus
received all right

A. J. GROUT,
360 LENOX R'D,
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Mr. J. F. Collins

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360 Linnæ Rd,
Flushing, Brooklyn
N.Y. - Sept. 12

My Dear Collins; As you
will not stand for Pres.
and have indicated a
desire to withdraw we
have nominated Mr.

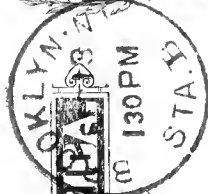
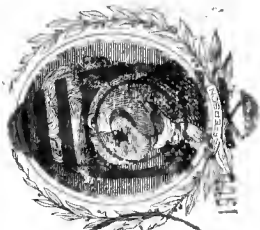
J. M. Huntington of
Amherst Mass in
your place unless we hear
of your disapproval

Hastily,
A. J. Grant

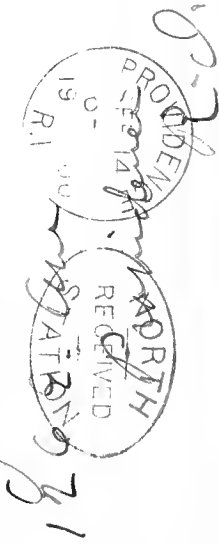
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Mr. J. Franklin Calhoun



P.S. what will
you make
out a
chick woman
she like the
one described
in the ~~Biographical~~
for?

360 Lexington
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Jan 5 1901

Dear Mr. Culbert:

If you
will send \$1.00 to
Mrs. Smith she will
receipt your chapter dues
and send you a copy of my
book. This will be
announced in the Biologist.

Or if you prefer I will
send you a copy post paid
for \$1.10. This last is
better because but it is
only fair that you should
have the advantage of chapter
membership.

Sincerely
A. J. Grant

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Mr. J. Franklin Corlies
468 1/2 10th St
Brooklyn
R 208



360 Juny Pl.
Brooklyn N.Y.
Feb. 8, 1881

Dear Mr. Collins:

I shall
be very glad to send
you my tetradactylum
as soon as I can get
my affairs moving
~~off~~ I am not able
to attend school yet
and shall not be
for another week,
My specimens are for
and are all mounted
on a slide.
If you don't get it
soon write again.
Cordially
A. J. Grant -

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Mr. J. Franklin Collins

~~Boston~~ *Mass 81*

~~Franklin~~ *Mass 81*

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Wm. B. Baker

360 Lenox Ave
Brooklyn NY
Feb. 22, 1951


Dear Mr. Ballis:

I am
mailing *Tetradartium*
with this. It did not
seem to me to quite fit
either of the described
species.

I thank you very much for
the slide holder. I inclose
check for cost of material
~~and~~ I am also mailing
you a copy of Masses
with a hand lens.

Very sincerely
A. J. Grant

Small notes to
be added to
the
list



360 Linn. Rd
Brooklyn, N.Y.
Mar. 6 (1961)

Dear Sir:

The heats
came all O.K. I
have not yet had time
to use it.

Did you receive
N. Am. Mus. Pleurocystis
26-50 all right.

I am greatly obliged
for the heats.

Cordially
and faithfully
ad
H. J. Pant

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Oct. 8, 1901

Dear Dr. Groot:-

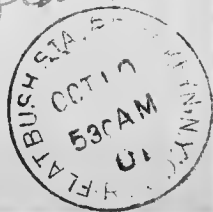
Is it possible to
get Vol. 1. of the Biologist
separate from the
Form Bulletin?

If possible what is the
expense?

Very truly,

J. Franklin Collins,

See inner front
cover of
Biologist.
Cordially,
A. G.



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360 Sweet Road

Brooklyn

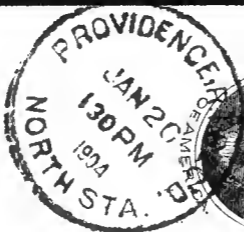
N. Y.

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BROOKLYN, N. Y.

Jan. 20

Thanks for your
note. Dr. Best -
was my authority
and I have
referred your card
to him. Many
thanks.

I have the First +
Tuckerman Catalogue
but took my cue
from Best revision
cordially
A. Howard -



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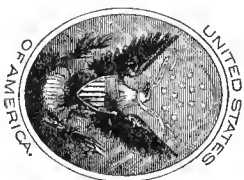
365 LEXOX B'D,
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

Jan 21.

Dear Mr. Calhoun:

Your No.
is at hand and
is very acceptable.
Would you object
if we abbreviate
the introductory
matter a little
without interfering
with subject matter?

Sincerely
A. J. Hunt -



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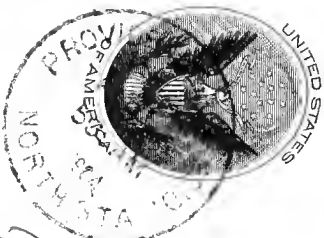
Prof. Franklin Collins
Dept of Biology
Brown University
Providence R.I.

"The Bryologist,"
78 ORANGE STREET,
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

Jan 31

Sanctions to
Mrs All O.K.

A. Grant-



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Mr. J. F. Franklin Berlin
46 S. Hope St.
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A. J. CROUT,
360 LENOX R'D,
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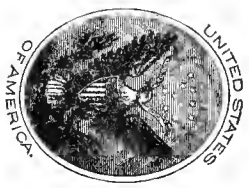
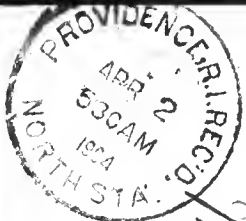
Dear Mr. Ballin:

Mandy
thanks for your note
calling attention to
my error in
duplicating B.
inclusion terms

It was a rather
stupid blunder on
my part.

Cordially

A. J. Crout



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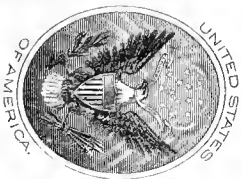
Dear Mr. Collins:

Will you
remember Pt. II of my
Massachusetts Hand-les
& Microscope?

I am sending first time
signatures and proofs
of the rest as the
bank will not be out
for a week and Miss
Smith wants the
MS as soon as possible.

Of course I will send
you a complete copy as
soon as issued.

Yours
Please let me know soon



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J. Franklin B. [unclear]
468 W. [unclear]

Providence
R.I.

May 16

Dear Mr. Collins:

Thank you very
much for your reminder.
It is all O.K.

Sincerely
A. Stout-

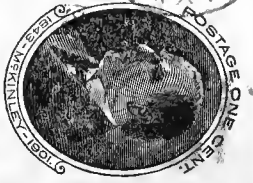


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Franklin Collins
46 S. Water St.
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Check
sent 24 Mar.

was Del
Brooklyn, N.Y.
March 3, 1895

This fascicle of *P. m.*
sei (Ctenocarpus) nos. 20 &
nos. 20, - 22 inclusive and
five supplementary numbers,
nos. 20a, 209a, 210a, 211a, 212a

Labels for nos. 20, 21, & 22
have to be reprinted and
will be sent with the receipted
- the

receipt, for the fascicle of
70 for an advance sub
scription to the journal.

If specimens or labels
are missing, they should
be sent at once, as no corre
ctions will be made in
7 days.

C. D. Brown

J. FRANKLIN COLLINS
468 Hope Street, Providence, R. I., U. S. A., 2 Oct. 1905

Dear Dr. Grant.

Can you give me
any information as to where
I can see any of the following
named mosses from N. H.
and Vt.?

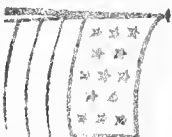
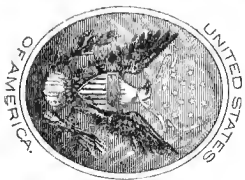
From N. H. { *Polytrichum commune religiosum*
" " *farinosum*
" " *gracile*

From Vt. { *Bryobanmia aphylla* or *inclusa*
Cathecinaea crispata
Polytrichum gracile

I shall be very glad of any
information you can supply in
regard to the matter.

Very truly

J. Franklin Collins



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Mr. A. J. Brent.

Boy's High School

Brooklyn

N. Y.

A. J. GROUT,
360 LENOX R'D,
BROOKLYN, N. Y

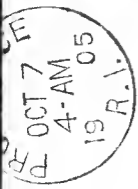
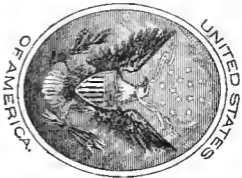
Oct 5, 1905

Dear Mr. Colburn;

Dr. Geo. L.

Kennedy collected at
Willoughby Vt the
only specimen of
Poly-paeile that I
have in my collection.
Dr. Kennedy has sent
~~me~~ it to you though
we may have it labeled *P.*
ferus

Miss Annie Jones 96 Garden St.
Hartford, Ct. has *Buxbaumia*
inclusata from Vt.
Catharina *crispa* from Vt
is without doubt an
error. I send you *Poly-*
communis *alpina* Please
return cordially A. J. Groat



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Prof. J. Franklin Collins
468 Weymouth St
Providence
R. I.

A. J. SPRELL,
250 LEHOCK ST.,
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

March 10, '06

Dear Mr. Collins,

Have you
any records of
Aphanorhynchus serotum
from N. E. England, or

of *Aulacomium*
androgynum from
Linnæus' Manual region?

Have you any
localities for *Aula-*
comium tergidum
except those given
in L. & J. Manual, ?

Answers will greatly
oblige you sincerely
A. J. Sprell



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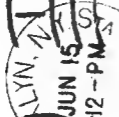
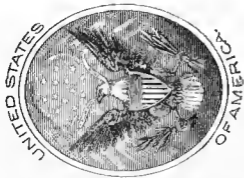


W. J. Franklin Collins
468 1/2 St.
Brooklyn
Brooklyn

A. J. GROUT,
360 LENOX BLDG.,
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

June 15th
Thank you for
your remittance
of 100.

Sincerely
A. J. Grout



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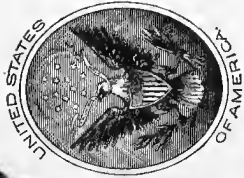
Send me a spec of *Paludella*
and all mail for one of
A. J. GROUT, *Tayloria tenuis*
280 LENOX BLDG
BROOKLYN, N. Y. Nov. 15 '06

I vote a straight ticket
as put in the *Bryologist*
for Nov.

If you care to pay express
one way, I would be
glad to send you all my
Polytrichaceae for you
to examine.

The *Bryologist* ought to
have a note on your review
of our form of *Pogonatum*
alpinum. I congratulate
on your *Rhodora* paper.
Call on me for help at any
time if I can assist.

Sincerely,
A. J. GROUT



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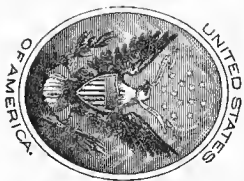
Feb. 21.

On the Bryologist
for July 1901 I stated
that *Chimacium*
dendroides had not
been recorded from
Penn. or the North
Central States.

I have you any evidence
to the contrary. I have
any right to be found
in the Mts of Penn.

I shall be greatly obliged
for any information along
this line.

Sincerely
A. J. GROUT



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Mr. J. Franklin Collins
468 10th St
Providence
R.I.



F. M. J. BENTON,
300 LEFFEL ST.,
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

3-16-07

Dear Mr. Leach:

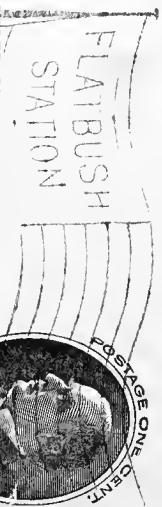
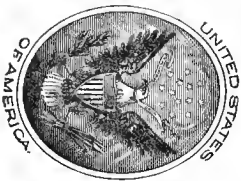
I have put
up my collection of
Palytrichum + Pogonatum
to express to you but
presume they will not
go before Monday -

Sincerely

A Grant

Museum received

25-Mar-07



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Prof. J. Franklin Collins
468 Maple St.
Providence
R.I.

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Dear Dr. Grant.

16 Fe. 07

Little thought when I received your
Polypichia that I should keep them so long,
I found it almost impossible in the ^{summer} ~~month~~ of college
work to find much time to attend to them, so that
this work is nearly at an end ~~for this year~~ until fall
I had hoped to find a chance to complete ~~the~~ ^{my} ~~series~~
them to my satisfaction. I find however that I
must leave for another Committee trip before the end
of the month. As I do not ^{wish} ~~want~~ to ~~have~~ be
responsible for the specimens during the summer, nor would
you probably care to have me keep them even if I should wish to
be, ^{responsible} I shall plan to return them, prepared, in a few
days or a week. ~~As I am uncertain whether you~~
know will you please state on inclosed p.p. and if I
shall address the box to 360 Levee Rd.?

In reporting on the specimens, I will say that on each
specimen which I have examined ^{in a prelim. way.} ~~at~~ ^{the} ~~top~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{specimen} will find one of
my slips fastened in such a way that it can easily be
detached if you wish to remove it. ~~On~~ ^{each} ~~the~~ ^{slip}
you will find a number preceded by "L" In the
future if you wish to refer to any of these specimens it is only
necessary to send me this number, in order to identify it as

I have kept certain memoranda or data of all specimens so numbered.

Unfortunately, I have not had time to complete my second examination of all the specimens, under the common ^{forms} ~~groups~~. Perhaps I may have a chance to do more to them before I ~~leave~~ return the plants. However I do not think I could report for ^{awhile} ~~some little time~~ on some of them ~~as~~ for ~~any~~ more extensive study in the field is necessary before I shall dare to say anything definite in regard to some of these ~~groups~~ forms.

All specimens which I have not had a chance examine finally, or such as need more field study, you will find marked "not sufficiently ~~examined~~ "16/2/07"

I have kept rather complete memoranda of most of these and another season I may wish to see certain of these again provided there seems any prospect of my then being able to satisfy myself in regard to them.

I am greatly obliged to you for ~~allowing me~~ the privilege of examining the specimens,

J. FRANKLIN COLLINS
468 HOPE ST., PROVIDENCE, R. I.

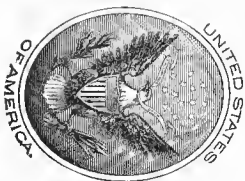
6-17-07

Dear Mr. Collins:

If my
Palytricha can be
stored in the
Braun Herbarium
marked so that
they will not be
appropriated by
any one I shall
be very well satisfied
to leave with you
until fall.

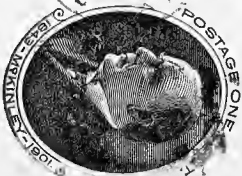
I shall not use them
for a long time,
Sincerely
A. Grant

(Signed as Simpson 97c)



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J. Franklin Coe

465 Hope St

Providence

R. I.

A. J. ...
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6-21, '07

Dear Mr. Collins
Mt. W. trip is
not to be.

Only ~~last~~ 2013
afford and I have
decided to go to
Pogonah Forest N.C.
for the summer.
Are there any interesting
Polytricha there?

Sincerely
A. J. ...



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*J. Franklin Ballou
Bremer Unitarian
Presidence
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Progam Forest
N. Carolina
7-2807

Dear Mr. Collins:

On the Mts of Vt and
N.H. I have found a form of what
appears to be *P. Ohioense* which often
has 5 angled capsules.

Damrhor at an alt. of 3500 ft
I found what seems to be the
same thing.

I wish you would look at it
and let me know if it is
worthy of a separate place in
Prof Holzinger's sets.

Sincerely
A. S. Grant

468 - 0 - e street, Providence,
3 Dec. 1907

Dear Mr. Grout:

I have just been examining the North Carolina mosses. I think the Polytrichum is P. gracile with but little doubt, although P. formosum is suggested in the size of the leaf cells (.309--.913mm.), and in the low lamellae. In all the other characters noted, however, it seems to be undoubtedly gracile.

I, too, have failed, so far as I know at the present time, to collect a single specimen of P. commune this season. The species, as understood in Europe, is certainly (judging from my own observations) much rarer here than has generally been supposed.

I have not yet had a chance since summer to re-examine any of your polytricha as I had hoped. They are still boxed up (at the U. Herbarium) ready to send if you need them. If you do not need them for some weeks yet I may get a chance to study them a little more before they are ~~be~~ returned.

Very truly yours,

POST CARD



Dec 5, 07
Dear Prof. Callhis:
Thank
you for your determination
of P. gracile.
Sincerely
A. Howard

Prof. J. Franklin
Callhis
468 Halse St
Providence
R.I.

Part IV. Mosses with Hand-lens and Microscope.

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Leskeaceæ—Hypnaceæ, will be ready about January 1st, 1908. \$1.25. Shall I send you a copy?
Pts. 1-4, 326 pp., 80 full page plates, 210 figures in the text, \$5.00. Part 5 will complete the work.

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Note also *Bryologist* 5: 67 Raph.
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following.

Feb 13 '07

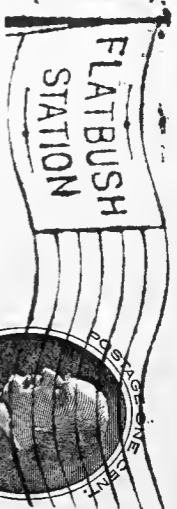
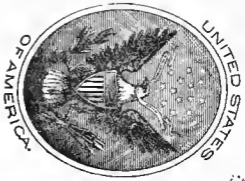
Dear Mr. Collins:

My bound copy
of the *Bryologist* had not
returned from Charles
Smith when I got your
card about Raph. Abraham
(nix) Oct 1.

I followed Mrs. Britton's
citation in the *Bryologist*
without looking it up.

I note that she apparently
quotes the Sulist leaf
label.

Sorry I can't help
you out at present. Will let
me know if you find out
what
the publication is. A. J. S. out



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A. J. BROUT,
360 LENOX RD.,
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

APR 2 1908

Unless the Polytrocha
are in your way, let
them remain until
Sept. for I may
change my
habitat.

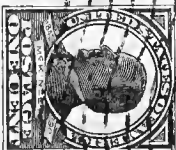
Thanks for the
\$100. I fear I shall
not be staying enough
for the Mt. Washington
trip. I shall certainly
go if I can.
Bellevue Co.

Yours
A. J. Brout



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STATION
CANTON



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Mr. J. Franklin Collins
468 14th St
Brooklyn
R 26d.

April 29, 1908.

Dear Mr. Grout:

I inclose check for the part LV, Mosses with Hand-lens and Microscope, which has just come to hand.

During the present year I have had no time to even look at your Olytricha, the examination of which I did not quite complete last year. I now find that I shall, in all probability, have no time for the work before another year, if even then, consequently I think it will be wise for me to return the package. Please let me know if I shall send it to 360 Lenox Road. I shall, of course, prepay it. I have in nearly all cases put one of my "attest" labels with each specimen studied. I have not opened the box this year, but I think I fastened these at one end with a gummed wafer, which may be easily detached if you wish. As I remember I believe I examined all but a very few rather carefully, these few are such as I should feel rather reluctant about saying much at the present time, so perhaps there will be nothing gained even if I should keep them a while longer.

Are you going to take in the Mt. Washington excursion this summer? I understand Mr. Chamberlain is planning to do so. I should like to have another collecting trip on the Presidential Range but I fear it will not be this year.

Very truly yours,

Sept. 25, 1910

Dear Dr. Grout:-

I returned from the woods last night and found your bill for Part 5 of the moss book, also the Part 5. I inclose check for the same. I hope you have had a pleasant and profitable summer, physically, botanically and otherwise. I have not had the time I wished to have for moss work this summer, but otherwise I have had a very good summer.

Hastily but cordially,

J. Freeman Collins

BROWN UNIVERSITY
BOTANICAL DEPARTMENT
PROVIDENCE, R. I., U. S. A.

J. FRANKLIN COLLINS, 468 Hope Street

June 4, 1911,

Dr. A. J. Grout,
New Dorp, Richmond Borough,
New York City.

Dear Dr. Grout:-

I expect to go away soon, to be gone until fall.
Shall I send you the box of Polytrichums which I have had for so
long? If you want the box before fall please let me know
within a few days.

Very truly yours,

J. Franklin Collins.

Dear Mr. Collins:

I shall not use the Polytrichums
this summer. Suit your convenience but
if you retain them mark them
distinctly as my private property.

Truly
A. J. Grout-

June 4, 1911,

Dr. A. J. Grout,
New Dorp, Richmond Borough,
New York City.

Dear Dr. Grout:-

I expect to go away soon, to be gone until fall.
Shall I send you the box of Polytrichums which I have had for so
long? If you want the box before fall please let me know
within a few days.

Very truly yours,

Part V. Mosses with Hand-Lens and Microscope

Will be issued in June, 1910. Shall we send you a copy? This completes the work. Price \$1.25 per part, postpaid. Bound in cloth \$7.00, in half leather \$7.50. 8x11 inches, over 400 pages, 88 full page plates and 265 figures in the text. Printed by McFarland on the best coated paper.

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Prof. Lincoln W. Riddle, Wellesley College.

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New York City.

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Prof. J. Franklin Bullard
46 8 Hope St
Providence
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A. J. : T.

MILF DORP, RICHMOND BCR

N. Y. CITY. N. Y.

NOV 1 1911

Am now ready
to receive my
Polytrichum
my
A. J. J. -

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Page 7 in *Alvin Coulter*
to *St. Johns Pt*
Provincetown
R.I.



468 Hope Street,
Providence, R.I.

Nov. 14, 1911

Dear Dr. Grout:-

Your postal of the 13th has just reached me.

I am sending at this time the box of Polytricha by express prepaid, as I believe that was the understanding when you sent them to me.

The names which you will find on most of the specimens are the names as I understood them two or three years ago, since which time the box has been nailed up ready to send. If I had time to re-examine them how I dare say I should make a few slight changes. However, I think I have kept a memorandum of all doubtful specimens, and if I should want to see these again I can probably tell you pretty accurately just what ones I should like to see.

I trust that you have had a pleasant summer, as well as a profitable one.

Very truly yours,

I will not seal this and mail it until I have delivered the box to the Express Co.

NEW YORK, RICHMOND

N. Y. CITY, N. Y.,

DEC 4 - 1911

Dear Professor

Polytrichum
recd all OK. Thank you.
Pardon oversight in
not acknowledging.

Hope your change to
Washington will prove
advantageous.

Sincerely

A. S. Peck

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HUDSON TERRY, N.Y.
DEC 4
3 - PM



Prof. J. Franklin Bellini
468 York St.

Providence
R.I.

376-400

Mr. Am. Museum
have been sent out
but I did not find
some of your address
as this is O.K.

Sincerely
A. Grant -
Newfane, Vt.
July 7, 1912

Paid,

16 Mar. 1908

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Prof. J. Franklin Collins
468 York St
Providence
Rhode Island

A. J. G. P.
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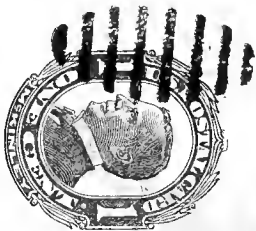
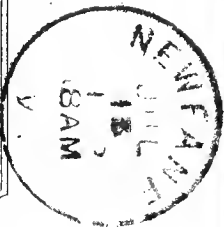
July 14

Dear Prof. Collins:

Unfortunately
I brought no sets
of masses with me
and can't send you
them until Sept.
Will send to what-
ever address you
ask.

Sincerely
A. J. G. P.

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Wm. J. Franklin Sullivan
468 1/2 Maple St
Providence
R.I.

r.

AUG 20 1913

Dear Mr. Collins:

The enclosed *Polytrichum* was collected near the summit of Stratton Mt. Nt. at an altitude of 3800 ft.

The capsules are very immature for any species I know but they are plainly 4-angled or more when collected.

A rather superficial examination reveals the terminal cell of the lamellae depressed & c

I can't put it to anything
I know. I shall be glad of
your opinion. I send all
of my material and if
it proves interesting would
like half of it back.

Sincerely
A. Grant

DEC 8 1913

Dear Mr. Ballin:

Did you
receive nos 401-425

N. Am. Mus. Pl.

mailed for Sept 18th

Sincerely

A. J. GROUT.

NEW DORP, RICHMOND BOR

N. Y. CITY, N. Y.

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Mr. J. Franklin Bellows
468 Hope St
Providence
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465 Lake Street,
Providence, R.I.

September 7 1913

Dr. J. S. Grew,
Newfane, Vt.

Dear Dr. Grew:-

Your letter of August 20 was awaiting me upon
my arrival in town a few days ago.

I only found time to look at it this evening. I would
say the one you enclosed is a form of Politrichum ohioense - a C
very young and immature. The capsule looks a little short but
perhaps this is due to the immature state. I have been unable to
find any depressed marginal cells in the lamellae cross-section,
although I found a few that were pretty flat topped. The lamellae
themselves appear to run more closely to J. Smithae than to the
typical ohioense, in shape and number. Otherwise, however,
the plant appears like a young and immature ohioense, so far as
I can judge from the examination that I have made this evening.

Very truly yours,

468 Hope Street,
Providence, R.I.

April 11, 1916

Dr. A. J. Grout,
New Dorp
Richmond Borough,
New York City.

Dear Dr. Grout:-

Have had an opportunity to look over your *Selyt-*
richum from Colorado. It seems to be a form of *S. juniperinum*,
possibly the variety *pininum* with which I am not familiar, or
in that vicinity

Cordially, though hastily,

Mar 24 '17

Dear Mr Bellis:

If
they don't turn
up within a week
let me know -
I have asked R.O.
to look.

Sincerely
A. J. Root

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Prof. J. F. Baldwin
428 100th St
Riverside
R.I.



A. J. GROUT.

1932 21 1917

NEW DORP, RICHMOND IS.

N. Y. CITY, N. Y.

Dear Prof. Bullis:

I am sending
you another set of
451-475. Some of the
specimens are tiny but
they are rare things
that could not be obtained
again or in larger
quantity.

Sincerely
A. J. Grout

collected 1951
for 451-475



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1917
Prof. J. Franklin Collins
468 Hope St
Providence
R.I.

agreement

W record of

burning paid

423 - 450 - paid

OK.

(Wa card) 22 Mar. 1917

Specimens 451-475 not
yet arrived.

425-450 probably
not paid for, but
will look up matter
at first opportunity.

468 Hope Street,
Providence, R.I.

January 24, 1919

Dr. A. J. Grout,
New Dorp, Richmond Bor., N.Y.

Dear Dr. Grout:-

I owe you a large apology, with interest, which I hereby tender. While I was in the West last April you sent me a packet of *Polytrichum* collected by Rapp in Sanford, Fla., labeled "127. *Polytrichum* (*commune*) v. *Smithiae* Grout", asking my opinion. I believe I wrote while in California that I would look at it at the first opportunity upon my return, or something to that effect. I did not return until about July 1, and then found all my men assistants had gone into the service. Consequently I returned to an unusually large stack of work. In the rush I forgot about your specimen and when the rush recently ceased up I could not find it immediately. A little while ago I found it and last night examined it. Quite likely at this late day my opinion will not be of much value, but I feel that the least I can do is to reply.

It looks to me as if there were two things in the packet--- one being a form of *P. commune*, but neither having any real affinity to *P. Smithiae*.

With best regards, and the season's greetings

Very truly

Mr J. Franklin Collins:

Dear Sir:—

I take

the liberty of sending you a plant
I wish you would send me the
name.

It grew on the railroad track
by the side of the rails in dry
gravel, in scorching sun.

I thought I had found it in
Wood's Botany, "*Polygonella articulata*
Turn", Then I looked in Gray's &
found "*Polygonum articulatum*"
"Not a *Polygonella*"

If you should be willing to send
me the correct name, I will most
thank you in advance.

I should not have asked you
but for reading Mrs Annie Merrill
Smith's complimentary note
on page 92 of Sept 1905 *Zyologist*.

Yours truly,

(Miss) Sarah B. Hadley

R. F. D. No. 1.

So, Canterbury Conn.

Sept 29, 1905.

I thank you for the letter
about the *Polygonella*.

I have not found either of
the mosses you mention in
this vicinity.

They may be here, as I am
not yet a very thorough stu-
dent.

Yours truly,

S. B. Hadden



S. Canterbury Conn.

Oct. 5, 1905.





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Mr. J. Franklin Collins
468 Hope St.,
Providence.

Thank you.

Mr. Franklin Collins,

Dear Sir:—

I went to

Lantern Hill, ^{Conn.} for more *Amphicaria* _{Nov 17, 1905} and I found the enclosed *Polythicum* on the hill.

Perhaps it is one you asked me for from Conn.

Yours truly,

Sarah B. Hadley

R. F. D. 4.

So. Canterbury Conn.

Dec. 18, 1905.

Yes.

P. juniperina

Prof. J. Franklin Collins,

Dear Sir:—

I have
sent you by the same mail with
this a fern, I think it is "Evergreen
wood fern", but a teacher in Ohio
thinks it a "Lizard fern".

I think if you are not interested
in ferns you can with little trouble
find a true name for it.

I enclose thanks, and return postage.

Very truly yours
(Mrs) Sarah B. Hadley
R. F. D. # 1,
South Canterbury,
Conn.

The teacher furnished the sum,
through a third party, so I can-
not tell where it was collected.
I suppose in Eastern Connecticut.

Jan 14, 1907

Articular
Marginal

WEEDS AT THE WORLD'S COLUMBIAN.

N. J. EXPERIMENT STATION, }
New Brunswick, N. J., }
March 4, 1892. }

M.....

DEAR SIR: In order that the exhibition of WEEDS at the World's Columbian Exposition may be large, and representative of all sections of the country, the undersigned (having this feature in charge) respectfully asks for specimens of the worst weeds from all States and Territories.

It is suggested that each botanist or local collector, who may be pleased to assist in the work, secure at least three specimens each of the worst weeds in his State or section. In making the specimens it is important that the following points be considered: [1.] Seeds are especially desired. [2.] Seedlings are important in various stages of development. [3.] The root system is essential; also [4] the flower and flower cluster, and [5] the seed vessel.

It may be necessary, therefore, to secure these various essentials at different times during the coming season. If the weed is a large one stress is laid upon the procuring of specimens while they are small enough so that the whole plant, roots and all, can be mounted, without bending, upon an herbarian sheet of ordinary size, that is, not over a foot in length. They are not to be mounted, however, by the collector.

That unnecessary duplication may be avoided persons who contemplate collecting specimens should signify their intention to the undersigned, and allotments will then be made, the assignments depending largely upon the locality. It is hoped that each State in the Union may be represented by specimens in this national exhibit of our worst weeds.

The collecting must all be done during the present season, and the specimens sent in for mounting, labeling, etc., by December 1st.

Correspondence is solicited.

BYRON D. HALSTED.

B. S. Halsted, 11, Brunswick St., N. Y.
Prov. Mar 18/92

Dear Sir

~~Dear Sir~~ Recd your

circular ~~of the 11th~~ yesterday in
regard to Needs of the World's Columbian
I shall be pleased to help you
by obtaining specimens from this
vicinity. If you will inform me
as to any particular desiderata
(if you have any) I will let you
know ~~as to the~~ prospect of my
obtaining them the coming season

Yours ~~very truly~~ truly

J. F. Collins

New Jersey

Agricultural College Experiment Station,

BOTANICAL DEPARTMENT.

JAMES NEILSON,

ACTING DIRECTOR.

PROF. BYRON D. HALSTED,

BOTANIST AND HORTICULTURIST.

New Brunswick, N. J., April 12th 1892.

Mr. J. Franklin Collins.

Providence R.I.

My dear Sir -

With this is sent a check list of American weeds that while large is for you compare. For example while looking up species for you to look out for in Rhode Island I found two not upon the list that I should like to have you get, namely Chrysopsis falcata and Polygonum annuus. Of these I should like at least fifty good specimens. You may send a less number (three or more) of specimens of Veronica serpyllifolia, Leontodon autumnale and Lycopus angulatus.

The R.I. Exp. Station at Kingston has through Professor Kinney recently ordered a set of my First Century of American Weeds. I wish you might see the collection.

I shall be glad to hear from you at any time

Yours sincerely,
Byron D. Halsted

106 East Ave.,

Pror., Apr. 13/92

Prof. B. D. Halsted

New Brunswick (N.J.),

Dear Sir:-

~~Yours~~ ^{hand} communication
of the 12th at ~~four hours since~~

I hope to have no difficulty in
obtaining complete specimens of the
insects designated, all of which ~~are~~
are common ~~in~~ in this immediate
vicinity except perhaps *Chrysobothris falcata*
~~and~~ and it will only be a matter
of a few miles to obtain more than
could carry of that

~~which~~ ^{and that} ~~is abundant~~
~~only~~ a few miles ~~to~~ of ~~it~~ as well as
~~from here~~
and ~~that~~ is abundant within a
few miles

Shall endeavor to conform with
the ~~suggestions~~ considerations pointed out
in your circular of May 4.

Yours sincerely
J. L. Cullin

Prov. Oct. 21, 1892

Prof. Z. D. Halsted

Dear Sir,

Dear Sir:-

I send ^{at this time} ~~the~~ the seeds
you ~~wished~~ ^{wished} me to collect ~~for~~ for the "World's
Columbian". Am sorry I was unable to
obtain seedlings of ^{most} ~~of~~ of the species ~~in the~~
failing in the spring I resorted to cultivation
but the young plants were ~~accidentally~~
by an accident completely destroyed.

Sincerely hoping the specimens ^{may} ~~be~~ for you acceptable.
I remain

Very truly

J. Frankline Collins

116 East Ave.

(Labels enclosed)

New Jersey

Agricultural College Experiment Station,

BOTANICAL DEPARTMENT.

JAMES NEILSON,

ACTING DIRECTOR.

PROF. BYRON D. HALSTED,

BOTANIST AND HORTICULTURIST.

New Brunswick, N. J., Oct. 26th / 1892

Mr. J. F. Collins.

Providence R.I.

My dear Sir— The package of seeds
is received and I hasten to return thanks
to you for all your kindness

Yours very truly,
Byron D. Halsted

189 Rock Street
Fall River, Mass.,

Dear Mr. Collins,

By the same mail I am
sending you a slide mounted in jelly
of a moss, new to Fall River and
I hope to you. It was gathered in
September, and in same locality as
(*Fissidens minutulus*, of Lesquereux &
James; *Fissidens incurvus*, of Barnes.)
Will send this also.

The new moss has been found before
Mr. Austin collected it first in N. J. and
is called *Fissidens Closteri*, Aust.
Mr. Groot wrote that it the third locality
in U. S. and as it was found in
Rhode Island thought you might
like it and to list it with R. I.
list of plants.

Our Fall River Natural History Society

will be able to call it inside the ten
mile limit but Rhode Island can
claim Prof. Bailey's idea. "a piece of
New Jersey transplanted".

Please give me directions for
care of small mosses found on
stones. Both *Fissidens* were found on
earth and rocks and as the rocks are
too large to move and to dry and get
them from the rocks with a knife you
lose them, and again when you mount
on regular herbarium sheets they are so
small many are lost.

Will you also give us some idea
of time when my mother and I might
look over the mosses of Rhode Island at
the college? Any regular hours for visitors?

Thanking you for any help.

yours respectfully
Louise H. Handy.

Dear Sir -

Will you please tell me if the Brown University has a collection of grasses of Rhode Island, and if they can be used for study and comparison by any one outside of the city or State?

I wish to find if possible the number found, and the different kinds which grow in this section of Massachusetts.

Also the days and hours the collection can be seen? - Thanking you for your trouble I am
Yours truly,
December 28th 1893, Louise H. Handy
(1094)

Miss Louise Holmes Handy
139 Rock Street.
Fall River
Mass.

Nov. 11, 1908.

Miss Louise W. Handy,
139 Rock St.
Fall River, Mass.

My dear Miss Handy:-

Thank you ever so much for the two slides of Fissidens, both of which I was very glad to get. The Fissidens Clelandi is, indeed, new to me. I am pleased that you got it in Rhode Island. I hope you will continue to turn up good things of this nature in the future.

The proposition of taking care of mosses growing on rocks is about as tough a proposition as the substratum on which such mosses grow. I often scrape them off, though when possible I chip off a piece of the rock with the moss. I suppose this is the wisest way, but all rocks are not easily chipped. I inclose a reprint which may be of some interest to you.

I shall be glad to have you and your mother call at the herbarium (basement of Maxcy Hall) when you can find it convenient. The best time to catch me somewhat free from class room work is perhaps at 10.20 on Tuesday, or 9.20 on Friday (except Nov. 27), or 10.20 on Saturday. If you can drop me a line as to when to expect you I can probably arrange to have more freedom than might be possible if you take me "by surprise".

Very truly yours,

Nov. 16th 1908

Dear Sir:-

Your letter received
and we hope to visit
Providence Tuesday and
come to the college 10.20. A.M.
We shall be glad of our
help, but we must not
take your time.

yours respectfully,

Louise H. Handy

139 Rock St.,

Free River, Mass.



POSTMAN CANARD

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Wm. G. Bellini
Brown University
Providence

R. I.

ESTABLISHED 1835.

CHARLES A. BAKER, DRUGGIST AND REGISTERED PHARMACIST,

No. 67 SOUTH MAIN ST., OPP. PLEASANT,

TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS.

FALL RIVER, MASS.

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Dear Mr. Collins:

Enclosed find little Riccia found abundantly (a quart) on west side of North Waterfalls lake in a shallow cove with a large brook flowing through the cove with a large brook in the cove by a causeway. Found Jan 17 by 139 Handy. I have known this plant since this last summer.

We also have Riccia valens, but not fruiting. Look at middle of slide. I found the plant on a resting bud of bladderwort leaves of which are with it on the slide. Is it Hypnum?

HOURS: 8 TO 9 A. M.

1 TO 3 AND 7 TO 8 P. M.

over

B. J. HANDY, M. D.,

OFFICE, 139 ROCK STREET.

Slide mounted with 3 pieces
as very;

Do not rearrange the pieces.

9.2. x 119ms of

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TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS.

FALL RIVER, MASS.

Rx

*Q. S. in "over" head cell near lid
of wooden box 10 1/2 x 10 1/2*

= # 15165

Racine Flintans

HOURS: 8 TO 9 A. M.

1 TO 3 AND 7 TO 8 P. M.

B. J. HANDY, M. D.,

OFFICE, 139 ROCK STREET.

Brown University-

Fall River Mass.
Dec. 27-1957

Dear Sir,- Will you please write the names of books used in study of Mosses and Lichens in the college which can be used for reference to add to our Public Library and for real study.

Will you also send me your catalogue, & is it possible for anyone to take up as a special study Bacteria, and what studies are required for such a course; when does the term begin and cost of same.

Yours respectfully

Address -
139 Rock St
Fall River - Mass

B. J. Handy. U.S.

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United States of America



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Brown University
Providence
R. I.

DETACH ANNEXED CARD
FOR ANSWER.

My dear Mr. Collins -

Thank you for your
kind wishes - may the New
Year bring you and yours
much happiness - I enclose
the moose and have put
in your packet of *Chimacium*
some of the immature -

Yours very truly

L. C. Handy -

139 Rock Street

Dec 31st - 1908

To all my friends -
My dear Mr. Collins -

I suppose you soon
at once that I had made
a mistake and sent you
C. Americennum not *dend-*
droides - my daughter said
so at the time, my specimen
sent to Mrs. Smith was
marked all right - and
asked asked for the *Americennum*
I think now that Miss Warner
only marked out *B. digastrum*
so please mark out her
name on the packet -
After sending your notes
Mr. Groot answer to my
letter of Sept. - came saying
Gen C. dendroides is C.
Americennum. Look at

the George Cooper's.

I enclose a specimen marked
by Mr. Grant Beach by the in-
flexible - and asking
me to send him enough
to make 50 packets - if
it is not easy to find
I will be obliged to apply
our New England friends
before sending it to him.

Yours very truly
A. E. Handy

Mrs. B. J. Handy -
138 Rock Street -
Jan. 6th 1908 -

J. FRANKLIN COLLINS
468 HOPE ST., PROVIDENCE, R. I.

7 Jan '09

Mrs. B. J. Handy,
Fall River, Mass.

My dear Mrs. Handy:-

Thank you for the specimen of the Brachythecium that has just come to hand. I am very glad to get it.

When your Climacium came to hand I thought it looked like *C. americanum* and put it in the cover with that species without changing the name. With me this trick means that the plant is in all probability the species which belongs in that particular cover, regardless of the name on the label. When I have time to more carefully examine the plant and see that it really is wrongly labelled then I change the name on the label.

Very truly yours,

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

PHILADELPHIA

THE COLLEGE

BOTANY

November 14, 1911

My Dear Prof. Collins:-

I am indebted to you for several papers notably those dealing with arbor day in Rhode Island. I am glad to have them, and I have gotten several new suggestions from reading them. Such educational work cannot fail to stimulate an interest in trees and forestry. I had hoped to have you at dinner some day when you were in Philadelphia, and perhaps we can arrange it yet. The good work of studying

The chestnut blight seems to be progressing favorably.
The scientific work seems to be getting into shape at
the university.

With best regards,

Very sincerely yours,

John W. Garshberger.

Missouri, H. H.

Aug. 22, 1910.

Mr. J. S. Collins,

Dear Sir:

Will you

kindly tell me the names of the
inclosed mosses. Mr. P. S. Redner,
Asst. Botanist at Washington
referred me to you. You will
greatly oblige me

Sincerely
Maryie B. Hartwell

~~Sphagnum~~

~~Sphagnum~~

~~Hylocomium trinquetum~~

~~Mnium~~

~~Mnium punctatum~~

~~Hypnum~~

~~Trichostema tomentella~~

THE MAINE STATE COLLEGE

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AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION

FRANCIS L. HARVEY, M. S., PH. D.,
BOTANIST AND ENTOMOLOGIST

June 17-96

Mr. J. Franklin Collins

Providence R. I.

Dear Sir: Yours regarding the Bryophytes of New England.
 We have mosses and liverworts which come to us
 with the Blake Herb. to which collection I have added
 more or less by local collection and by accessories
 from other parts of the State. I can not give
 you data off hand but will before long run up
 the subject in an article for publication. I am
 like yourself a very busy man and have to do such
 work out of hours. I have done a great amount of
 work on the Cryptogams and have notes for
 publication on most of the groups, which I hope
 to give the public as fast as possible. I intend
 to publish a Catalogue ultimately of the Cryptogams.
 I do not know of a single bryologist in the State.
 There is a field for work in Mosses & Liverworts
 should say. Sorry I will not be able to attend the
 Somerville meeting. Commencement day
 In haste from Truly F. L. Harvey

St. John N.B. Feb 8th 1886

Dear Sir
Your card with much other corre-
spondence has been unanswered owing to an
accident I met with some time ago, I
should be glad to exchange plants with you
but cannot promise to do so before May
However I send you a list of N.B. Plants
~~the~~ from which select your desiderata, for-
warding me the numbers; at the same time
sending me if convenient a list of your du-
plicates. If you have patience to wait
we can arrange probably for an exchange. Mark
everything you wish. My duplicates are getting somewhat
scarce, and I may be able only to send half what you mark

Very truly Yours Geo. W. Hay



Franklin Collins Esq
10 Carroll St
Providence R.I.

Providence, Feb. 25, 1886.

Dear Sir:- Rec'd. the catalogue
on 23d inst. I send a list of 68
of my desiderata together with a list
of my duplicates. Am afraid that
I have selected more from your list
than you will desire of mine, or should
have sent more than 68 as there are
~~great~~ many more that I am lacking

If your desiderata are ~~larger or smaller~~
more or less than mine, I will tell you
what plants to add or subtract ~~from~~
~~mine~~ (as the case may be) ~~and~~ when I hear
from you again. Am somewhat in
doubt as to whether you wish the
catalogue returned or not. Please
inform me

• Herbs the names _____

(To G. U. Gray.)

St. John N.B. Mar. 15 '86

Dr Sir
Yours of 25th ult. received
with desiderata & list of duplicates
I shall be at leisure to make up
up a collection for you about
the 1st May when I shall for-
ward them to you. I intended you
to keep Fowler's list
Sincerely Yours G. Allen

CANADA POST CARD

THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.



~~Halifax Herald~~

J. Franklin Collins Esq
70 Jefferson, Providence R.I.

St John Sept 26 '98

Dear Sir

Yours of Sept 21 recd
I have asked our secretary to
forward to you the bulletin
of the U.S.G. containing the
list of mosses wh. you
ask for, with the price
hoping it will reach you
safely

Yours sincerely G. U. Gray

CANADA POST CARD

THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE



Mr. J. Franklin Collins
176 East Avenue
Providence
R.I.

American Hepaticæ



WHEN Prof. L. M. Underwood discontinued the issue of the *Hepaticæ Americanae* he had a good deal of material on hand, originally intended for future issues; he has very kindly turned this over to me and I am working it up, with Prof. A. W. Evans' valuable assistance in verifying and determining the species whenever necessary. This, with material of my own collecting, I propose to issue from year to year under the title of AMERICAN HEPATICÆ.

The *first* issue comprising decades *I, II*, price, \$1.50 is ready for distribution. As only twenty sets of these decades are issued it will be necessary for subscribers to indicate their wishes at once.

MISS CAROLINE COVENTRY HAYNES

HIGHLANDS, NEW JERSEY

Ordered
J. D. C.

Dear Mr Collins;

Do you collect hepatics,
I would you care to
exchange any with me?
My collecting has been
done in ^{up in} Adir. N.Y. N.H.
& Mass. I could send
you a list of species,
if you like.

Sincerely yours

Lawrence C. Hayden
16 East 36th St
N.Y. City

March 11. 25

Now, Mr Collins have you
not some hepatics
do you not want to
exchange with me?
Named or unnamed
equally welcome. Why
will you not write something
for the *Boys* on hepatics,
have you a list to publish?
Can you suggest something
for our part of the Dec. Meeting,
either that you will do

HIGHLANDS, NEW JERSEY.

Dear Mr Collins;

Thank you for the
reprints which I should
have acknowledged long
ago - but the excuse
that old Time never
seems able to rub the
edge from = too much
to do - is all I can say.

or 2nd for I seem positively
void of ideas on the
subject - Do let me hear
from you - I do help us
if you can -

Sincerely yours
Leontine C. Haynes

Oct. 21st

course I will collect.
Poly - for you, if I
know how - if I send
any worthless specimens
you have only to throw them
away - Dr Evans is to
read a paper at our
Dec meeting - things
promise well - I trust
you will be able to come

16 East 36th St
N.Y. City
Nov. 29

Dear Dr Collins;

I am looking forward
to some time receiving
the specimens of hepatics
you refer to - they will
be welcome additions
to our Herbarium - Af

to it. May I trouble
you to tell me if you made
a list of species of hepatics
you collected at Dr Under-
wood's Reading, Ch. Field
meeting of the Torry Club -
two years ago? - some one I
heard collected a *Faullania*
& I would like to learn the
species & get a bit to put
in N. Y. B. G. Herb. if possible

The impression remains in

my memory that you found
it.

Sincerely yours
Lawrence C. Hayes

Nov. 6th - where you spoke
of sometime going over
duplicates from Maine &
Rhode Island - I beg
of you to post pone -
doing so until some
time when you are not so busy.

Sincerely yours
Leoline C. Hayes

16 East 36th St
New York City
Dec. 10 '06

Dear D. Collins;

I greatly fear I am
troubling you - but to
show at once the gist
of the matter referred to
I enclose your letter if

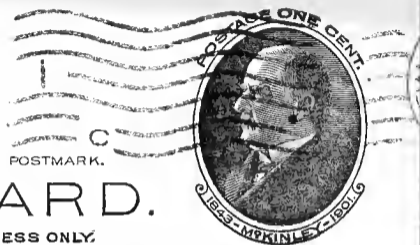
Dear Dr. Collins;

Very many thanks for the set of hepaticae -
you were indeed kind to take this
time to put them up just when you
are so very busy. I hope we shall
meet at the Dec. Meeting

Truly yours
Carter C. Hayes

16 East 36th St
N. Y. City

Dec. 18th



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*Dr. J. Franklin Collins
468 Hope St.
Providence
R. I.*

HIGHLANDS, NEW JERSEY.

May 12, 1912

Dear Professor Collins;

I was under the impression that you had left Brown University. When I sent the last issue of my *American Reptiliae* I addressed it to Curator, this was last January 20th. I have never heard of its safe arrival could I trouble you to look it up and let me know?

Very truly yours
Caroline C. Haynes

H. J. Andrews D. J.
May 29.

Dear Prof. Collins;

Thank you for taking
the trouble to inquire about
my experience. I have
written to Prof. H. H. York.
By the way do you know
of any Liverwort student
who would exchange R. I.
hepaties for those of other
States? I would like to
know of such a one -

Very Sincerely yours

Esther C. Hayes



1912



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS ONLY

Prof. J. Franklin Collins

~~468 Hope St.~~

Forest Pathology ~~Prvidence~~
Bureau Plant Industry ~~P. O.~~
Washington D.C.

411 N. Walnut St.,

Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 30, 1895.

Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
Dear Sir:-

Enclosed are sample pages and announcement of the publication of the results of my work in Texas last-summer. There will be over 100 pages, as 88 have now been printed, and the end is not yet. I am making the price as low as possible, and would very much like to make it pay expenses, which are by no means light. The plates alone cost me \$65.

I have tried to make it a publication worth having, and have not

spared time and money trying to make
it that.

Hoping that you will take a copy, I am,

Yours very truly,

A. A. Heller.

INTRODUCTION.

THE State of Texas, an empire in itself, comprising one-twelfth of the area of the United States, with great diversity of soil and climate, must necessarily present a corresponding diversity in plant life. When all of its immense area is thoroughly explored it will undoubtedly yield as many or perhaps more species than are contained within the limits of Gray's Manual.

As is stated in the Introduction to the Botany of the Mexican Boundary Survey, a line drawn from the Pan Handle southeast to the vicinity of Corpus Christi divides the State into two unequal portions. The smaller eastern part is well watered as a whole, and gives rise to more luxuriant vegetation than the other, where rain is uncertain and often scanty. The flora of this eastern section, at least in its northern and eastern portions, has many species in common with the adjacent States of Louisiana and Arkansas and the Indian Territory.

In the Contributions from the U. S. National Herbarium, "Upon a Collection of Plants made by Mr. G. C. Neally, in the Region of the Rio Grande in Texas, from Brazos Santiago to El Paso County," sixty-four species of Cyperaceae are mentioned. Four of these have no station assigned, while forty-seven were collected about Sabine Pass in extreme eastern Texas, near the mouth of the Sabine river. As the plants of this order are usually frequenters of places where there is an abundance of moisture, we have a very good index to the character of the country where they are found.

The larger southern and western division, in many places a veritable desert, contains many peculiar plants, found only within its areas, especially in the central portions, in the limestone foothills, and in the mountains of the extreme western part. Along the southern border the species are essentially Mexican, intermingling in the mountain region with more northern forms found in the mountains of New Mexico and

CRESSA L. Sp. Pl. 223 (1753).

Cressa aphylla n. sp.

From an apparently perennial root; low, about six inches high, slender, diffusely branched from the base; whole plant covered with scales and appressed hairs; leafless, each branch subtended by an ovate, acute or acutish bract or scale, smaller ones scattered along the naked branches and at the base of each flowering pedicel; flowers on very short pedicels; calyx bibracteolate, the bracts appressed, lanceolate or ovate lanceolate, barely half the length of the calyx; calyx-teeth oblong-lanceolate, equalling the tube of the corolla; corolla small, yellowish white, its lobes ovate or triangular-lanceolate, pubescent externally, especially at the tip, with white silky hairs; stamens and styles exerted; upper part of ovary pubescent with white silky hairs.

A handsome little plant, remarkable for its absence of proper leaves. Ashy in color, due to the scale-like covering and pubescence on the stems. Found on the "Flats" at Corpus Christi, on the east side of the San Antonio and Aransas Pass Railroad, a short distance beyond the freight station. In March, when the plants were only an inch or two high, they were found infested with a fungus, *Aecidium Cressae*.

May 31 (1811).

CUSCUTA L. Sp. Pl. 124 (1753).

Cuscuta arvensis Beyrich; Hook. Fl. Bor. Am. 2: 77 (1834), as synonym.

In sand on the beach at the Oso, on *Lycium Carolinianum*, *Lepidium Virginicum*, and other low plants, growing in a thick, tangled mass.

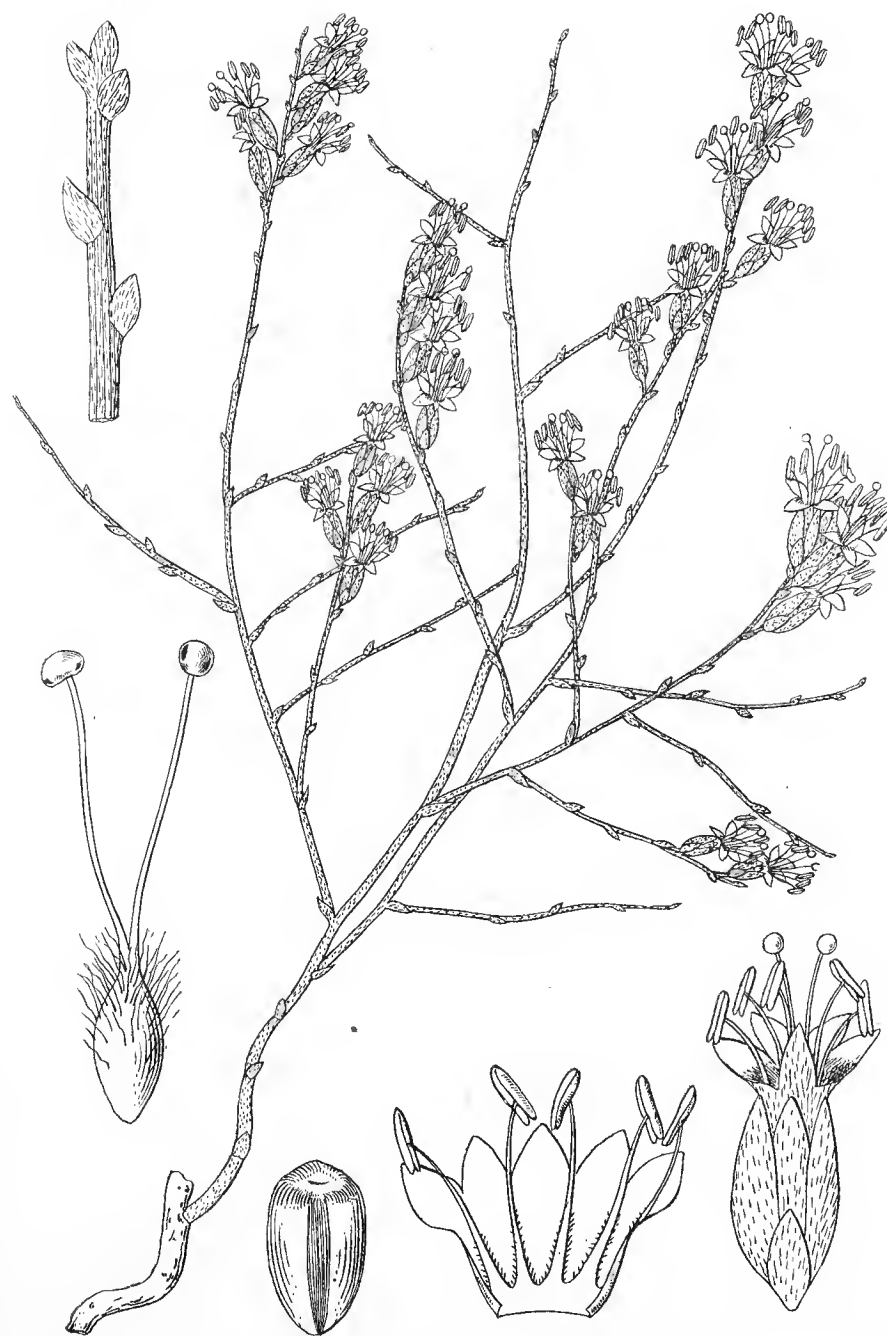
April 12 (1549), type locality, "N. W. America."

PHLOX L. Sp. Pl. 151 (1753).

Phlox Drummondii Hook. Bot. Mag. t. 3441 (18).

In rich soil about Kerrville, especially in damp places. A plant collected in sand along Nueces Bay, called *P. Drummondii villosissima* is apparently only a form of the species. When growing directly in the sand it was weak procumbent, with stems almost two feet long and viscid pubescent, but plants growing only a few feet distant in sod, were erect, only three or four inches high and much less pubescent (1435).

April 24 (1641).



CRESSA APHYLLA A. A. HELLER.

GILIA R. & P. Prodr. Fl. Per. 25, t. 4 (1794).

Gilia rubra (L.).

Polemonium rubrum L. Sp. Pl. 163 (1753).

Cantua coronopifolia Willd. Sp. Pl. 1: 879 (1798).

Gilia coronopifolia Pers.; Lindl. Bot. Reg. t. 1691 ().

On low, stony ground on the left bank of the Guadalupe above Kerrville, altitude 1600 feet; scattered in growth. About half way between Kerrville and San Antonio it was seen growing in large patches.

Gilia rigidula Benth.; D.C. Prodr. 9: 312 (1845).

In dry, usually stony ground, about Kerrville, altitude 1600-1800 feet. As noted by Lindheimer, the flower opens only in the afternoon while the sun is shining.

April 24 (1646); type locality, Texas.

PHACELIA Juss. Gen. Pl. 127 (1789).

Phacelia congesta Hook. Bot. Mag. t. 3452 ().

Phacelia conferta Don. Gen. Syst. 4: 397 (1838).

In low dry ground along Corpus Christi and Nueces Bays, sea level to 20 feet.

March 12 (1432).

Phacelia patuliflora (Engelm. & Gray) A. Gray, Proc. Am. Acad.

10: 321 (1875).

Eutoca patuliflora Engelm. & Gray, Bost. Journ. Nat. Hist. 5:

253 (1845).

In rich soil in shade at Corpus Christi, altitude 10-40 feet.

March 12 (1446); type locality, "woods near San Felipe."

I am about to issue the first number of a series of papers entitled **Contributions from the Herbarium of Franklin & Marshall College.** No. 1 will contain an account of my work in southern Texas during the past year, of which sample pages are enclosed. Eleven new species are described, ten of them illustrated by full page plates. There will be at least 75 pages, in addition to the plates and index. The price is \$1.00, postpaid. It will be most convenient if all who can readily do so, will send a dollar bill instead of a money order.

Other numbers will be issued as material accumulates, and the price will be as low as possible. It is intended to accompany new species with drawings.

No 2 will contain a preliminary revision of the genus *Kuhnistera*, with one plate, and local notes.

Those who desire the complete series, should make a statement to that effect, so that their names may be put upon the subscription list.

A. A. HELLER,
411 W. Walnut street,
Lancaster, Pa., U. S. A.

411 W. Walnut St.,
Lancaster, Pa.,
Nov. 7, 1895.

Dear Sir,- Having spent the past eight months on a collecting tour in the Hawaiian Islands, I have for sale some very desirable sets of Hawaiian plants. The specimens are fresh and complete and good full specimens are furnished. The collection numbers between 300 and 400 Phanerogams and ferns and about 300 Cryptogams. There are between 10 and 20 new species of Phanerogams and quite a number among Cryptogams.

Many of the rare and peculiar plants of these islands are represented in this collection; a few examples of the many interesting species it contains are Acacia Koa A. Gray, 1985. Pittosporum glabrum Hook. and Arn., 2049. Euphorbia cordata Meyer., 2052. Scaevola Chamissoniana Sand., 2092. Lipochaeta integri folia A. Gray, 2095. Jacquemontia Sandvicensis A. Gray, 2120. Pipturus albidus A. Gray, etc., etc.,

Among the peculiar Hawaiian Rubiaceae there are species of Kadua, Souldia and Straussia; among Lobeliaceae are Leyana, Clermontia and Delissia; and new species among Lobelia, Euphorbia, Cyrtandra, Myrsine, Castelia, etc.

The price of Phanerogams and ferns is 10¢ each and of Cryptogams 9¢ per specimen. Sets will be sold entire or if desired separate sets can be obtained of Phanerogams, ferns, mosses, lichens, fungi, algae or hepatics.

Owing to the scarcity of Hawaiian plants in herbaria the collection is a very desirable one. Many of the plants have been determined by specialists which increases its value.

Hoping that you may find it possible to favor me with an order for a set of these plants, I am,

Very respectfully yours,
A. A. Heller,

All orders for plants should be sent as early as possible, as orders are filled in the order in which they are received.

Reference, if desired.

Prov. Nov. 10, 1895

Mr. A. A. Heller, Lancaster, Pa.

Dear Sir:

^{about Hawaiian plants} Yours of Nov. 7, ~~1895~~
at hand, and in reply would
like to make special inquiry about the
mosses, as to their number & by
whom determined.

I think it unlikely, that ~~that~~
the university will care to invest
in a set at present owing wholly
to the fact that our botanical
income has been completely cut off
(temporarily) by an bad investment.

Sincerely

J. T. S.

411 W. Walnut St.,
Lancaster, Pa.,

Nov. 20, 1895.

Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
Dear Sir,-

In reply to your inquiry about Hawaiian mosses in your letter of Nov. 10, I would say, that there will probably be in the neighborhood of 50 species, collected on the islands of Oahu and Kauai. They are in the hands of Mr. J. H. Small Ph. D., of Columbia College, for determination and I can not tell the exact number of species until his work on them is completed.

I should be pleased to sell you a set, if you decide that they are desirable.

Very truly yours,

A. R. Heller,

per E. S. H.

Prin. Nov 24, 1895

Mr. F. A. Helleo Lancaster, Pa.

Dear Sir: Yours of the 20th
~~at hand~~ in regard to Hawaiian
mosses, at hand. Please send
me a full set of the mosses as
soon as Dr. Small completes his
determinations. ~~provided there be~~
~~no material change in the~~
~~conditions~~

Sincerely

J. F. S.

(on card)

A. A. HELLER, Botanist,
411 WEST WALNUT STREET, LANCASTER, PA.,
U. S. A.

March 13, 1896

Dear Sir:

In this mail I send you a
package containing the Hawaiian mosses which
you ordered last year. Mr. Small has not
yet reported upon two or three species but
I expect to hear from him shortly.

Yours very truly,
A. A. Heller.

Sent \$2.00 in ^{letters} Mar 15. with request to

return 20 stamps

A. A. HELLER, Botanist,
411 WEST WALNUT STREET, LANCASTER, PA.,
U. S. A.

1896.

March 13,

J. Franklin Collins,

Bought of A. A. Heller.

21 Species of Hawaiian mosses @ 9¢

Received payment,
A. A. Heller.

\$ 1.98

A. A. HELLER, Botanist,
411 WEST WALNUT STREET, LANCASTER, PA.,
U. S. A.

March 17, 1896

Dear Sir:

Thanks for the \$2.00 which came
this morning. I enclose the difference, (29)

Yours very truly,
A. A. Heller

411 N. Walnut street,
Lancaster, Pa
Nov. 22, 1896.

Dear Mr. Collins:

Your letter and check received.
I am greatly obliged to you for your
kindness in trying to arrange so
that the bill against the
University may be paid promptly.

I do not know whether I have
been sending you all of my
separates or not, and do not
remember about my last article,
in the November Bulletin.

Very sincerely,
A. A. Heller.

Dear B. This is something we want,
Do you approve ordering?

Of course! Fire away!

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411 West Walnut Street,

LANCASTER, PA., U. S. A.

Ordered May 27, 1899
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New Bedford, May 7, 1913

Prof. J. F. Collins.

Dear Mr. Collins:

I have recently had the pleasure of examining your "Key to the Trees" & I congratulate you on having produced an unique and valuable book. The drawings are excellent.

I have lately consulted it in regard to the form of leaf of *Ulmus fulva* which Gray's Manual describes as "ovate-oblong" but which you have drawn as obovate & yours agree with those I have usually seen. It is evident however that the leaves are variable.

I do not know the Nyck Elm but I was interested to find its similarity in shape of leaves with the

Slippery Elm in one particular viz,
the top of the leaf often having three
pointed lobes. The U. fulva as
I have seen its leaf for the most
part leaves like yours, but on the
outer sprays there are often three-pointed
leaves, and indeed it is by this character
that I recognize the tree.

The fruit of U. montana, which you
do not refer to, is according to Loudon's
Encyclopedia's "fringed at edge" which should
be a very useful character in determining
the species. I would be very
glad to get a small bit of U. montana,
fruit or leaves or both if you should
happen to find it handy, but do not put
yourself to any trouble.

I am sending with this ^{in separate parcel} a specimen
of U. fulva showing a tendency to a 3 pointed
leaf; they are often much stronger marked
than this.

Truly yours
E. Williams Hervey

North Scituate, R. I.,
R. Y. L. No. 2,

May 30, 1910.

Dear Mr. Collins:-

Having recently found a specimen of what seems like the river birch (*Betula nigra* L.) and remembering that you desired me to be on the lookout for it I enclose a twig for your examination. It is growing in a swampy place on the west shore of Keesh Pond, and is small, only about six feet tall. I could find no larger ones near it, but did not search extensively as my attention at the time was almost filled with some specimens of *Carex*.

By the way, in the same locality I recently collected specimens of *Oryzopsis asperifolia* Michx., and *Oryzopsis pungens* (Torr.) Hitchc., which may interest you to know of being found in Rhode Island.

My quoniam-slipper has four from all
this season which you and Mr. Peckton
should come to see and collect some
of, as well as other interesting things.
Always as I start off for a plant col-
lecting tramp all alone I long for a
botanist companion to go with me and
enjoy it. We should discover many
things which one alone does not find.
Then too I should not mind the rough
places by the way so much, nor the
biting of the mosquitoes. But when
I get home mother and I study over
the difficult plants together and generally
make them out. I fear I should not
get on much working alone all the time,
for many of the distinctions in such
genera as *Panicum*, *Carex*, *Juncus*, *Salix*,
etc. are hard to grasp.

Very truly yours,
J. Irving Hill.

June 1. 1910.

Mr. J. Irving Hill,
R. F. D. No. 2,
North Scituate, R.I.

Dear Mr. Hill:-

I was very glad to hear from you. Am sorry that the specimen you sent appears to be the Canoe Birch, rather than the River Birch. I am inclosing a twig of the latter so that you will know what it looks like. Note the apex of the leaf, which lacks the taper of the Canoe Birch; also notice the decided rhombic outline. The bark of branches, or trunks, from 2 to 8 or 10 inches in diameter, have a decided ragged or fringed appearance from the curling back of the thin papery cinnamon-colored (at least on one surface) outer bark. This trunk character, for the diameters mentioned, is very striking when normally developed. Once seen it is never forgotten. The River Birch has been reported from Rhode Island but I have never seen a specimen from the state, nor can I find any one who has. Apparently about the only known station in New England is that along the Merrimac River in Massachusetts. I hope you can find it out in your region.

I am hoping to get out your way a little later, but I have thought the same for several springs, so I don't dare to say much now. A small party of us are planning to get out to Chepachet in the course of two or three weeks to see the big pine about a mile east of that village. Would you like to join us if we know the date long enough to let you know of it?

Am glad to hear of the two species of *Oryzopsis*. I do not think either are very common in the state.

Cordially yours,

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY.

TAXONOMIC INVESTIGATIONS.

Washington, D. C., February 24, 1909.

Curator of Herbarium,
Brown University, Providence,
Rhode Island.

Dear Sir:-

For several years Mrs. Chase and myself have been engaged upon a monograph of the North American Species of Panicum. The work is now at a stage where we can utilize material from other herbaria, and we shall be pleased to examine and identify collections of Panicum sent in to us. We wish particularly local collections as we hope through these to extend our knowledge concerning distribution. We hope to return at least the section Dichotoma by May 1st or probably at an earlier date. Packages for identification should be sent to A. S. Hitchcock, Dept. of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Very truly,

A. S. Hitchcock

Systematic Agròstologist.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY,
TAXONOMIC INVESTIGATIONS,
SYSTEMATIC BOTANY AND ECONOMIC COLLECTIONS.

Washington D.C. Mar 13

Dear Prof. Collins

In answer to
your card of Dec. 11, I would say
that for our purposes, the specimens
that we need for study, to de-
termine range, as we have little
from R.D., are those from that
area. I am enclosing a packet.
I shall be glad to identify and
label any other Panamanians you
have from the Western Hemisphere
but on account of limited funds
I cannot undertake to pay trans-
portation, unless the amount is small
enough to frank. I enclose a second packet.
Panamanian will please ^{to my wife} ~~send~~ ^{to my wife} ~~send~~
W.D. Hatcher

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY.

TAXONOMIC INVESTIGATIONS.

Washington, D. C., May 10 08

Prof F. Collins
Woodlawn Rd.

Dear Sir: I have observed the
specimens by franked mail
returning the non-dictyos for
further study. These will be returned
in the fall.

Very truly
W. S. Hellicock

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Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 4 — 1892

MARK.

J. F. Collins, Esq.
126 East Ave., Providence, R.I.

Dear Sir:

I duly received yours of
the 29th ult. and now am in receipt
of the price about which Mr.
Detmohr had also written me.

With many thanks for your
trouble in the matter, I am
Yours truly
D. S. Holden

Dep. of Agriculture, Washington, D.C., Aug 2-92

Dear Sir: Have you at present any mosses to exchange? or have you any unnamed ones you wish determined? I would like mosses from your parts, named or not, and shall be glad to determine for you. I have mosses from W. Va., La., Ala., Fla., N. Engl. and D.C. Let me hear from you.

Truly yours,

John B. Holzinger.

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Mr. J. F. Collins,
98 East Ave.,
Providence,
R. I.

Prin. Aug 4, 1892

J. M. Holzinger
Wash. D. C.

Dear Sir -

You ~~sent~~ ^{sent} me the 2d. no. at hand. I have always been very much ~~interested in the~~ ^{interested in the} ~~flowers of the~~ ^{flowers of the} ~~flowers~~ ^{flowers} and a few years ago I decided to make a special study of these plants and accordingly "struck in" a couple of the later on account of an eye trouble I was obliged to discontinue (strictly) all use of the compound microscope, and, for a shorter time the microscope was ~~not~~ ^{not} used in the compound case as ~~well~~ ^{well} as in connection with pinacogonite ~~botany~~ ^{botany} ~~as~~ ^{as} ~~our~~ ^{our} ~~own~~ ^{own} ~~men~~ ^{men}. ~~Now~~ ^{Now} I think seriously of again turning to the flowers

I have written a little book of
~~instructions~~ ^{instructions} covering all my ~~own~~ ^{own} ~~experiences~~
The method I use ~~is~~ ^{is} in
collecting is to place the plants
when collected in a funnel of paper
or canvas and a ~~can~~ ^{them} to ~~store~~
in ~~paper~~. The pressing is ~~not~~
and ~~time~~ as I have a ~~facility~~ ^{facility} to
analyze ~~them~~ ^{them} in many cases, preserving
~~the~~ ^{the} ~~original~~ ^{original} ~~proportion~~ ^{proportion} of
my specimens are unmanipulated and
consequently unpressed.

I have been using the ~~method~~ ^{method} of ~~pressing~~
^{in phlogopite} with little or no manipulation
for a year or more and
think ~~reminds~~ ^{reminds} of a gain turning
to the ~~loss~~.

In such a case I ~~think~~ ^{suppose} it would be
better for me to attempt the ~~analysis~~
naming ^{of my specimens first} (alternately) ~~and~~ ^{and} if necessary
have them verified by you

In either case I ~~think~~ ^{suppose} you ~~will~~ ^{will}
shall have no difficulty in

arranging for an edition of
some sort

~~I expect to be in~~
~~which are also given by~~
will - of course in the which
and over the
- these two little papers
on the matter

If you want me as great
hurry to obtain specimens from
my region may I be ~~induced~~
~~to~~ ~~participate~~ as far as to
postpone a definite reply to
you and give a few ^{short time} weeks?

In closing I should like to note
if my method of collecting is the
most approved and also chances
have to be ^{understand} ~~made~~ ~~as~~ it is
not necessary & enclosed please find
some few details

Sincerely

D. D. C.
1885

Dep. of Agr., Aug. 5-92
My dear Sir: Yours at hand. The sug-
gestions you make are satisfactory to me:
you can either try your hand first, removing
your mosses, or send them to me at once
unnamed. They should not be pressed hard
nor poisoned. I frank to you sample "pockets"
such as I take into the field to collect into.
5-10 of full pockets are then fastened together by
rubbers, & laid away till I can work them out.
Species of Hypnum you are not likely to get right.
Cordially
J. M. Holzingger.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
106 East Ave.,
Providence, R. I.

Aug. 12. 1892

1140' Young, Dept. Agriculture, Washington, D.C.
Dear Sir -

I am sending you the
enclosed to find in view
of the... I have already
used some of the provisions in
the bill and ~~like them~~ ~~but~~
think they are ^{decided} improvements
shall ~~be~~ adopted them.
Respectfully

Sincerely -

J. T. C.

106 East Ave.

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J. D. C.

106 East Ave.

New York City

New York

I will send you

some more 2001 as soon as I can. I can't
find time to work on my specimens
and straighten out the numbers etc
so as to not to get mixed on them.

I shall probably be delayed in this
a little, by an accumulation of
other work, some of which will
have to be attended to first.

In haste, but sincerely
~~Yours~~

J. D. C.

106 East Ave.

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J. M. Holzner
U. S. Dept. Agric.

Dear Sir:-

I have at last ~~found~~^{found} opportunity
to straighten out the numbers of my boxes,
but have as yet ~~had~~ had a chance to
pick out but 11 packets (700 species perhaps)

As I see no prospect of getting at them
again for awhile - a week or more - I
hasten to send these as a beginning
than of my earlier collections more desirably
acute. The specimens enclosed

represent in several instances more
than half the original envelopes.
Please feel at liberty to make any such
suggestions or criticisms as you
may think necessary or helpful.
All such will be regarded as
favors.

Yours sincerely

J. M. H.

106 E. Ave.

~~106 E. Ave.~~
J. M. H.

(112) N. Plover, Oct. 11, 1885

(160) Old Bluff, Concord Mass. 7-27-86

(216) Near R. W. Park 5-30-86

(184) "Massachusetts Pk", P. River, Warrumet,
Aug 22, 1886

(191) Cat S, 6-20-86

(153) Cat S, 6-20-86

(225) Grassy meadow Adkinsville Lane
6-6-86

(223) do.

(82) Newport N. H. Aug. 86
N. G.

(226) Near Auburn, R. I., 6-14-86. A. P. D.

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near R. W. Pk.

3--30-86

Boxes sent to
J. M. Holzner
Sept. 13. 1892

Dep. of Agr., Sep. 15, 1892.

Dear Mr. Collins:

Your letter with
masses received. Your way
of collecting and labelling is
very satisfactory. I am especially
pleased to see that you have an eye
for small things: I refer to No. 225,
probably a Brushia! Most collectors
snatch up only large species, while
the rare things are small species.

— On superficial examination I
refer your masses as follows:

82, Fissidens; 112, 160, 184, 216

Dizanum spp.; 153, 191, Leptotrichum

pallidum; 223, Physomitrium

212, 226, Webera spp.

For full and exact determi-
nation I shall not find time
for 4 or 8 weeks, since I am at
work on the masses of the District,
on which I am preparing as com-
plete a report as possible. I
hope this will not disappoint you.

Cordially, J. W. Holzinger.

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Dr. J. F. Collins,
106 East Ave.,
Providence,
R.I.

Providence Feb. 20/83

Prof J. M. Holzner

Wash. D. C.

Dear Sir: -

Can you give me an idea of the ~~names~~ names of Dr. Blanchard's collection that are for sale? The no. of species, quantity, ^{price} ~~and~~ any other information a possible purchaser might desire. I have quite a no. of Dr. B.'s names already, obtained a few years ago through an exchange.

Sincerely,
J. L. C.
101 E. Ave.



Dep. of Geog., Feb. 23, 1893.

Dear Mr. Collins: your postal just at hand. In reply I say that Dr. Blanchard's Moss *Herbarium* contains I. his own collections in Vermont, Virginia etc. and near Washington, D.C., comprising much duplicate material. II. Several collections of British and other foreign mosses, with some Western mosses. The care in which the mosses are stored contains also a collection of Fungi, and I think some lichens. These Mrs. Blanchard probably desires to go with the mosses. It was for me to estimate the value of the whole, after looking over $\frac{1}{4}$ of them, and I set the price at \$25 ^{or} which I would be willing to pay myself if I could afford it.

Cordially yours,

J. B. Holzinger.

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Mr. J. F. Collins,
106 East Ave.
Providence,
R.I.

Pro. News Feb. 28, 1893

Prof. J. H. Hargraves

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

Your favor of

Feb. 23 at hand. I think the price of the Dr. Blanchard's Moss Herb. is ~~as~~ ^{as} ~~high~~ ^{reasonable} when I wrote you

Feb.

before that I might possibly have used Dr. Blanchard's Moss Herb. if the price was reasonable (and I think it is) ~~but it almost~~ ^{always is}

larger than I thought, and consequently higher priced. I might ~~have~~ ^{immediately} ~~ordered~~ ^{ordered} it had you the fact ~~of~~ ^{that} that Peronchites has got hold of me within a week, and while judging from former experience ^{more} ~~will~~ ^{probably} ~~not~~ ^{leave} me until winter weather abates and then ~~probably~~ ^{with a good part} ~~of~~ ^{of} my ~~herb~~ ^{herb} ~~books~~ ^{books}. Thank you for your business. I remain sincerely yours
(over) J. H. Hargraves

I think it will be wise for ^{purchase}
me to do nothing about the ~~the~~
^{while} ~~at~~ present circumstances ~~if~~
even ~~seemingly~~ though running
large chances of not obtaining
it at all. I thank
you for your kindness I

Remain Dear Sir, yours

J. V. A.

104 E. Ave.

Pres. Jan 27/95

Mr. J. M. Holzner

Dear Sir:-

Please send me
1 set each of the "Musci Europaei
Eysenckii" and "Musci Americae
Eysenckii." ^{as ordered in Brit. Mus.} ~~as ordered~~ the cost
to me will not be more than \$1.00.
If I am expected to pay for trans-
portation of same please ~~let~~ inform
me and in meantime hold & set aside
for me until I can ~~write~~ ^{reply}
reply.

Very truly

J. F. C.

To J. M. Holzner, Winona, Minn.

State Normal School,

WINONA, MINN.

Department of Natural History,

JOHN M. HOLZINGER.

Winona, Minn., Feb. 14, 1895

Mr. Collins.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Leardot will send you his exhibits by mail direct from France. So you will have no expense additional to cost of rets. I have just written him.

Yours truly

J. M. Holzinger.

While at Washington I had some correspondence or messages with a Mr. Collins at R. I. : are you the gentleman? My correspondent was an M.D. however. I forget his initials.

Prov. Feb 9, 1895

Mr. J. W. Helweg

Dear Sir:-

Yours of the 4th at hand. I judge from it that I am to send the mosses direct to Mr. Cuscut on receipts of plants. Am I correct? I rec'd a card from you in Aug, 1892 stating that you would like to obtain mosses from this region, named or unnamed, as I was unprepared to exchange at that time ~~but~~ I arranged ~~for~~ to send you some to be determined which I accordingly did Sept 13th '92 (11 packets)

On Feb. 23, 1893 we had a little correspondence in regard to ~~the~~ the late Dr. Blanchard's mosses which I ^{thought some of} ~~came near~~ purchasing but was prevented by sickness

There is a physician in this city named Collins (Dr. L.) with whom

you may have corresponded about the
anuses I never heard that he was
interested in that line, still I am not
personally acquainted with him. I
think however there was no M.D.
ever attached to my name.

Sincerely

J. F. C.

Winona, Minn., Feb. 13, 1895.

Dear Sir: Yours of Feb. 9 at hand. I cannot understand why a recent letter (within 3 months past) addressed to you at Providence did not reach you, but was returned to me as unclaimed. I had sent you the determinations of some of your masses.

No, the amounts due Mr. Cardot for fascicles of masses, through my hands, as stated in the Ad. For it is cheaper for subscribers to send money to me than to France. Otherwise there is no difference, except that it is apt to complicate my account with Cardot.

Very truly yours,
John W. Holzinger.

POSTAL CARD - ONE CENT.

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Mr. J. Frank Collins,
126 East Avenue,
Providence,
R.I.

State Normal School

-AT-

WINONA, MINNESOTA.

President's Office,

Winona, Minn., Feb. 27, 1895

Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
126 East Avenue,
Providence, R.I.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Cardot writes under date of the 15th inst. that he can no longer furnish complete sets of Bossi Jan-Sept. But he can make up a good picked set of 100 species out of the first 150 for \$5.⁰⁰, a dollar less than when the Nos. are continuous. Kindly tell me whether you desire these numbers, at your early convenience, since I am asked by Mr. Cardot to let him know as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

J. M. Holzinger.

How do you like the set of European mosses?

Prin. Mar 2, 1895

Mr. J. M. Halpinger
Business Man.

Dear Sir: Your letter
of the 27th ult. has just been
received. Please tell Mr. Cardak
to send me as good a priced
set ^{of 100 2nd Ed} as he can of the Mus. An. Sept.
~~for \$5.00. The Mus. An. Ex.~~
~~are very acceptable~~

I am very well satisfied with
the Mus. An. Ex. I had hoped
however, they might all be in print but
~~still~~ I am not finding fault.

I enclose \$3.00 for the
set received ~~for~~ please
forward ~~the~~ a receipt for same
next time you write.

J. X. Collins
136 East Ave

Winona, Minn., Mch. 5, 1895.

Dear Sir: Your letter with enclosure for \$3.00 is received. You will find no set of exsiccata in which all numbers are fruiting specimens. Leaves in mosses are generally characteristic, as you know, and where they are not, as in *Webera*, *Orthotrichum* etc. fruiting specimens only are given. - I will write Mr. Cardot about your wish.

I am working out myself a series of Minnesota Exsiccata, in 10-12 sets, six of which only will be sold. The first fascicle of 1-50 is soon ready. Do you want a set? at \$3.00 a fascicle.

Cordially yours,
J. M. Holzinger.

POSTAL CARD - ONE CENT.

United States of America

THIS SIDE IS FOR THE ADDRESS ONLY.

Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
126 East Avenue,
Providence,
R. I.

Prov. Dec. 20, 1895

Mr. J. M. Holzner
Missionary Mission

Dear Sir,

Please send me
a set of your Mission crosses
when ready for distribution

I would like also to be
kept posted (if convenient to you)
as to future distributions, either
of your own or of others with
whom you may be ~~interested~~
~~financially~~ ~~or~~ connected, associated

Sincerely

J. F. Collins
126 Court Ave.

Winona, Minn., March 25, 1895.

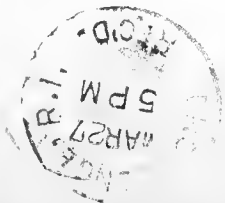
Dear Mr. Collins: With this I send my first fascicle, 50 Nos. of *Minnesota* horses. The price is \$3.00 a fascicle. At the end of the coming season I expect to send out fasc. 2, and possibly fasc. 3, and in a year from then a fourth fascicle. No duplications of course. - I have added No. 51, a new sp. probably, but which I cannot settle finally till next July, when I expect to work for 4-6 weeks at the Univ. of Minn.

Cordially yours,
J. W. Helginger.

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Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
126 East Avenue,
Providence,
Rhode Island.

Winona, Minn., Apr. 3, 1895.

Dear Mr. Collins: Your favor of the 1st
inst. received with enclosure of \$3.⁰⁰
for Nos. 1-50 of Bosses of Minnesota.

It will be after the collecting season
just opened when I shall prepare
the second fascicle of Bosses of Minnesota,
and possibly the third at the same time.

I shall be pleased to keep you informed
of other distributions.

Cordially yours,
J. B. Holzinger.

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Mr. J. Franklin Collins
126 East Avenue,
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Winona, Minn., June 15, 1895.

Dear Mr. Collins:

Dr. Cardot writes me that he has sent you 77 lbs. of his *Thurston*. Sept., and states that you may have them for \$3.⁰⁰. He had hoped to make out 100 for \$5.⁰⁰, but found he could not. You may send the amt to me at your convenience.

Cordially yours,

J. M. Holzinger

Prin June 17, 1900

U. S. ...
...

Dear Mr. ...

enclosed (Hep. Jones Sept. Exp.) containing
about 75 sp. (77 envelopes) from
Mr. ... came to hand more
than a week ago. As I have
found nothing from you about
them I don't know you may have
written another letter, as I
was expecting a package of 100
sp. ~~as you had~~ as you had
and ~~consequently~~ I am here - nothing
to learn how much these are
cost ~~before~~ before writing, I think

Best very truly

W. D. ...

Prun June 22, 1895

Mr. J. M. Holyoake - Treasurer - Minn.

Dear Sir;

Enclose P.O. order for \$3 for the 37 numbers of the Mus^{News}, Sept. Ex. recd. from Mr. Cardot. ~~Please send me~~ ~~and if~~ which kindly acknowledge at your convenience via enclosed card. If not too much trouble, I would like to be kept posted as to Mr. Cardot's future distributions.

Sincerely

J. J. [Signature]

Winona, Minn., June 27 1895

Dear Mr. Collins:

The 20 masses sent you by Mr. Cardot he lets you have for \$3.00. You may remit at your own convenience to me. A letter sent you by me before must have miscarried, judging from your recent inquiry about this.

Cordially yours,
J. B. Holzinger.

P.S. - June 24 1895, sent \$3.00
Orrill Winona Minn.

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Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
126 East Avenue,
Providence,
R. I.

Winona, Minn.



Dear Sir:

Mr. Cardat informs, in letter just received, that he has mailed, to you, 52 dos. of Ex. Am.

After you receive the package, you may send to me the amount,

\$3.⁰⁰. Hoping you will find everything satisfactory, I remain

Yours truly,

J. M. Bohlinger.

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Mr. J. F. Collins,
126 East Ave.,
Providence,
R.I.

Prer. Nov. 24, 1895

Mrs J. M. Holzinger, Minner, Minn.

Dear Sir: Your card
of 20th at hand. I rec'd. the
musses from Mr. Cardet. a few
days ago. and ^{they} are, so far as I have
~~seen~~, noticed, perfectly satisfactory
Enclosed find \$3.00 for the same
~~which~~ Please acknowledge via
enclosed card.

Sincerely yours,

J. F. 

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Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
126 East Ave.,
Providence,
R. I.

Prer. May 13 1896.

Mr. J. M. Holzganger, Wisconsin Minn

Dear Sir.

I trust that the \$3.00
sent you on Apr. 25 for Ren. & Card.
Mus. Eur., # 51-100 reached you
safely. If so will you
kindly ~~return~~ forward receipts in
reply, would you?

Sincerely

J. J. L.

Winona, Minn., May 16, 1896.

Dear Mr. Collins: Please pardon this delay in sending you receipt for the \$3⁰⁰ recently sent by you. This is the last of our school year, and is a very busy time. So I laid away all the letters containing the a/c's for R. & C. expenses till all would be in. This I finally did May 10, last. And I suppose ere this you have the receipt. I will however write another here:

Received from J. F. Collins \$3⁰⁰, for R. & C.
Expenses. Enc. 51-100. John M. Holzinger.

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J. Franklin Collins
126 East Ave
Providence
R. I.

Winona, Minn., Jan. 17, 1897.

Dear Sir: Mr. Cardat writes that he has forwarded to you fascicle III, Nos. 101-150, of *Musci europaei exsiccati*. You may please, after receipt, remit the amount, \$3⁰⁰, to me.

If you desire a formal bill for these fascicles, kindly let me know, and

Oblige yours truly,

John M. Holzinger.

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Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
126 East Avenue,
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Winona, Minn., Feb. 31, 1899.

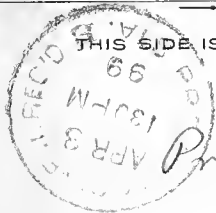
My dear Sir: My last summer's trip to N. W. Montana resulted in my finding some interesting masses, incl. some new to the U. S. and one or two new things. I have 100 or more species in quantity to make six sets, not more. Sixty are now well determined, Best, Groat, True, E. G. Britton, Renauld and Cardot having aided me, each in their special line, and these are ready to deliver at \$3.⁰⁰ a set. Ten, or so, more species, which are as yet "soaking," when they are determined, subscribers will receive without extra charge. Do you want a set?

Cordially yours,
John M. Holinger.
(Address Apr. 4.)

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Prof. J. Franklin Collins,
126 East Avenue,
Providence,
R. I.

Winona, Minn., June 27, 1899.

The undersigned addresses the following proposition to all accessible living bryologists, both American and foreign:

1.- At the forthcoming meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, at Columbus Ohio, August 21-26, it is proposed, for very appropriate reasons, to have a Bryological Memorial Meeting.

2.- An exhibit, at that time, of a collection of photos of as many students of mosses as possible, both present and past, would be doubtless very interesting. To this end I offer to exchange photos with every one who receives this circular. Since the time is short, I have undertaken this collection privately. I shall venture to send my photo to all my present addressees, and I trust that all my bryological friends will see fit to make this exchange, which has for its main purpose a closer relation and better acquaintance of all, not only with you the scientist but with you the person.

Believing that a glimpse of the life of our fellow workers will become a source of pleasure and inspiration to us, I will ask my colleagues to aid me in a brief compilation of data in the following manner:

a.- Write on the back of your photo (card size preferred) your full name, address, date of birth, date of picture.

b.- On a separate sheet or sheets, give me, for use at the meeting, briefly, these data:

- 1.- Your vocation.
- 2.- The time you are able to give annually to the study of mosses.
- 3.- A list of your bryological papers or larger works; also a list of excursions you may have distributed.
- 4.- Which groups or larger groups of mosses interest you especially?
- 5.- Are you willing to have referred to you, for critical examination, species that fall in the line of your special interest?
- 6.- Do you exchange mosses? If so, what material do you offer?
- 7.- If you can do so at this writing, please state whether you expect to attend the Columbus meeting next August 21-26.

I may say briefly of myself: 1.- I am a teacher of Natural History in the State Normal School at Winona, Minn. 2.- For 6 months of the year I can give little or no time to mosses. During the winter quarter I am able to spend about 5 hours a week. I spend about 8 months of my summer vacation largely in collecting mosses. 3.- I have published, in Minnesota Botanical Studies, the results of my work on the mosses of Minnesota; have written only a few brief articles besides. I have also distributed fascicle I, 50 Nos. of Mosses of Minnesota, some of Mosses of Colorado, and of N.W. Montana. 4.- I am interested especially in the general moss flora of the Rocky mountains. 5.- I shall be pleased to see any material from west of the Mississippi. 6.- I exchange mosses collected by me in the District of Columbia, in Minnesota, Colorado and Montana, preferably for South American ^{and other foreign} mosses. 7.- I expect to be at the Columbus meeting, to become acquainted personally with the bryologists that may attend that meeting.

If you can secure for me, by loan or otherwise, small pictures of noted bryologists now deceased, you will greatly oblige all concerned.

Fraternally yours,

John W. Holzinger.

P. S. The shortest one set of answers will reach you in two or three days.

SECRET, 1900, 1000, 1000

THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY AND NAVAL DEPARTMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY AND NAVAL DEPARTMENT

FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY AND NAVAL DEPARTMENT

RE: [Illegible]

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*Dicta answered
photo and good sent
July 18, 1879
D.P.C.*

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Handwritten notes on the right margin, including a signature and the number 211.

State Normal School

at
Winona, Minnesota.

~~President's Office.~~

Winona, Minn., July 1, 1899.

Dear Mr. Collins:

I have this forenoon mailed to you a set of my N. W. Montana mosses.

If there are some common species among the seventy or more packets, there are also quite a few things which are not likely to be distributed again soon. Then, there are only 5 more full sets like yours. My charge, of \$3.⁰⁰ for the set, was designed to pay my expense for labels and packets principally.

I hope you will think favorably of my proposition, in the enclosed circular. In a few days I shall send you my photo

Cordially yours,

John M. Holzinger.

Check sent July 12, 1899.
Data sent. but not photo.

Winona, Minn., Jan. 3, 1900.

Dear Mr. Collins: I just read in the Jan. *Bryologist* that you have published certain biological matters in the *Rhodora* and *Botanizing*. If you have not reprints to distribute, please have copies of these periodicals containing your papers sent me at my expense.

If you have not copies of *Minn. Bot. Studies* containing my moss articles, please write, and I will send them.

With belated Happy New Year wishes

John M. Polzinger.

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Mr. J. F. Collins,
26 East Ave.,
Providence R.I.



00 NVA

Winona, Minn., Nov. 28, 1906,

My dear Sir: The June Rhodora, in my possession
thanks to your courtesy, has just been looked over,
with great interest in J. R. Churchill's descriptive paper,
as well as in Kennedy's and your own. Best thanks!
And what I want you to do for me especially now,
is, to tell me, by postal, which one of the men on Plate 26
upper photo., represents you, Kennedy - and all the other three.

^{your} Doubtless, judging from the plates and description,
The "Ktaadn" region is fully as wild country, and
as hazardous climbing, as I found in my trip in 1897 in
the "Heart of the Rockies" in N. W. Montana.

Cordially yours,
J. G. Holzinger.

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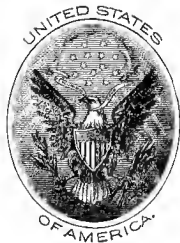
Winona, Minn., Jan. 18, 1903.

Dear Mr. Collins:

Only 100 Nos. have been issued of my *Boones of Wisconsin*, - as to the R. 26. *exsiccati*, the Nos. you give are the last that have appeared. Two fascicles more are expected to appear shortly.

I am sending you a few Minn. mosses some of which may interest you.

Sincerely yours,
John H. Holzinger.

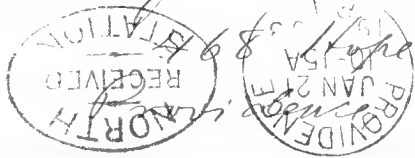


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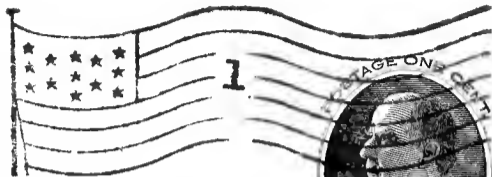
Mr. J. F. Collins,
68 Hope Str.,
R. I.



Winona, Minn., Jan. 2, 1904,

My dear Sir: I am sending you
Nos. 1-27 of my *Scorcarpi* by mail.
Will you kindly acknowledge them shortly.
There is not so much haste about the amount
\$1.50. (Editor. glance over I shall have to replace ^{amount}
with better material later.)

Wishing you a cute Happy New Year
I am cordially yours,
John L. Whittington



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J. F. Collins,
128 East Avenue,
Providence,
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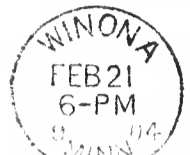
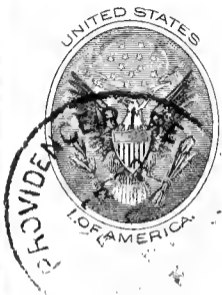
Winnipeg, Minn., Feb. 21, 1904.

I hope you have
safely received, and like, part 2 of
Loscarni, sent a week ago today. \$1.50.

Cordially yours,

John H. H. H.

I guess I have
your address
now!

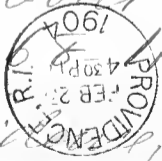


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*Mr. J. F. Collins,
46 Hope St.,
Providence, R.I.*



Winona, Minn., Nov. 6, 1904,

My dear Sir: I have recently received from you \$1.50, payment in full for fascicle 2 of my *terocarpis*. Please hold this in lieu of a more formal receipt.

Fascicle 3 will contain a number of rare things. I hope to distribute it in 4-6 weeks. Sincerely yours,

John M. Holzinger.



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Mr. J. F. Collins,
468 Hope Str.,
Providence,
R. I.

Winona, Minn., Feb. 9, 1904,

My dear Mr. Collins:

I have read with interest your corrections of Simprich in the Marsh Biologist. You seem to me in error, however, when you remark that they "have been quoted" by me. Of course in a general sense this is true. Strictly, I made simply as faithful a translation of Simprich's historical review of the evolution of the genus; ^{as I could} and the only use to my purpose was the view regarding *H. rotellatum*! It was quite outside of my purpose to look up the sundry refs. to see that the paging was correct.

The point in your second paragraph seems to me unfortunately taken by you: how, in sense, could Simprich refer to *W. viridula* by an old synonym? It goes

ignite fossil & get the form in paragraph 1, of your 11th section excepted; what should it convey?

without saying that your final conclusion at the close of paragraph two would better have prevented your saying anything on this point.

The page references are rather bad, but you have put us all under obligation for correcting errors in so painstaking a way. But, let me suggest here also, if you please, that errors and all, there is no shaking of my own argument shown. - In another connection I have had to look up that "mucronulata," and have been puzzled by it. I agree with you that it is an error. Will you, however, please look up for me "Weisia mucronatula Bo. in Spreng. S. Syst. veg. IV p. 158" cited in Paris sub W. mucronata. If you have not Sprengel please let me know.

I thank you for calling attention to my rendering of "fontgeführt": I took it to mean "transferred", "removed" (and used the latter). It means, from your showing "retained", i. e. as a Hymenotrium! I will correct this in May issue.

Cordially yours,
J. M. Holmgren,

Weisia mucronulata Bruch.

31. W. caule erecto ramoso, foliis e basi lata linearibus-subulatis, nervo in mucronem incurvum excurrente, capsulae orbatae operculo longe rostrato, peristomio fugacissimo. Ager bipontin

~~Sprengel, Curtis~~

Caroli Linnaei Systema Vegetabilium

Editio decima sexta
curate Curtis Sprengel

Vol. IV. Pars I.

(1827)

Copy

Providence, Nov. 12, 1904

My dear Prof. Holzinger

Yours of the 9th at hand.

I ~~am~~ greatly regret that anything in my Bryologist article could have conveyed the impression that I was trying in any way to assail your arguments in regard to Hymenostomum in the Jan. issue, for nothing was more foreign to my line of thought, as well as my desire or intention, at the time I wrote the article, than that idea. Indeed, it never occurred to me that anything in my article could possibly be interpreted in that light until your letter came. Now, upon carefully reading my own article again, with your point of view in mind, I think I can locate the origin of the misunderstanding as the latter part of the first paragraph. If this supposition is correct the misunderstanding is probably strengthened by my direct quotations from your article in the two subsequent paragraphs. My main reason for referring to your article at all is stated in the last two lines of paragraph 1. A rather indirect reason also exists ~~also~~ in the fact that I always read your articles with much interest. Such was the

~~conclusion of affairs~~ ^{care} when I read your Jan. article.

Something - I do not now recollect what - led me to look up one of your translated references and I found it was not correct. This ~~to~~ was the wedge that opened all the rest.

I very quickly ascertained that the errors were not yours as you had apparently correctly translated Leipzig - your stated source of information. "translation excepted" simply means that you had translated the original German into English and to that ~~slight~~ ^(being a translation) extent, it was not an exact quotation. The very fact of your translation being in quotation marks would, as I view it, absolve you from responsibility for ^{copying} ~~quoting~~ errors which appeared in the original, especially if you did not know of the existence of such errors.

It may be of interest to you to know that that first paragraph of my article was, at the suggestion of Dr. Groat, considerably condensed from the original mss. sent to him, in order to economize space. In the original mss. appeared this statement "the errors noted below should not be credited to Prof. Holzinger who correctly quoted his source of information"

I now regret that this statement was not retained.
 I am wrong in ~~saying~~ saying that you "quoted",
 I should have said translated. This oversight is
 due to condensing that first paragraph for in
 the original draft the first sentence read "Nearly
 a page of Prof. Halzinger's article on the genus *Hypnum*
 in the *Jen. Biologist* appears in quotation marks as a
 translation from *Impuncti: Die Leuchtmoose*", which is,
 so far as I can see, a perfectly correct statement.

I think the point ^{mentioned} in my second paragraph will not
 appear quite as unfortunate as it has at first when I
 explain it, although, as I there state, it is of very
 little ^{practical} importance. *Impuncti* (1:223) says "Die
 Verfasser der *Byol. Germ.* (1823) betonen die
 Verwandtschaft mit *Hezia viridula*" Strictly speaking
 I regard this as an incorrect ^{statement} citation for the *Byol.*
Germ. says "controversa." You ask "how, in
 sense, could *Impuncti* refer to *H. viridula* by an
 old synonym?" A simple way which occurs
 to me at this moment would be to change the last part
 of the above quotation so as to read (translated) "with
Hezia controversa (*H. viridula* (L.) Hook.)" or, ^{better,} perhaps, "with
 a synonym of *H. viridula*."

Although this - in general - presents my view of the
subject I can not claim that it is the correct one.

It is possible that it is a wrong one. The statements
as made, however, briefly explain the reasons for the second
paragraph in my article appearing as it does.

I think I can, on Monday, verify ~~that~~ ^{the} reference
that you ask about in Sprengel and will refrain
from mailing this until I have ^{had} the opportunity ~~to do so~~.
~~at least try~~ to look ^{it} up ~~the reference~~.

I am glad to see what you have done with Burmanni
menziesii .. It did seem out of place in that genus.
Monday, Mar. 14.

I have today looked up the reference in Sprengel.
I inclose a card on which I have copied the entire description
there given. This, of course clears up the ^{question of} ~~subject of~~
the combination "W. mucronulata, Bruch" and at the same time
brings to light the erroneous reference in Paris (p. 1365) under
W. mucronata. It should ^{there} read "W. mucronulata Br. in Spreng. L.
Spt. veg. IV. pars. 1. p. 158" On the back of the inclosed
card you will find the title of the part from which the
description is ^{copied} taken. I will send a brief note to
May Biologist correcting my "It may be an error." in Mar
issue.
Very ^{cordially} truly, J. J. C.

Copy of note enclosed with letter -
from J. M. H. to J. F. C.

Note 1.

Leipz. Saubm. 7 p. 223

irrtümlich auch (wird) *H. crispatum*

Byal. genm. noch fortgeführt."

Without looking up the facts regarding
Hymenotoma crispatum, I took
"fortgeführt" to mean "led away", "removed"
and so I translated it by the latter word,
supposing that it meant "transferred to

another genus" This is clearly a mistake

as Mr. Collins shows in the March ~~B~~
Biologist, p. 32+33. Instead of "removed"
I should have translated "retained", i.e.

in the genus *Hymenotoma*. It
is puzzling, however, why Saubrecht
said "auch". This is what misled me

as if *H. crispatum*, like *H. retellatum*,
has been transferred to another genus

Nov. 10, 1904

Please return to J. M. H.

For Mr. Collins' please say simply "for *Hymenotoma crispatum*
has been removed" the translation should read "has been retained".
Public attention further than this is not called for. H.

Winona, Minn., March 14, 1904,

My dear Mr. Collins:

Yesterday I spoke for about half a page in the next issue of the Bryologist for a note on your note. This forenoon, before I got your letter I had a very clearly formulated wish that I might be relieved from this task; it is quite distasteful to me to make a defense. Your letter solves the problem!

Grant evidently bungled in condensing. That first paragraph is not fair to me, in sequence. It would be perfectly fair, had he left intact your statement: "The errors quoted below should not be credited to Mr. Holzinger, who correctly quoted his source of information." You should simply say so in your May note. And you should further add my statement:

that the purpose of my reference to Simprich's historical statement was fully served by an exact translation; and that the corrections made by you have no bearing on my point.

As for your second paragraph: your view is of course defensible. Yet, my contention is still: the author, here at least, can not be held to be incorrect when he says *W. vividula*, instead of *W.*

both about *microscopata*: both this and "*microscopata*" are Bruch's. See *Bryologist*, p. 259.
microscopata he wrote in 1825; "*microscopata*" in 1827. Hence Schimper's effort in my -
freshly "*microscopata*". Both are now superseded: and one supposes for one species? from one name -
ought to be enough! Schimper to the first name.

controversia, evidently assuming that everybody is quite well aware that *H. controversa* is a synonym of *H. viridula*. (Here I suspected you of showing that needlessly vindictive spirit that Mrs. C.G.B. persists in showing toward European mycologists, especially when they are careless enough to describe American species - which she considers poaching in her special preserves! This is strictly inter nos! In your case I see I am wrong, since you are evidently animated by a simple desire for more circumstantial exactness.)

That *Hymenostroma subglobosum* Bory. gen. n. is made a synonym for *Weisia viridula* in Bory. con. is well pointed out as an error by you. And I can not see what Limpricht meant to say here: evidently *H. subglobosum* is a synonym of some species, - to find which is now the point.

I must thank you for looking up the reference to Spreng. *Synn. Syst. Myc.* IV, p. 158. The specific name "rot. ²⁶ ^(24, if "mucronata") *bus* is evidently 52 years older than Bruch's name. See Limpricht I, p. 259, which shows Paris not up to date on p. 1365.

And I thank you especially for making it possible to correct and make pointed my translation of "aufgeführt"! I enclose my note, a word or two of which please use in your note to remove that distressing vagueness, for me.

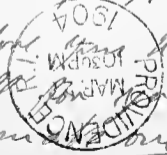
Cordially yours,
John M. Holzinger.

My Holmstrom in his description persisted in writing *mucronata*, instead of *rot. bus*, is not clear; unless it was merely an oversight! I have *rot. bus*; but I write *H. mucronata* Bruch. (See paragraph No. 1 of this letter.)

From's
about ready,

Winona, Minn., Nov. 25, 1904.
My dear Mr. Collins:

I fear this whole matter
will receive more attention than it
really deserves, by additional reference.
And I trust your note is brief. I saw
proof of your first note, which was too brief
~~however, being sent before I had my letter.~~
~~Would it not be well to~~ you & try and get
~~the sum of it~~ one note of all?



Cordially yours,
John Holzinger.

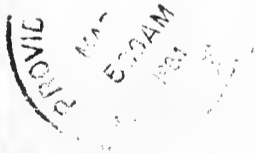


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Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
468 Hope St.
Providence, R. I.



Nov. 21, 1904

My dear Prof. Holger, :-

Your letter of the 17th ^{was} has ~~been~~ received ^{one or two days ago} ~~at~~ ^{the} ~~office~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{editor} ~~of~~ ^{the} ~~journal~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{journal} this morning. I am very glad that ~~you~~ ^{we} ~~are~~ ^{are} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{same} ~~line~~ ^{line} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~thought~~ ^{of} ~~thought~~ ^{thought}.

mutual understanding ~~is~~ ^{to} ~~be~~ ^{be} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~basis~~ ^{basis} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~work~~ ^{work}.

By ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~own~~ ^{own} ~~initiative~~ ^{initiative} I will ~~send~~ ^{send} a supplementary note ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~main~~ ^{main} ~~text~~ ^{text} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~journal~~ ^{journal} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~17th~~ ^{17th} ~~inst.~~ ^{inst.} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~which~~ ^{which} I think I can make ~~some~~ ^{perfectly} ~~useful~~ ^{useful} ~~changes~~ ^{changes} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~all~~ ^{all} ~~concerned~~ ^{concerned}. I will ~~also~~ ^{also} ~~incorporate~~ ^{incorporate} your suggestions in regard to "fortgeführt" without making any ~~unpleasant~~ ^{unpleasant} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~public~~ ^{public} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~journal~~ ^{journal} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~17th~~ ^{17th} ~~inst.~~ ^{inst.} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~which~~ ^{which} I think I can make ~~some~~ ^{perfectly} ~~useful~~ ^{useful} ~~changes~~ ^{changes} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~all~~ ^{all} ~~concerned~~ ^{concerned}.

I think in my last letter I must have said that that ~~first~~ ^{second} ~~paragraph~~ ^{paragraph} was condensed at the ~~suggestion~~ ^{suggestion} of Dr. Ernst "or something to that effect". I did not mean to imply that Dr. G. condensed it. I did it ~~myself~~ ^{myself}. I only got word from ~~him~~ ^{him} about it ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~last~~ ^{last} ~~moment~~ ^{moment} ~~however~~ ^{however}, although he had had the ms. some ~~little~~ ^{little} time. ~~The~~ ^{The} ~~ms.~~ ^{ms.} was not returned ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~copy~~ ^{copy} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~original~~ ^{original} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~very~~ ^{very} ~~hurriedly~~ ^{hurriedly}. ~~As~~ ^{As} ~~was~~ ^{was} ~~Albright~~ ^{Albright} returned the subtitle by next mail it did not reach Mr. Smith (via Dr. G.) until after she had seen everything to the printer. She ~~recalled~~ ^{recalled} ~~enough~~ ^{enough} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~call~~ ^{call} ~~it~~ ^{it} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~appear~~ ^{appear} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~black~~ ^{black} ~~ink~~ ^{ink}.

feel sure

Best -

(and at a time when I was
very busy otherwise)

I ~~should~~ if I had not observed so in reverse, I should
not have overlooked the importance of retaining that sentence.
in regard is not crediting the work of you.

The substance of that sentence will however, be incorporated
in my note to Mrs. Smith, this evening.

Yours truly

Wm. L. G.

Wm. L. G.

Winona, Minn., Sept. 10, 1904.

Dear Mr. Collins:

I am sending you
fols. 4, 45-100, of Breri-brosopi,
including 69b, which please insert
in pocket, also 62, corrected, also 29d,
64a, 51b, 40b. Please let me know if
they reach you safely. No great haste about
pay, \$1.50.

Cordially yours,
J. Holzinger.



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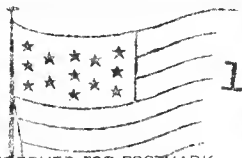
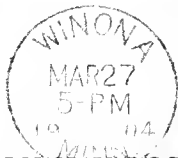
Mr. J. F. Collins,
468 Hope St.,
Providence, R. I.

Winona, Minn., Feb. 27, 1904

My dear Mr. Collins;

I saw proof of your first note; and so I added two remarks over my name, provisionally.

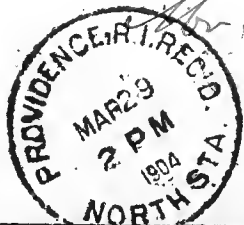
Now Mr. Smith tells me you have made an addition "which covers the ground. And "after due consideration" the good "editress" says she will print both! I hope it will not sound so funny as to burst "our noses!" I am sure it will be a little overdone. But on the whole we may trust Mr. Smith. Cordially yours H.



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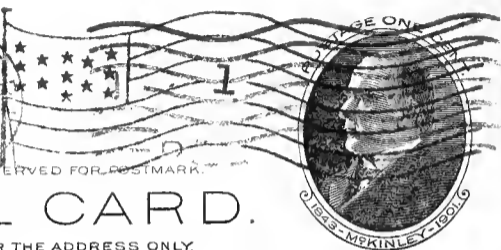
*Mr. J. F. Collins,
468 Hope St.,
Providence,
R.I.*

Winnona, Minn., ~~Apr~~ 3, 1904.

My dear Mr. Collins:

I am pleased to acknowledge receipt of \$1.50 for fasc. 3 of *terrestris*, in your letter of Dec. 30 last. — Yes, I owe you 6" for *Fun. hygrosum*. At the last moment I found it was inaccessible. So I will send it later.

A more serious matter is that of "*Rhas. Sudetica*" Grant had send me a bulk lot of *Rhas.* — all named in a label "*ramulorum*", synonym for *Rh. microcarpum*. I placed this material in packets, and examined 10 selected packets, — finding only *Rh. sudetica*. Two days ago I turned to my *terrestris* and found it mostly *Rh. microcarpum*! Please return it for *var.* ~~or~~ *connections*! Cordially yours J. V. Pitt.



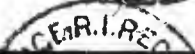
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*Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
Providence,
468 Hope St. R.I.*



Winona, Minn., Dec. 3, 1904.
Mr. J. F. Collins
& J. H. Holzinger, Dr.
For fac. 5 of terre, Bor. - Am. \$1.50.

Dear Mr. Collins: Please note absence of
No. 24; it will come with fac. 6. In its
place I send an unnumbered pocket, & make
a full 25. Please also to note correction.

Cordially yours,
John H. Holzinger.



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Mr. J. F. Collins,
468 Hope St.,
Providence,
R.I.

Winnona, Minn., Dec. 8, 1904.

Dear Mr. Collins:

I wish to acknowledge with thanks receipt of \$1.50, payment in full for fav. 5 of my *Scovropi*. —

Wishing you somewhat prematurely a Merry Xmas and Happy New Year, I am

Cordially yours John Volzinger.



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468 Hope Str.,
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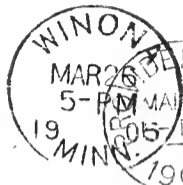
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R.I.

Winona, Minn., Feb. 25, 1905

Dear Mr. Collins: I am mailing with
this par. VI of *Procarpi*. Price: \$0.50.
Remit at convenience. But please inform
me promptly of safe receipt of the parcel,
and oblige

Yours sincerely,

John L. Holzinger.



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*Mr. J. F. Collins,
468 Hope St.,
Providence, R. I.*

Winona, Minn., April 21, 1905

Dear Mr. Collins: I wish to thank you
for the very prompt remittance of \$1.50
for fasc. 6 of my *Sarcopsis*.

Cordially yours,

John Holzinger.

Please hold this as a receipt.



5-PM
19 MINN. 05

PROVIDENCE, R. I.
APR 4
8:30 AM
1905

MINN. APR 3
5 PM
1905



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PROVIDENCE, R. I. REC'D. STA. T. S. I.
APR 4
11:30 AM
1905

*Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
468 Hope Str.,
Providence
R. I.*

Winona, Minn. RECEIVED
EAST SIDE
DEC 6, 1905

Dear Mr. Collins: Those omissions
are pure printer's errors: My M.S. was
O.K. Had I read the proof: still the dates
dropped out! I will furnish other labels.
Also, read sub 139: Det. . . . Grout, not Best.
135: add: "Hamilton, Wash., Feb., 1905."
146 a comes from near Grout's Vermont home.
Labels later.

Cordially,
John Volzinger.



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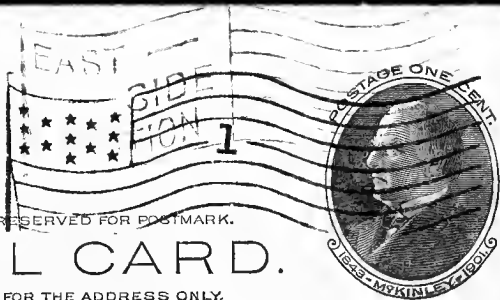
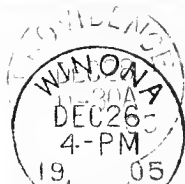


*Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
468 Hope Str.,
Providence, R.I.*

Winona, Minn., Dec. 26, 1905

Dear Mr. Collins: I am sending
you fasc. 8 of my *Procarys* with this.
Price one more \$1.50. But future
fascicles will cost \$2.00, & cover
expenses.

With best greetings of the Season
I am cordially yours,
John Kolzinger.



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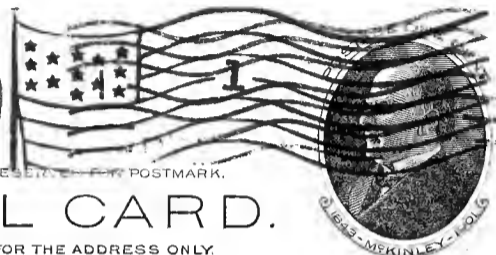
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Mr. J. F. Collins,
468 Hope Str.,
Providence, R.I.

Arizona, Abies, April 13, 1906.

My dear Mr. Rollins. Can you, by means of
your excellent card catalog mentioned to me
by Mr. Chamberlain, help me get on the track
of a D. C. moss - a Pleurozoum - made a n. sp. by Pen. & Condit.
from material sent to Cardot by me in 1891-1894, and
proved afterwards (1895-1900 ±) one of Austin's species?

over I have a positive memory that I sent my herb. specimens
of the species to one of our two bryologists, who reduced
it to a synonyme - of one of Austin's species, it seems to me.
My plant came back all right, I think, but is now mislabeled.
For 2 months I have tried in vain to dig it up, from memory
and literature. Can you help a poor forgetful fellow? You - J. G. Holzinger



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Am. Co. 2011. Postmaster
Wash. D.C. 1912-10
J.F.C.*

*Mr. J. F. Collins,
468 Hope St.,
Providence,
R. I.*

Winona, Minn., Apr. 27, 1906.

Dear Mr. Collins:

You hit the bull's eye, in your reference. Many thanks! I have mislaid my specimen of *H. clusters* but. But it will doubtless turn up again. In my report on *D. C. mosses* I do not want to omit it.

Gratefully yours,
John Holzinger.



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APR 30
8 30 AM
1906



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Mr. J. F. Collins
468 Hope St.,
Providence,
R.I.

I think my secret safe, Mr. Pitt. is also P. gibbosa, but I don't know I know
Winona, Minn., May 24, 1906.

Dear Mr. Collins: enclosed to you, under
separate cover, my stock of *Polytr. jensenis*,
comprising 5 pockets and one of *P. beringianus*,
which Mrs. E. G. B. hit upon by a guess, as my
note will show (see on pocket). Kindberg sent me his *P.*
beringianus, which I think is only *Pog. alpinus*.
But he did get me on the track of *P. jensenis*. I published
my work on this moss in a note in *The Gray Bulletin*.
Sorry I have no dupl. copy left. I have marked one
pocket for you to keep. Tell me result of your quest.
Cordially yours
John Holzinger.

Don't mind the mention postage in such cases!



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To Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
468 Hope St.,
Providence,
R.I.

Winnipeg, Minn., Sept. 24, 1906.

Mr. J. F. Collins

Dr.

J. M. Holzinger,

Dr.

For fac. 9 of Busck's description:

\$2.00

Rec'd payment,

John M. Holzinger.



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Mr. J. F. Collins
468 Hope St.,
Providence, R. I.

16 Feb. 07

My dear Mr. Holzner:

I have recently been examining some specimens of *Polyt.* which have been loaned me and also re-examining some in my own herbarium.

I think you have already asked for suggestions or possible corrections in regard to your sets of *Am. Aero Bot. Gen.* and so report in regard to two of them.

Your No. 74 is what I am calling typical *var. uliginosum* or very near that.

No. 225 I think is undoubtedly *Polyt. angustifolia* Lindb. f., at least as regards the fruiting material and as the sterile differs only in minor details (size excepted). I presume it is the same.

Very truly

J. H. S.

Winona, Minn., June 19, 1907,

My dear Mr. Collins: I thank you for your
postal. You are right about 74 of my
terocarpis; see Alphabetical List of Century 1,
with notes. Hagen and you agree well.

I am glad to get your judgment on
225. And I will go over it again
when I get at these matters.

I am to teach again from June 27 on!

Cordially,
John Holzinger.



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Mr. J. Franklin Collins,
468 Hope St.,
Providence,
R.I.

Winona, Minn., Oct. 5, 1907,

Mr. J. F. Collins

Dr.

John M. Holzinger,

Dr.

For fare 10 of *Bucci ferocarpi*:

\$2.⁰⁰

Received payment,

John M. Holzinger.



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Mr. J. F. Collins,
468 Hope Str.,
Providence,
R.I.

Winona, Minn., Feb. 15, 1908.

Mr. J. F. Collins to Jules Cardot, Dr.

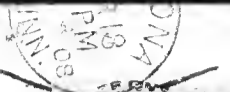
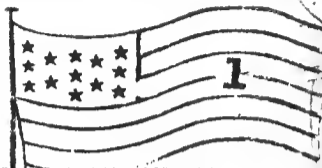
(but payable to John Holzinger at Winona, Minn.).

For fare 8 Nos. 351-400. Mus. Im. Sept. ex. 15 = \$3.⁰⁰

For 10 Nos. double (Mr. Cardot says there shd
be paid for): fr. 3 = .60

Rec'd payment Total: \$3.60.

John M. Holzinger.



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Mr. J. F. Collins,
468 Hope Str.,
Providence,
R.I.

Winona, Minn., April 30, 1910.

Mrs. J. F. Collins & John
Mr. Holzinger, Dr.

For parcel 11, Nos. 251-245 of *Annals*
Arvicae: \$2.⁰⁰

Rec'd payment,

John M. Holzinger.

(May 14, 1910.)
Thanks!

Parcel follows.



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Mr. J. F. Collins,
468 Hope St.,
Providence,
R. I.

Winona, Minn., May 4, 1911.

Dear Mr. Collins. Fair. 12, 276-300,
of my *terrestris* is ready. Shall I
send your set to the address on this
postal?

Sincerely,
John G. Holzinger.



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS ONLY



Prof. F. Collins,
465 Hope St.,
Providence R.I.

Post Card NONA.

FOR CORRESPONDENCE

FEB 20-16

6 -- PM

MINN.



Dear Mr. Collins: On Feb. 9 last I sent you my fare. 14. I have been delayed in sending bills. Will you accept this in formal way? Or do you prefer a formal bill? For \$2.⁰⁰. Kindly state your desire. Please take time about paying.

Sincerely,
John Bohinger

Mr. J. F. Collins,

468 Hope St.,

Providence,

R. I.

Winnona, Minn. Feb. 20, 1916.



ONE OF THE "SEVEN SISTERS" ON BLUFF ABOVE MINNECOWA, CONSISTING OF CIRCUM-ERODED LIMESTONE

Post Card

FOR CORRESPONDENCE

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1918
MINN.



Winona, Minn.

Dear Sir: Fax. 19 of my
scrapbook is ready. Is
this address correct?
Please drop me a line.

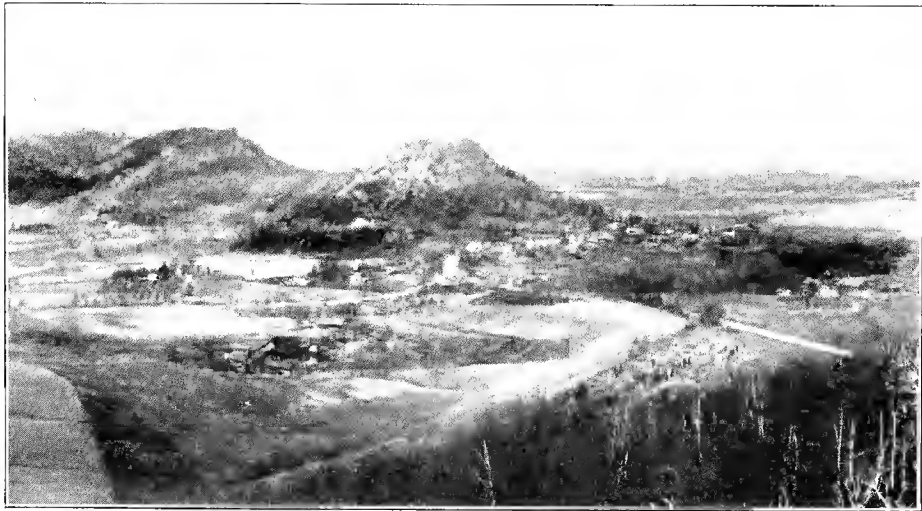
Sincerely,
John W. Holzinger.

Mr. J. F. Collins

468 Hope St.,

Providence,

R. I.



VIEW FROM ST. MARY'S CEMETERY BLUFF, SUGAR LOAF AND WINONA IN THE DISTANCE. LOOKING NORTHWEST

May 14, 1910.

Mr. Samuel U. Hood, *U.S. Experiment Station*
Orange City, Fla.

My dear Mr. Hood:-

Your letter of the 11th is at hand. I am very sorry that I cannot see my way clear to t~~ell~~ell you to send the mosses on to me for naming. The truth is I have so much on my hands already that I can see no possible time to attend to the work for some time. I do not know now how I shall be situated for this work in the fall, but until that time, at least, there is not the slightest prospect of my having the time. I regret this as I have been specially interested in the mosses for several years, and like to work them when other duties do not forbid.

Very truly yours,

Orange City, Fla.

May 11, 1910.

Prof. J. F. Collins,

Professor of Botany

Brown University

Providence, R. I.

Dear Sir:

At the suggestion of Dr. R. H. True, of the Dept. of Agriculture, I am writing you relative to some moss material I have on hand. As I have been collecting the higher plants, I have also taken a good many mosses, of which we seem to have a great many in this state. I have never worked with this group except a little back North during my undergraduate days and so do not feel competent to handle them. Dr. True suggests that you might be glad identify this material for

me and secure Florida material for
your own collection.

If this is not asking too much, I should
be glad to turn this material over
to you and also collect for you whatever
groups would be of interest to you.

Thanking you in advance for this
favor, I am,

Yours very truly
Samuel C. Hood

United States Courts,
Providence.

May 12, 1908.

Dear Professor Collins:-

The circumference of the sassafras tree in the dell at the foot of Wentworth Ave. is seven (7) feet one and one half inches, three feet from the ground.

I have a suggestion to make, it is this: That you go to Edgewood with me on Thursday afternoon and have a look at the aforesaid tree and perhaps spend a half hour or so in the dell, then go up to my house and give me a short lesson, taking something we may find in our ramble, and afterwards give me a starter in arranging my specimens. By this time supper will be ready and I trust you can make it convenient to take this with us. I telephoned you this afternoon to say all this but you were not at home. Again let me express the hope that you can take in this program, especially the supper to which Mrs. Hope unites with me in urging your presence. I am trying to put it real strong so that you will be sure to come.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope

Dear Prof. Collins:—

I enclose a
a twig from the
"Coffee" tree and shall
be greatly interested in
your determination of
the correct name.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope

Edgewood

May 17, 1908.

129 Wentworth Ave.

Edgewood, Providence,

July 7, 1908.

or
Smilacina
Ruellia

Dear Prof. Collins:—

I send you by mail to-day
a piece of vine & fruit found at
Long Meadow Warwick. It was
sent me yesterday by a lady who
wants very much to know its
name, and as it is not in flower
I am in despair as to how to
determine its ^{name} except by sending it
to you. By giving me its
name I shall be secure for a while
in the little prestige I possess with
this friend.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope.

Will you please send me Mr. Ware's full
name. H.

United States Courts,
Providence.

August 28th, 1908.

Dear Prof. Collins:—

I am collecting and preserving without knowing in the main what the specimens are and sometimes I attempt with varying success to analyze a flower. It seems strange that I cannot locate the enclosed specimen. It is common enough where I found it out to Oak Lawn and apparently should not be difficult. I always

and in placing it under Trifolium,
but it will not be placed there.

Will you please give me its name
when you find it convenient to
write?

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope.

The flowers are pink, the plant
grows to a height of about
two feet.

H.

Sespedeza

United States Courts,

Providence.

August 21, 1908.

Dear Prof. Collins:-

I have just returned home from a two week's vacation, part of which was spent in Bridgton, Maine and part in Jackson, New Hampshire. There was little opportunity given for collecting, but I picked and preserved a few specimens that could not so conveniently be secured around home.

In Jackson I was warned

by two of the natives against
touching the Viburnum Lentago
or as they called it Dogwood as
it was poisonous!

I want to get down to this
botanical work to some purpose,
it is so very interesting,
Sometimes the things we want
to do must have to wait awhile
but I expect to "get there"
nevertheless.

Mr. Weston promises me an
afternoon next week, he has been
too busy for outings thus far.

I visited the cuts deep at the foot of my street
yesterday and collected a few flowers of low degree,
fimbles and unexplanans but for all that flowers. The
names are unknown to me. I found the
water cross growing in abundance. You will remember
my telling you I saw water cross near the one
a year ago. Shall you be in Providence soon?

Very sincerely
Thomas Hays.

United States Courts,
Providence.

October 6, 1908.

Dear Prof. Collins:-

The Clerk of the Courts was away yesterday, quite unexpectedly to me, hence my non-appearance at the Herbarium.

Wendell picked the enclosed leaf on a ramble in Johnston, last Sunday afternoon, and asks what kind of an oak it represents. I do not find it illustrated in Dame and Brooks and so unload on you as usual. All the leaves were of the same character on the tree from which this was picked. The tree was about twenty-five feet high.

There is a little pond known as Bellefont Pond, south of the Park Lakes that is quite full of water weeds and has a wild growth of shrubs and herbaceous plants around its borders. We can try navigating it when you think the time could be ^{as} profitably spent there as elsewhere.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope

Prof. J. Franklin Collins

468 Hope St. Providence, R.I.

Oct. 7, 1908.

Dear Mr. Hope:

I supposed something unavoidable detained you on Monday afternoon, but as you told me I did not wait for you any after I got through my regular work at about 4.35.

The leaf which you sent in is rather interesting as representing, so far as Weston and I can find out, a new form in the state for the Chestnut Oak (Quercus prinus L.). The tree is figured in Dame & Brooks Handbook (plate XLII), as well as in Gray's New Manual of Botany (Fig. 676), though in both these books the leaf margin is given not ~~as~~ as deeply indented as in the case of your specimen. I would be greatly obliged if you will find out from Tensell the exact station for this tree, and let me know later. No hurry about the matter however.

Weston and I are talking of getting up to Tallum Pond for a day this fall if possible, and trying to find the Hesperis Oak which has, in times past, been reported from that region. How would you like to join us? Could you get away on some Saturday if you had a little notice ahead? There is no certainty that we can make the trip, but we hope so and are planning to nevertheless.

I shall be glad to navigate Bellefont and with you some day if we can arrange a mutually satisfactory date when it is not too cold weather.

diagnosis of the experts. I felt
it unwise to press the matter
further, but when I arrived home
I sat down with these glossy
leaves before me and your little
book in my hand and confirmation
of my opinion was soon established.
Then to make matters more
certain I read in several books
descriptions of the Turpelo and
Hornbeam and "next time" I am
prepared to make a stand on
the question.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope.

129 Wendworth Ave.
Edgewood Providence, R.I.
July 15, 1909.

Dear Prof. Collins:-

Your postal of July 12, 1909,
was duly received and it is a pleasure
to be able to follow you in your
wanderings. New York City is
certainly a good place to avoid this
hot weather and I trust that
Cold Spring Harbor will be as cool
as its name suggests.

We have gone onto our Summer
time schedule at the office and
I shall get out early afternoons
and expect to make good use

of much of the spare time for
collecting. I have just notified
Mr. Preslow that I am ready for
outing's

Last Thursday I went to Clear
Lake Station on the north of
Wallum Pond with the Horticultural
Society. One of the older members
of society led the way during
the morning for a walk, he is
spoken of as a botanist, and
trees and plants were pointed
out by him for the benefit
of followers. At one point
a tree was spoken of by him

as the Iron Beam. I gazed in amazement at the
gleamy green leaves in clusters along the stem and
timidly ventured the suggestion that it looked like
a Cypripedium tree. Then I asked the opinion of

a practical lumberman on the party. He knew nothing
about the leaves but pronounced the wood as that
of the Iron Beam. Wendell wanted a specimen
of the wood and in cutting off a limb broke
the blade of his knife, further embarrassing the

31 Oct., 1909

Dear Hope:-

Perhaps you have already discovered that our puzzling Composite from Wallum is not as Erigeron, as I thought at the time, but a plant new to the Rhode Island flora---Sclerolepis uniflora, although it does not seem to agree with descriptions in regard to its pappus.

Unless you hear from me to the contrary before Tuesday evening please regard that evening as a fixture for looking over those Maine collections. Make it about 7.15, if convenient, at the Brown University Herbarium. If anything comes up to forbid your coming please notify both Preston and myself.

Cordially,

United States Courts,
Providence.

March 14, 1910.

My dear Collins:-

I am awfully sorry you are holed up but it is because you are deemed worthy of the discipline imposed by your doctor and if you are good he will let you out in a day or two and then you will realize you are a privileged individual. This is philosophy that chases itself around in a circle, but I wanted to say something cheerful and trust I have succeeded.

I went to the Park yesterday and listened to a tree lecture by Mr. Matteson. It was too general to help me

in their determination of trees except in the most limited way, but no doubt was sufficiently satisfying to a majority of those present.

I picked up some blossoms, both pistillate and staminate, under a suppressed white maple tree and spent the evening in the effort to determine whether they were white or red maple blossoms, but I had so little data to go by the matter is still in doubt with the chances in favor of the white maple. The case will be appealed to the Supreme Court sitting at the Brown Herbarium on Thursdays Chief Justice Callies presiding.

Last Saturday Weston was telephoned no regular.
The plan was to go out in the afternoon but about
1 P.M. I received a telephone call from Weston
stating he could not keep the appointment as
I must have my knives & gages made.

I have you will doubt again when
this letter is received

Very sincerely

Thomas Hyde,

May 11, 1910.

Dear Hope:-

It has been so long since I have seen you that I am wondering if you are still a native of Providence, or whether you have thrown up your naturalization papers skipped the country. Have tried twice lately to get you over the phone. I have wanted to see you about the proposed Natural History survey. They have been trying to set a date for a meeting, but I have been unable, as you have perhaps learned from other sources, to see my way to be present on any of the dates already mentioned. Nearly every afternoon is taken, so evening is the best time for me. I don't know as others will care to meet then.

Last Saturday I went up to the Arnold Arboretum in the interests of the Chestnut Bark Disease. Am glad to say that I found none.

I seem to have nearly all my afternoons pretty well taken up, some how or other, for the rest of the month, with the possible exception of Monday and Saturday, and I am not at all sure of these until they arrive.

I am wondering how the illness among your relatives is getting on. I hope it had entirely disappeared by this time.

Cordially,

United States Courts,
Providence.

May 20, 1910.

My dear Collins:-

In the endeavor to determine the name of the enclosed specimen I have not met with success.

The structure is so simple I must get side-tracked in some unusual way. Will you kindly give me its name or the family of which it is a member?

The flower was gathered last Saturday in the swamps at the State Line, where there were many specimens.

When we next meet I will give you an account of the committee meeting last Tuesday of the Field Naturalists Society.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope.

Southern
Pennsylvania

United States Courts,
Providence.

June 3, 1910.

My dear Collins:-

Your very plainly addressed postal was duly received, and now I am sorry that I threw away a bunch of postals of the aforesaid variety that would have been of especial use in our correspondence. We are having quite strenuous times at the Court at present as the way Term opened last month, we rarely leave before 5 o'clock and sometimes it is much later.

I hope we can get in some trips before July 1st. and I think that the jury will not be here more than two weeks from the present time and perhaps will be excused before then.

I enclose three specimens that puzzle me a little. One I take to be the nettle tree, found at Old Buttonwoods, another was found on our trip to the State Line and does not fit into the genus Geum where I land with it every time I start afresh, the other I thought ought to be arenaria, this was given me. Will you kindly set me right on these points? I think the names will stick when given me for I have carefully analyzed them.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope.

catechism

I read ~~in the~~ Daily Journal that a surprising variety of trees (150!) were found by the Field Naturalists at Mount Hope last Saturday A.

June 5, 1910,

Dear Hope;-

I take the specimens you send to be *Arenaria lateriflora*, *Celtis occidentalis*, and the third one I am in doubt about; it looks like *Rubus triflorus*, off hand, but it may not be that at all. From what you have done with it does it seem likely to be that?

That tree list has grown considerably since I turned it over to Miss Hurley. At that time it was 43. Somebody blundered.

I think it would be very nice to have Mr. Green talk at the next Horticultural meeting if he can be induced to do so, which I doubt very much. At the last meeting, which neither you nor Stene attended, Mr. Bowen had occasion to mention, in connection with some expenditure proposed, that there was, at the present time, nothing whatever in the treasury, explaining that the two preceding meetings had been very expensive ones and had taken everything available. This means that the next few meetings will have to be practically without money expenditure. I have nothing special to suggest, having gotten the idea that Stene had something up his sleeve.

Mr. Bowen made a very good suggestion to me at the last meeting to the effect that a men(s meeting might very properly follow the ladies' meeting. Perhaps if Green fails us we could fall back on that suggestion, and invite the men to come prepared to talk a few minutes on their favorite topic, and to discuss those presented by others.

Cordially,

United States Courts,
Providence.

August 25, 1910.

Mr dear Collins:-

I have been wondering if we might not take a canoe trip for a few days upon your return to Providence, going up the Pawtuxet River as far as Pontiac or Natick, or even further up , and then transfer the canoe to some of the ponds and rivers that seemed inviting by trundling it along on its wheels over land. Occasionally we might hire a conveyance for very long distances. We could take a small A tent with us that I have, and sometimes camp over night or spend the nights at farm houses .

We could sometimes depend upon buying "a meal of vituals" and sometimes we could prepare our own. Perhaps such a trip might present some new features of interest and would be quite worth while for recreation and botanical research. When I have an idea like this I think it well to unload it and consequently pass the thought along to you. Of course a trip to Maine would be much more to my liking, but as that seems unlikely in my case perhaps you could work this in as an extra.

I have not been out collecting as much as I would have done this Summer if I had a companion, companionship seems to be quite a requisite stimulus with me although I am always on the outlook for specimens even when at work among the weeds in my garden. Two weeds were so plentiful I subjected them to an analysis and

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Providence.

after rather a trying study succeeded in identifying them as *Amaranthus retroflexus*, and *Amaranthus graecizans*. Pig weeds and tumble weeds have taken on a very dignified aspect since my more intimate acquaintance with their characteristics.

There is a meeting of the Horticultural Society in September that we ought to provide a program for. I wrote Prof. Stene a few days ago asking his opinion as to what program we should have and received the enclosed letter. The subject of Fruit growing is almost always in order, but it should be made a little more specific and some one in particular appointed to open the discussion that can speak with authority. Perhaps Prof. Stene would arrange this if we desired. The other suggestions may be better for the first meeting. I wish we might make the second meeting a tree planting meeting and work up some enthusiasm and plan for a large attendance. I think the Journal would help us to do this.

I enclose a "weed" that grows quite plentifully in my garden. I have not succeeded in determining its name as yet, I wish you would give me a pointer to work from, nothing more definite than the family as I want to come in at the finish myself.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope,

129 Wentworth Ave.

Edgewood, R. I.

December 28, 1910.

My dear Collins:-

The photograph of the flowering specimen of the black oak is splendid, it could not be better. I am delighted with it and thank you very much for your kind remembrance.

This photograph speaks the truth and shows you are already well advanced in the path of rectitude which I trust you

will not find too crowded
In comfortable progress.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope

Providence, R.I.

May 4, 1911.

My dear Collins:-

This has been a very busy week and your postal of April 26th giving the names of the Bermuda plants you so kindly determined for me has remained unanswered. I wanted to get up to the college this week but now find that I shall be obliged to wait until next Tuesday. Will this be convenient for you?

In a work I have taken from the Providence Public Library entitled "The Bermuda Islands" etc. by Addison E. Verrill, Professor of Zoology, Yale University I find the following regarding the Crab-grass (Stenotaphrum Americanum Schr=S. glabrum in Lefroy.) as this book gives it.

"The most abundant native grass; it grows in all dry and rocky places by the sea -side and on the cliffs, and also in the interior. It forms depressed or flattened rosettes of leaves close to the ground, and sends out rooting stolons/ often several feet long, in every direction. These may often be seen hanging down over the edges of cliffs and of rock cuttings along the roads, swinging with the wind and ready to take root in any crevice."

I will try to remember to bring this book next Tuesday if you find it is not in the College Library. From its pages I learn that the red cedar of Bermuda is given as Juniperus Bermudiana Linne, and is spoken of as almost restricted to these islands, being distinct from the Barbadoes Juniper and the American Red Cedar.

I do not expect to be able to go to Boston to-morrow as we are having some floors laid at home and the work is to be finished to-morrow morning and then I will have considerable to do in helping set things in order again , all the furniture rugs etc. will have to be put in place again, all simple in the telling but you know it means real work for one evening.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope.

The Arbor Day Pamphlet is the best one I have ever seen, artistic and practical. I recognized my photograph and am glad to figure even in a small way in this most worthy work.

J.H.

United States Courts,
Providence.

August 7, 1911.

My dear Collins:-

Your very philosophical postal card was duly received and I shall try to profit by its wisdom so effectively illustrated as I trust I have done in previous instances. Keep up the good work. I am in a receptive mood.

I have been reading Fernald's article in the last number of Rhodora on Newfoundland and have found it interesting and instructive. I note that appreciative mention is made of the use of your method of using driers.

For the sake of maintaining a rather precarious reputation for botanical knowledge, with a relative interest in trees, I enclose a specimen she gave me about a week ago picked from a small tree or large shrub (she is not

sure which) asking if you can give me its name. I am afraid to work over it for fear of destroying the specimens and thus putting determinations out of reach. The specimen comes from the roadside in the vicinity of Popusquash Neck. One of your functions in life seems to be to load pop-guns for others to fire off.

This afternoon I expect to go up the Pawtuxet River with Mr. Moss, who is much interested in botany and of whom I have previously made mention to you.

I am watching the growth of some weeds (three seeded mercury's) in my garden.

I think ^{specimens of this species} there have not been in the B. U. Herbarium.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope.

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United States Courts,
Providence.

August 15, 1911.

Dear Collins :-

Your letter of the 13th inst. with its enclosure was duly received. I thank you very much for putting me on the trail of the plant I sent for identification. I shall follow it as soon as I can get my botany, which will be late to-night, as I am going to Newport this afternoon.

I have in my garden a weed three feet or more tall that is giving me much trouble, - not in its eradication, however, for I have but one specimen that I guard with great care, - but in the determination of its name, it has its local habitation. May I ask to be put on a trail that will not lead me up to hemp and hops?

Prof. Stone is going to ascertain if a friend
of his will not address the R. I. H. Soc. at
its September meeting on fruit growing and
fruit packing. He is said to be a very
interesting speaker.

I have a good supply of the specimens
of the plant sent you. The stem is
rough and quite rugged with opposite
leaves practically sheathing the stem.

I may go away for a vacation
in the course of a week or so. Place at
present not decided upon.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope.

= ? *Ambrosia trifida*?

Rhode Island
Horticultural Society

TREASURER'S OFFICE

66 WEYBOSSET STREET

PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Aug. 30, 1911

My dear Collins:-

I am sorry not to have been in when you called as I find conclusive evidence that you have been to the office in the box of botanical specimens left there.

I am home again for a few days, but shall probably go away over Labor Day, making a short trip somewhere into the Country. On my week's outing I was on steamboats and steam cars a great deal of the time. I took a sail down the Pawtucket River from Durgin to Rockland, a very interesting trip. Another trip was from Portland to Rockland and thence to Mt Desert.

Ambrosia trifida seems to fit the specimen I sent all right. I have been looking over the key

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PROVIDENCE, R. I.

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to find out where I went astray. I was working under X. Corolla none oc. I would like very much to go over this with you as there are one or two points that the key does not make the way quite clear.

The September meeting of the R. I. H. Society is provided for and I am in correspondence with Mr. Craig of North Easton with reference to the October meeting.

Please let me know when you are likely to be in Providence again. I could get off just now for a day or two if there was any chance for an outing.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope

As this letter is on business of the Horticultural Society I am using its stationery.

T.H.

ELLIOTT'S HOTEL, INC.

HERBERT L. TIRRELL, MGR.

WATERVILLE, N. H.

September 2, 1911.

My dear Collins:—

I have found the pleasantest place in the mountains to spend a week or two yet discovered, a place twelve miles from the nearest railroad station in the township of Waterville, permanent population represented by six voters. There is a town house and school house, the latter has not been used for many years. Of course the town has its representative in the legislature. Mrs. Elliott, until recently the proprietor of the Hotel, when asked whether

the town would vote for prohibition
remarked that if it did not the
voters would lose their jobs. (They are all
in her employ or her son-in-law's)

How is this for intimidation?

My sojourn with you in the Maine
woods "put me wise" on mountain
maples, hobble bushes, monardella etc.,
and on a walk with a hotel
party to-day I found I was
giving information that has in
a very short time given me a
reputation for botanical knowledge
far, far beyond what I possess and
as my stay is short I may
get away without passing an
examination by anyone conversant
with the trees and shrubs, Inquiry
fails to reveal that there is

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WATERVILLE, N. H.

anyone here likely to give such an
examination

That trip of two years' ago is often
loved over again by me and I was
greatly disappointed not to have been
with you and Prester last year.
I long for another and if the chance
ever comes I shall certainly be
with you, if not up against some
such embarrasment as last year.

We shall probably leave here
on Tuesday.

Very sincerely
Thomas Hope.

Rhode Island
Horticultural Society

SECRETARY'S OFFICE

P. O. Box 663

PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Sept 7, 1911.

My dear Collins:-

The first meeting notice of the Horticultural Society will be mailed you next week. In regard to the October meeting I enclose a letter from Mr. Craig which speaks for itself. Please return the same after you have read it with your views regarding the best subject of that proposed.

I collected some moss high up on Mt. Quiccola for you last Monday. It is probably very common, but it had a different general appearance from that which I have ordinarily seen.

When do you expect to be in Providence again?

Very sincerely
Thomas Hope

United States Courts,

Providence.

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September 8, 1911.

My dear Collins:-

This is a close check to my letter of yesterday, the reason you will please find enclosed.

Now I supposed this flower was *Epifagus virginiana*, (Beech drops) but I find evidence of only three stamens, and the calyx and corolla seem to follow the "rule of three", and then again the manual says the corolla, (or perianth) is 1 c.m. long which seemingly does not fit this case. The specimen comes from Waterville, N.H. where I found it in damp woods, of spruce beech, and birch, where it is common. Will you kindly tell me what it is as nearly as you think it is well I should know, that is set me on the right track perhaps as to the genus.

What chance is there of your taking your paper back this fall and winter? I imagine you saying in your indulgent and kindly way

that I have reached a point where I can paddle my
own canoe (and this in spite of the fact that I cannot
determine the enclosed specimens) but I find systematic
and enthusiastic study requires just the kind of
work I have been privileged to do with you the
past three years.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hope.

United States Courts,
Providence.

December 29, 1911.

My dear Collins:-

I trust you have lots of good things awaiting you for the New Year and that they will bring you peace and plenty.

A few days ago I received a Bulletin from Storrs Experiment Station stamped "With compliments of A. J. Blakelee". The bulletin is a good sized book and is entitled "New England Trees in Winter". The book is full of excellent illustrations taken from photographs. I notice in the preface that your Key is referred to in terms of praise.

Have you seen the book? I do not remember of having met Prof. Blakelee,

How is your's and Preston's book coming along?

The last meeting of the Horticultural Society

was thinly attended, but those present were
favored with a very interesting lecture.

Very sincerely
Thomas Hoop.

129 Wentworth Ave
Edgewood, Providence, R. I.

June 7, 1912.

My dear Collins:-

I have received your's
and Preston's book "Key to the Trees"
and am delighted with it. I
shall endeavor to give it a wide
spread recommendation. It seems
to me the "best ever".

Your parcels were duly received
and appreciated.

We are having very busy days in
Court and for awhile I shall
not have my Thursday afternoons
and feel lucky when I get out
at 5 P.M.

I will write you again before long,
in the mean time keep me posted
with your doings.

Very sincerely

Thomas Hoop



The Pioneer Farm, L. Colo. 1897

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Genl. J. Franklin Collins

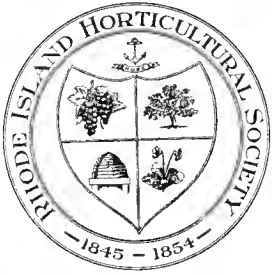
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KORRESPONDENCE HERE

The horse where I am
staying is on the right of the
pasture, the farm buildings
are on the left. Mt. Mansfield
forms the background (14075 ft.).
I keep horse in the morn
so started every morning
Aug. 17 1877



PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

Providence, R. I., April 30, 1913.

My dear Collins:-

My brother's wife received from Vermont a short time ago some ferns for her garden and among the ferns the enclosed flower sprung up. It is new to me and as there is but a single specimen I feared to dissect it thinking that I would thus perhaps fail in determining its name and then the work would have been in vain, I accordingly take the liberty of sending it to you for determination as you are now well accustomed to my unloading on you upon the least provocation.

Those application blanks appeal to me so much I think I will suggest having some printed of a somewhat similar character for the Horticultural Society, changing them slightly to avoid infringement on your patent.

Very cordially yours

Thomas Hooper.

Claytonia caroliniana Michx.

468 Hope Street.
Providence, R.I.

May 1, 1913

Dear Hope: -

The Vermont plant is *Claytonia caroliniana* Michx.
Commonly known as Spring Beauty; and it is a beauty too, when
seen in a mass. A close relative to the common Purslane.

Those application cards seem to work very well, and,
moreover, seem to systematize and simplify the Secretary's
records of new members.

This is a RED LETTER day, not only as to weather, but
also concerning some other matters.

Cordially,

United States Courts,
Providence.

April 29, 1914.

My dear Collins:-

Prof. Fernald writes me under date of April 28, 1914, that the Glyceria which I sent him for determination has been marked by him as G. borealis "as it seems somewhat near that species - possibly of hybrid origin."

You will remember that the specimen was apparently midway between G. borealis (Nash) Batchelder and G. septentrionalis Hitchc.

I enclose a specimen of "Myrtle", Linca minor Fr that I picked from a place in my garden where it has been growing entirely wild for many years. The Manual gives the leaves as 1.5 - 3 cm. long and you will notice that the spray I send has some leaves over $4\frac{1}{2}$ cm. long. This is also the case with a large number of the leaves in my Myrtle bed.

I notice also the period of inflorescence is given as
Apr-June which is correct as a general truth,
but blossoms will be found sparingly distributed
throughout the summer and fall.

Would you think this matter of sufficient
importance to write Prof. Fernald about, so that
in a future edition of the Manual the desired
correction could be made? Britton & Brown
give leaf measurements that compare with
what grows in my garden.

Very cordially yours

Thomas Hope.

Your N.H. packet was duly received and
appreciated. N.H.

Plants given to Thomas Hope April 26, 1916

Anthericum Liläago L. (Liliaceae.)
St. Bernard's Lily
[Needs some winter protection]

Belamcanda chinensis DC. (Iridaceae)
Often sold as Fardanthus
Blackberry Lily (so-called on account of its fruit)
Leopard Flower (so-called on account of its flowers)
Grows 2-3 feet high. Of easy cultivation in
rich sandy loam, in a sunny place.

Bryophyllum pinnatum Kurz. (Crassulaceae)
Not hardy out of doors in winter

Dianthus plumarius L. (Caryophyllaceae)
Common Grass Pink
Garden Pink
Scotch Pink
Pheasant's Eye Pink

Dioscorea batatas Decne.
Yam
Chinese Yam
Chinese Potato
Cinnamon Vine
Climbing vine 10-30 feet

Brown University,
Providence, R. I., July 15, 1918.

Mr. Thomas Hope,
U. S. Courts,
Providence, R. I.

Dear Mr. Hope:

The specimens which you sent me at my request prove not to be what I anticipated. They are a species of Dicentra, apparently either D. eximia or D. formosa. I am unable to decide which, for the reason that we have no specimens in the herbarium here at the University which exactly match yours. Perhaps the natural range of these two species may be a clue as to which it is likely to be. D. eximia occurs in the mountains from N. Y. to Georgia, while D. formosa ranges from Central California to British Columbia. If you happen to know where these specimens came from originally, I would be glad if you would call me up on the phone and let me know. I tried to reach you on the phone today, but as you were not in the office I decided to write this letter.

Cordially yours,

Forest Pathologist.

JFC/GJC

Very respectfully - Mrs. Ella S. Hove, Quotidian
Jan. 15, 1909

If the calyptras are needed
the mosses I have will
not help, but if not
should be glad to
send you some, I haven't
so much of the obivense
as of the strictum, I
find strictum here in
Worcester. I have a
general knowledge of
a good many mosses, but
am not sure of "gracilis"
etc. in the hair caps.

Prof. J. Franklin Collins,

In a letter re-
ceived from Miss C. M. Carr
of Sudbury she mentioned
your name in connection
with the hair cap mosses.

A while ago she
sent me a quantity of
hair caps packed in
peat moss for my
little class here.

They are fruted,
but are lacking the

calyptras. I have the
commune, juniperinum,
piliferum, ohioense,
and strictum. If I
could help you would
be glad to do so, for
Miss Carr's sake and
my own. I am a
beginner and
Miss Carr is a
splendid collector,
she has helped me

much. I have kept
the masses sprinkled
so they are quite fresh.
A paper was read, at
the late "Sullivan
Moss Chapter Meeting
in Boston";— by a
Mr. Davis— dealing with
the poor specimens
found in most collec-
tions and herbariums.
It was a good paper.

17 Jan. 1910.

Mrs. Ella L. Horr,
12 State St.,
Worcester, Mass.

My dear Mrs. Horr:-

Thank you very much for your letter and offer to send me specimens of the "Hair-caps". If it will not be rob-bong you I would like to get a bit of each, a few stems merely for locality of each.

I am particularly interested in the genera *Catharinaea*, *Poronatum*, and *Polytrichum*, as you will see from one of the pamphlets I am sending you at this time. I would especially like to get *Polytrichum* growing in different kinds of habitats, as you will see.

You say you are not familiar with *Polytrichum gracile*. I have write a number of specimens of a mountain form collected in Gaspé a few years ago. If I can ever get at them I will try and remember that you want a specimen. If you do not get a specimen from me within two months please jog my memory. My time for moss work is very irregular and, at most, rather limited, so there is no certainty when I can get at the work that I best like. Unfortunately it is often the case, as in this instance, that our preferred work does not bring bread and butter.

Very truly yours,

Mr. J. Franklin Collins,

Under separate cover am sending
five hair caps. Thank you for the pamphlets.
Miss Carr ~~found~~ these hair caps in Nov. I think
it was. It will give me an added interest to hunt
for *P. communis* and its varieties. I shall have
to begin my study all over again. I want good
specimens this year. Miss Carr finds *Catherinea*
crispa - also. I send a little *Pogonatum*
brevicaule, I think it is. This year I shall
study the habitat and keep better dates. I am
a beginner, but have a good microscope to
work with. There is much to do here, so this
is a "side issue" also.

Nat. Hist. Soc.
Worcester, Mass.

Respectfully

Ella W. Starr 1910-1-18.



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Mr. J. Franklin Collins
468 Hope St.
Providence
R. I.

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Sister: if you
find I have named them

wrong: will you send a
card, telling me of errors.

- I have a plenty of the
specimens left here: - no

replying. I will tell Miss Com

ton:

My dear Mrs. Kerr

1910-1-20

Think your *P. communis* was of our rank-
est. Growing on the ^{dry} border of a boggy swamp
from which came the *P. strictum*. Will you not
be obliged to wait until bare ground to look
up the varieties of *P. communis*. The one adored
by farmers when it takes possession of pastures
or mowing may differ from that in swamps,
All do not feel alike. I sincerely hope I can
send Mr Collins a "basket" and that all
three of us may profit thereby. Don't be dis-
couraged. "Few eyes thoroughly know a moss."
I sent later that *C. crispus* that been reported
from Maine & Conn. Sincerely yours C. H. Brown.



THIS SIDE IS FOR THE ADDRESS ONLY

Mrs Ella S. Horn
12 State St
Worcester
Mass

Dear Mr. Collins,
Enclosed is

a card from Miss Carr.
I find she sent the basket
with the hair caps in it
on Nov. 24, 1909. She
gathered them only three or
four days previous to sending.

I will send Miss Carr
the card you sent me
so that will help our
study.

I find that *Pogonatum*
was gathered in Holden, Mass.

by Miss Alice Kendall, I
saw her dig it up for me.
It was, during the last
two weeks of Aug. 1908.

I have some Pogo-
natum, gathered in
Worcester, on Nov. 12, 1907,
by Miss Helen E. Greenwood.
She brought it to my class.
The caps are all on
the capsules.

Please destroy the
card sent after reading.
Miss Carr is very

truthful, discerning,
and helpful.

Very respectfully
Mrs. Ella L. Hove

Nat. Hist. Rooms

Worcester, Mass.

Jan. 22, 1910.

WORCESTER NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY,

12 STATE STREET.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 10. 1910

Prof. J. Franklin Collins

Dear Sir:—

Is it true that any
haircap moss under bin.
tall of the "commune" kind
is not "commune". Do I
hear aright? We have
a nice moss class at
our Museum now, and
we would like to know
what you do say in
this matter.

Respectfully

Mrs. Ella S. Harr
Custodian

November 13, 1910

Mrs. Ella L. Horr,
Worcester Natural History Society,
Worcester, Mass.

My dear Mrs. Horr:-

I don't know as I should like to be quoted as saying that every Polytrichum of the "commune" group under 6 inches in height was not P. commune, but there seems to some ground for such a general statement provided it is coupled with other important characteristics.

Since the publication of my "Preliminary Lists of New England Plants--XIX" in Rhodora, Vol. 8 (1906)--a reprint of which I sent you some time ago²⁴--my studies on Polytrichum have only strengthened and reinforced the statements made there in regard to P. commune and perigoniale.

I feel almost prepared to say definitely that our most common Polytrichum is P. perigoniale, and that the true European commune is even rarer than I supposed at the time the article mentioned was written.

Very truly yours,

Jan. 24, 1911

Dear Mr. Collins,

Thank you very much
for the article from the Dec. 1910 -
Rhodora - sent some time ago. I
have been unusually busy, hence
my seeming rudeness. I shall try
"corrugated paper boards" - this spring.
We have a fine moss class.

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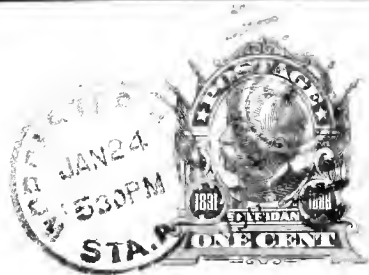
Worcester, Mass.

Respectfully

Ella S. Howe



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Mr. J. Franklin Collins
Providence

To B. W.
E. S.

R. I.

Mr. S. F. Woodward

WILLIAM H. RAYMENTON
PRESIDENT

~~HENRY BILLINGS~~ W. P. Parker
TREASURER

HERBERT D. BRAMAN
SUPT. of MUSEUM, SECRETARY

MRS. ELLA L. HERR
CUSTODIAN

Worcester Natural History Society

12 STATE STREET

WORCESTER, MASS., Jan 1 1913

Prof. J. T. Collins

Dear Sir:—

I have two mosses
which our small moss class are
puzzled over.

We think one is *Hecranum
montanum* found in Princeton, Mass.
on a tree trunk - 2 feet or more up
on the trunk. It is not fruted.

The other we thought to be
Entodon cladorrhizans, It seems
near that. It is new to our list.

Would you be willing to

to identify these two and re-
turn to us the specimens.

Mr. Geo. B. Kaiser usually
identifies my specimens, but as I have
not heard from him lately, he may
be ill or away.

Mrs. Eliz. G. Britton wrote our
little class to keep you informed
of our local mosses to add to the
range.

We are sorry to trouble you
and if you are too busy to take
the time, please return. The bare
name is enough.

Respectfully yours

Mrs. Ella S. Howe

We have a class of
8 - with 4 microscopes. We are trying
to be accurate,
Custodian.

46- Hope Street,
Providence, R. I.

January 8, 1913

Mrs. Ella L. Horr,
Worcester Natural History Society,
12 State Street,
Worcester, Mass.

My dear Mrs. Horr:

This evening is the first opportunity that I have had to look at your mosses, and even this opportunity has not permitted me to take the time for the examination that I ought. So far as I am able to tell they are correctly named, though the Entodon is not typical, as I remember it. E. seductrix is certainly suggested in the tips of the leaves, the teeth of the peristome, and in the persistent fragmentary annulus---in the specimens I examined.

I have kept a more fragment of each in case I should have opportunity to make a more careful comparison later.

I return the specimens herewith.

Very truly yours,

Jan. 10, 1913

Prof. J. F. Collins

Dear Sir:

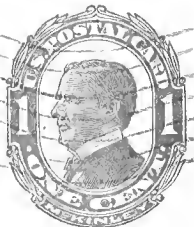
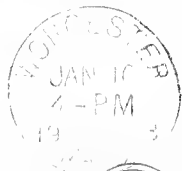
Thank you. It was the variations etc. that Mrs. Britton wanted us to notice. They puzzle a beginner. We are trying to do good work. I do not know as there is a list of masses for our County. We surely have 110? different ones.

12 State St.

Worcester, Mass.

Respectfully yours,

Ella S. Horner



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Prof. J. Franklin Collins.
468 Hope Street
Providence
R. I.

MIDDLESEX SCHOOL

FREDERICK WINSOR, Head Master
CONCORD, Massachusetts

Dear Collins,
Will you please see
to Mrs. Bailey

December 14 1908

Dear Prof. Bailey:-

You will probably remember me as the son of
one of your old classmates, Dr. Sigismond Sherburne, of Longwood, Mass.
I am writing to ask if your University could send me for
examination the specimens of the genus Usnea (Lichens)
contained in its Cryptogamic Herbarium. I am making an
extensive study of the genus, and desire to examine as
many specimens as possible - particularly from New
England - having already seen nearly one thousand plants,
including those from many regions, returning only yesterday

the collection of the University of Maine. I will gladly pay
transportation, and will guarantee the utmost care, returning
the specimen with a day or so. Trusting I may be granted
this privilege, and thanking you for any trouble you may
take in my behalf - Believe me -

Sincerely yours -

L. Allen Sturtevant,

Master of Natural Science.

Dec. 21, 1908

Mr. L. L. Howe, Jr.
Middlesex School,
Concord, Mass.

My dear Mr. Howe:-

I have just received a second communication from Dr. Bailey in regard to your desire to borrow our specimens of Usnea for study. I have not responded before this because a man from another institution is coming here this week to study our lichens. As this visit was arranged some three weeks ago I did not feel that I could conscientiously send off part of the group which he was coming to see until I heard from him. I thought, if he set a date for the latter part of the week, perhaps I could get the specimens off to you and back again before he came. I am now informed that he will be here tomorrow. I do not know how long he intends to stay, but presume it will be only a day. If he intends to stay longer I will have him do his work on Usnea first, if convenient, so that I can send them on to you by the next day at the latest.

I am afraid we do not have many that will be of interest as Mr. Bennett's lichens mostly went to another institution. Would you care to see other specimens of Usnea later from elsewhere, say from Gaspé? I think I may have some few from that region though I did not make a special point of collecting lichens up there.

Very truly yours,

THOREAU MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY
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CONCORD, MASSACHUSETTS

R. HEBER HOWE, JUNIOR, SP. L. S. S. CURATOR
MASTER OF NATURAL SCIENCE

.....December 22.....1908.

Dear Mr. Collins:-

Thank you very much for your kind note. By all means wait until your applicant has examined the lichens. In fact I think it would be well to wait until, perhaps, Dec. 30, before sending me the specimens as the mails and express are so crowded and dangerous at this busy Christmas season. I can wait perfectly well for a few days, in a study of years, makes little difference.

Can you tell me where Mr. Bennett's plants went? Yes, I shall be glad to see examples from Gaspé, in fact from anywhere.

With many thanks

Sincerely yours,

R. Heber Howe Junior

To Mr. J Franklin Collins

THOREAU MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY
MIDDLESEX SCHOOL
CONCORD, MASSACHUSETTS

Dec. 26 1908

Dear Sir:-

The specimens of Usnea are safely at
Land. I will try and return them Monday.
I have taken the liberty to insert notes which
you ^{may} desire to keep. My opinion in regard to determination
may be worth something as I have ^{made} a long study
of the genus. I believe you inspired of Dr. Bailey if I
wanted to see undetermined material? I shall be glad
to see any Usneas and will be glad also to name them
for you. With many thanks, Sincerely yours - R. H. Howe, Jr.

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Dr. J. Franklin Collins
Brown University
Providence
R. I.

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CONCORD, MASSACHUSETTS

R. HEBER HOWE, JUNIOR, SP. L. S. S. CURATOR
MASTER OF NATURAL SCIENCE

.....December 27.....190 8.

Dear Sir:.

I am returning herewith the Usneas. I want to thank you most heartily for allowing me the opportunity to examine them. I have taken the liberty to make a few notes, based on the arrangement in Engler and Prantl. I shall be very glad to see any undetermined material you have, and be of what service I can in determining any material which I am qualified to pass on.

Trusting the packet reaches you unharmed,

Believe me,

Sincerely yours,

R. Heber Howe, Jr.

To Dr. J. Franklin Collins.

26 Sept. 1909

Dear Mr. Howe:-

I returned only a few days ago from a trip
in China, where I have been since the 2nd of Sept., and found
your letter of the 25th inst. I do not know whether you are
still in Bristol or not but I hope you have not yet gone back to
your duties in concert.

I should be glad to have you come up and look at our collection
of Licijera, although it is a small one, if you think you will
find enough in it to pay you for the trouble of looking it
over. You will find me at the department any forenoon,
and Tuesday, Thursday and Monday afternoons, but if you will
write me along at my house address as to when to expect you
I will be able to plan so as to have a little more free time
if I might otherwise be the case.

Very truly yours,

will be greatly obliged -

Yours very truly -

R. Haber Howe, Jr.

To Dr. J. F. Collins -

Bristol, R. I.

4 September 1909

Dear Dr. Collins -

I am staying in
Bristol for a few weeks, and
wonder whether it would be
convenient for me to run
up to Providence some day
this coming week, and look
over yourichen Herbarium.

If you will address me
to Dr. Chas. Herrickoff I

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REGINALD HEBER HOWE, JUNIOR, SP. L.S.S.
MASTER OF NATURAL SCIENCE

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September 29 1909.

Dear Dr. Collins:-

Thank you very much for your kind note. Like yourself I am back at work again. I was very sorry not to see you, and your collections. I succeeded in collecting at Bristol a good supply of material, any duplicates of which I shall take pleasure in sending your herbarium as local State material. I shall not get at these for a time, as I am preparing to send forward within ten days the three last decades of Lich. Novae Angliae.

It was a great pleasure for me to see the college my father attended ('66), and to see also your quarters which the janitor very kindly admitted me to.

Trusting I may find the opportunity to drop in on you at some later time,

Believe me,

Sincerely yours, -

R. Heber Howe, Jr.

To Dr. J.F. Collins.

Almost any day this is early,
except will suit me -

Sincerely yours -
R. Hervey Hervey -

Mr. Char. Hervey
Bristol, R. I.

September 14 1910

Dear Dr. Collins,

I am again spending a
few days at Bristol, R. I., and
wonder whether it would be
convenient for me to come up
and look over the lichens of the
Brown University Herbarium.
I want particularly to see
the Placodias, Evernia, and
Laucelinas.

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CONCORD, MASSACHUSETTS

R. HEBER HOWE, JUNIOR, SP. L. S. S. CURATOR
MASTER OF NATURAL SCIENCE

..... September 27 1910

Dear Mr. Collins:

Thank you for your
postal. I was sorry we again
failed to meet, but hope for
better luck next time.

Yours very truly,

A. Arden Starbuck -

J. J. F. Collins, Esq.

Concord, Mass.

Jan. 15 1911

I would be very much obliged if you would
send me for examination the specimens you
have of Alectona. I will return them
shortly. I see no chance to get to Providence
except in the autumn when you are away.

Yours sincerely -
R. Stiles Howells

Specimens
from P.W.
sent
23/11
sent
sent



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Dr. Franklin Collins

Brown University

Providence

Botanical Dept.

R. I.

Cleveland, Ohio.

Jan. 27 1911

The Electrons arrived safely this morning. Many
thanks. I will notify you as you request
when I remail them -

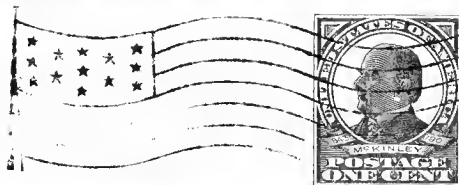
I find they are so few
I am returning them by
this afternoon's post.

Sincerely yours -

L. Helen Hurst -

Rec'd. O.K.

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Dr. J. Franklin Collins
468 Hope St.
Providence
R.I.

Clackamas Oregon

May 4th 1896

J Franklin Collins

Dear sir

Your card of
April 22nd, asking about my
collection of Alaska mosses
is at hand,

enclosed I send you a list
of them with price, will be
pleased to send you a set of
them at any time

Yours

Wm. Howell.

List of Mosses collected in
Southeast Alaska in 1895

- 1835 *Climacium Ruthenicum* —
 1833 *Pogonatum Macaunii* —
 1831 P. *xythrodonium* —
 1832 P. *capillare* —
 1830 *Polytrichum formosum* —
 1826 *Splachnum sphaericum* —
 1827 *Tayloria serrata* —
 1820 *Tumatodon ambiguus* —
 1812 *Ulota phyllantha* —
 1815 *Gitrichum homomallum* —
 1824 *Gicranella heteromalla* —
 1821 *cynodontium visens* —
 1811 *Harpidium aduncum* var. *giganteum* —
 1818 *Hyrium dilatatum* —
 1801 *Sphagnum Lindbergii* var. *merophyllum* forma *virescens*,
 1808 *Sphagnum Lindbergii* var. *merophyllum* —
 forma *pubescens*
 1804 S. *subnitens* var. *rubellum* —
 1803 S. *Gjengensovii* var. *stachyoides* —
 1802 S. *Gjengensovii* var. *cristatum* —

Price \$1.40 per set Postpaid

Peace Dale R. I.

June 14.

Prof. Collins,

Dear Sir,

I had the enclosed flower sent me to be named and as I do not know it would you kindly name it for me. It came from Scotland Conn.

Very truly Yours

Nellie H. M. Hoyie

(Mrs. D. W. Hoyie)

seen inside of.

Peace Dale R. I.

July 24th.

The Botanical Dept.,
Brown University

Dear Sir,

Would you be
kind enough to name
the enclosed flower, if
possible to do so from
the very imperfect spec-
imen sent? It was
found growing in a

flower garden and it
is about 2 ft. high, bran-
ching some near the top.
It sends out runners or
suckers above ground
and beneath which to be
root and grow. I thought
it might be the Lycium-
acelia vulgaris but
did not know. Hoping
for an early reply

I am

Very truly Yours

(Mrs. D. W. Hoyle)

Nellie H. M. Hoyle

yes

18, Sept., 1909

Mrs.
Peace vale,

My dear Mr. Dixie:-

I found your letter of July 24 awaiting me
upon my return to the city yesterday after an absence of more
than two months. I think you are correct in regard to your
determination of the plant sent---Synsichis vulgaris L.

Am sorry that there has been such a long delay in answering
your question.

Very truly yours,

John F. Greene Co.

Printers,

No. 77 Dger Street.

E. S. NICKERSON,
J. J. MINCHIN.

Providence, R. I. Aug 20 1898

Mr Collins,

Can you tell me
what this is? It was collected at
Warwick in a swampy place;
I think it was last Fall or late
in summer.

very truly yours

S. E. Hull.

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Eriophorum Virginicum

119 Prospect St.

May 15. 1910

Prof. Collins,

Dear Sir,

I was talking
with Prof. Bailey yester-
day in regard to
my father's herbarium
feeling that it might
be of use either in
whole or in parts to
some society. We have

a small way it was furthering
some botanical interests.

Now I ask if you can spare
a few moments to come stay in
the near future to call on me
that I may talk with you con-
cerning it. If you will tele-
phone me August 24-18. It
will assure me being at home.

Very sincerely

Ellen G. Hunt.

referred me to you, and
wished me to say from
him, that, judging from
his recollection of it,
there might be some
things of value to the
New England Society.
Let me say that I am
not considering it of
any money value what-
ever, but should like
to feel that even in

119 Prospect St.

June 24th

1893

Prof. J. F. Collins,

Dear Sir,

I tried to get from the express-man his charges for taking the botanical collection to the college but he said he could not tell as he did not know where they were to be carried. So I told him to charge it to you. Will you kindly then

let me know what the ex-
pense is in that I may
return the amount to you.
I have one more favour to
ask of you and that is
when you have the oppor-
tunity to look over the
collection will you kindly
save the old newspaper
in which the plants are
preserved as I have an
interest in looking them
over and I will send
you them some time when
you have finished with them.

Yours sincerely,
Ellen G. Coult.

June 25, 1910,

Miss Ellen G. Hunt,
119 Prospect street,
Providence, R.I.

My dear Miss Hunt:-

Your letter of yesterday is at hand. The plants have been delivered at the department, and I have looked over one portfolio of them. The old papers in this package were not saved as I did not get your letter in time to do so. If the janitor has not destroyed them by the time I see him Monday morning I will rescue them. I will leave a note for my assistant, who will look over some of the specimens during the summer, to save the papers.

I do not know what the express charge is. I suppose it will go in on the regular college express account. I think we shall get more than enough out of the plants to pay for the express charges, so I hope you will allow us to attend to that matter.

Very truly yours,

Amesbury April 16th 1890

Mr J. J. Collins

My Dear Sir

As

I believe you are interested
in the mosses of New England
I enclose two which I think
are not very common, and if
you will give me your opinion
of them I shall be greatly obliged.
The Schistidium is Grimmia apocarpa
var. rivularis is it not, and
do you think it is very common
in N. E. The other plant is a
puzzle to me, the capsule is very
much like that of Grimmia hypnum
strica but the rest of the plant
very unlike, G. flavicans has entire

leaves has it not, the color of
the foliage remind me of *Bartramia*.
I suppose you will be willing
to send me the result of your
examination,

Yours truly

J. W. Huntington

Mosses were *S. apocarpae*
sent over,

Ferns in *Syzygium*, infed
with sterile *Dicra. flagellare*

My Dear Mr Collins

I thank you very much for the mosses you sent me especially for the *etnosamp* today it is just what I wanted, I discovered my blunder in regard to the *Dicranum* & *Dunasia* soon after reading them. I was doubtful myself about the *Grimmia*, I wanted your opinion, but I was not quite candid with you, I had sent a specimen to Dr. Best and J. M. Holzinger, Dr Best did not know it, but Mr Holzinger pronounced it at once to be var. *rivularis*, but he makes slips sometimes. I send you three specimens of mosses you may be interested in they are of my own determination so I will give you leave to criticize and also ask you to do so.

Atrichum crispum I have found
rather common in northern Mass
and southern N. H. *Hypnum cupressinum*
as I think it is, is almost always sterile
but you will find just one capsule
Ran & Sberuz only mention it from Col.
Hypnum cuspidatum I have found in
two places.

Yours truly

J. W. Huntington

May 1, 1900

Amesbury May 7th 1900.

My Dear Mr Collins

I send you
some more mosses that I think
are not very common in Massachusetts.
The habitats of *Dicranum viride* and
Ceratodon purpureus seem to be reversed
in this section. *D. viride* I always find
on rocks, I have found it in three
places here in Amesbury all some
ways apart; two of these stations
had quite a lot of fertile plants.
Ceratodon purpureus I find on wood
it ought to grow on rocks had it not.
I have collected *P. gracile* twice once
in Amesbury and once in Blytondale
near Boston, once on earth and
once on rocks.

Yours truly

J. W. Huntington

Amesbury Mass.

Amesbury May 28th 1900

My Dear Mr Collins

Enclosed you will find the diagrams you so kindly loaned me, I think you are right in regard to the *Grimmia* which I sent you. I have examined them in connection with the drawings.

I am not collecting much at present only a few specimens of *Arthonmodon*, *A. obtusifolius* and *A. apiculatus*, Thanking you for loan drawings, I remain
Yours truly.

J. W. Huntington

About
Aug. 12, 1900

My Dear Mr Collins

It has just come to my mind that I have a drawing which should have been returned to you a long time ago, please excuse my delay. I enclose a specimen which I think is one of the most beautiful mosses I have ever found, don't you think it is a Hypnum of the Harpidium group in absence of fruit I have almost thought it to be H. aduncum gracillicens

do you think it is that species
or some other of that group.
it has the soft light green
shade of *H. aduncum*, I will
send you some of my recent
finds later on, by the way
is *amblystegium minutissimum*
reported from New England
I enclose a small specimen,
Yours Truly,

J. W. Huntington

Amesbury

Mass.

Amesbury Mass.

Aug. 14, 1900

Dear Sir, you probably have noticed
that the moss I sent you labeled
Amblystegium minutissimum is
not that species but *Hypnum*
hispidulum Brid.

Please excuse my mistake

Yours truly, J. H. Huntington

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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J. Franklin Collins,
468 Hope St.
Providence, R. I.

J. G. Collins

Dear Sir

I send you the promised mosses with the exception of Plagiothecium sylvaticum which I am out of; My locality got flooded and then frozen over, so I failed to get my supply.

I am sorry to say the few capsules of Brybarmia collected in Sept. got mislaid. Some how I cannot find them, I examined them at the time and could make of them nothing but aphylla, their habitat was peculiar however as well as the date of finding them, I shall watch the locality. I enclose a specimen of Plagiothecium which has some good "Brood Bodies" I have sent a specimen to Dr. Correns I strongly suspect it be P. sub denticulatum Correns. You may be interested in it.

Yours Truly

J. W. Huntington

ms. l. June 22

Amesbury June 14, 1901.

My Dear Mr Collins

I enclose you
a specimen of moss which is one of
my recent finds, to me it is very
interesting as I had always thought of
Bruchia as a much larger plant.
I have ventured to determine this plant,
knowing that my determination may be
doubted, but I believe it comes nearer to
the species described as *B. brevipes* Hook.
in Les & James' Manual than to any other.
I have read with much pleasure and a
little envy of your trip to Kattaholm
last summer, you must have had a great
time. Yours truly
J. W. Huntington
Amesbury, Mass.

Amesbury Nov 1

My dear Mr Collins

As you
said in your letter rec. yesterday
it was indeed interesting to run across
so uncommon a moss as *Schistolepis*
mundacea in - looking over my
herbarium tonight I find I have
the same thing collected by
Miss Britton in the Adirondacks
at a much higher elevation however.
I enclose two other mosses which
are interesting - *Ephemerum serratum*
is no doubt common but comparative-
ly few people ever find it owing
to its minuteness.

The form of *Hypnum* *flurians*
is surely odd as you will see
that the lower two thirds
of each plant are like the type,
while the upper third is more
like *H. stramineum*, at any rate
the top and bottom of each plant
are totally different in all their
characters. Are you interested in
hepatics I have found a good
many species this year that are
new to me

Yours Truly

N.B.

Could you furnish J. W. Huntington
me with Remond's
address, How could I
ensure an answer from him,
Amesbury
Mass.

Yours Truly J. W. H.

Dear Mr Collins

Is it too late for me
to ask you for your May offering,
I should like them very much,
But if they are disposed of never mind,
I have some rather good things I
will send you later on,

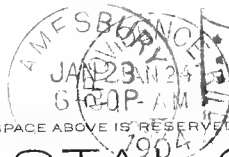
Yours Truly

J. T. Huntington

May 20th 1903.

Dear Mr Collins Amesbury Jan 24th 1904

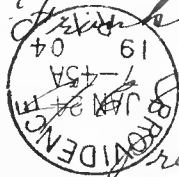
I am sending you today some of my
fincks, Some of them are not very liberal in
quantity but are the best I could give,
as I found them ~~super~~ sparingly, *Leskea den-*
ticulata I think may not have been reported
from N. E. I had some good *Hypnum*
clavatum collected in Amesbury but have
mislaid it, Yours truly J. W. Huntington



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THE SPACE BELOW IS FOR THE ADDRESS ONLY.



Franklin Collins
Hope St
Providence
R. I.

ever have a specimen of
Dicranum majus collected
by Dr R. H. True at North Haven
if you have not I will divide
mine with you. Have you
seen *Tortula papillosa* Wils. in
Maine it is a very common thing
to find it on old elms about
here, with *Orthotrichum obtusifolium*
but I cannot find it in
New Hampshire at all.
Perhaps this is near its northern
limit.

Yours Truly

J. W. Huntington
Amesbury
Mass.

Amesbury Jan 28 1904

Dear Mr. Collins

Your postal ^{was}
very interesting to me, as I am
handicapped in my moss study
by not having access to publica-
tions on the matter; so I am
often unable to tell whether
a plant is uncommon or not.
I enclose two specimens
which are not very common
here. *Amphistegium Kochii* I
find quite a lot of in certain damp
locations as in orchards, old wells &c.
Hypnum stellatum may be common

I am inclined to think it is,
only I have not found much
of it. I intended to send you
a specimen of a hepatic
Cephalozia Jackie from the
first station reported in
America (vide Dr Evans) but it
had turned mostly to dust.

In regard to Maine masses in my
herbarium (I have a small one)
I have about thirty specimens
collected by Mr Chamberlain,
and a few by Mrs Stevens, and
one or two collected by yourself.
I should be pleased to add
to it if possible, Did you

April 10th 1907

Dear Mr Collins

I am sending with the Euryhynchium a specimen of one of my best finds, when I collected it I had no idea it was anything near what it really was, I supposed it to be some species of Pleuridium according to Lemprecht as Dr Best says in enclosed letter I was no farther out of the way than were some others, you may return Dr Best's letter at your convenience,
Yours truly, J. W. Hamington

Amesbury Jan 7th 1910

Dear McColhis

I am glad again
to have something to offer in
the bryological line, I intend-
ed to offer the enclosed *Cano-*
nitrium but did not get my
specimen to Mr. Nelson in
time, I collected a little in
New Hampshire last Sep-
tember.

Yours Truly

J. Warren Huntington

Amesbury Oct 5th 1905

Prof. Collins

Dear Sir
You would be willing to excuse
my delay in remitting masses
if you knew just how busy
I am just now. I believe I
have some postage stamps belonging
to you in my letter files, you
remember I did not send you
the Shogun you wanted, I had
run out of material and have
not collected any more. I was
very glad to meet the people
at Hittery although it rained
all the time I was there.

Yours Truly

J. Warren Huntington

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Hepaticologia Gallica

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MUSCI ET HEPATICÆ
GALLIÆ

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FLORE du NORD-OUEST

GRAMINÉES



Cher Monsieur

*Ci-inclus l'étiquette du
n° 139 et de nouveaux échantillons*

Compté par vous

Cher Monsieur



2 mai 1902

Cher monsieur

Je viens de recevoir votre mandat pour
paiement des mousses de l'Ardenne. Je
vous adresse aujourd'hui par la poste les
3 premiers fascicules ; je vous enverrai
demain les 2 derniers et les 2 nos de
Musci Gallie 1 et 4 & 8, vous les
trouverez dans le fascicule 5 des mousses de
l'Ardenne

Tout à vous

F. Husnot

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10 rue de la Harpe

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Providence

Etats Unis d'Amérique

R.I.

30 mars 1902

T. HUSNOT

Cher monsieur

Cahan par Athis (Orne)

Le bureau de poste de Athis m'informe que vous m'avez adressé, le 31 janvier, un mandat par poste. Je n'ai reçu ni votre lettre ni le mandat; veuillez vous le faire rembourser à votre bureau de poste car il est perdu, s'il n'y avait eu qu'une erreur de direction j'en aurais reçu depuis 2 mois. Cordialement

Le Husnot



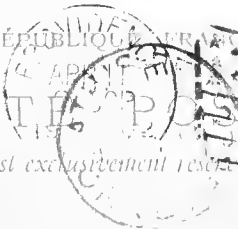
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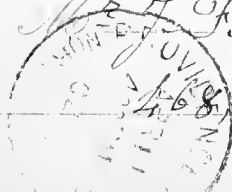
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Hope Street (Brown University)

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Cher monsieur

Le prix Des Musci Gallie,
Collection complete (18 fascicules,
N^{os} 1 à 900) est de 144 francs

Genera Muscorum 8 f.
40 mousses de Antilles 12 f.

Le port Des Musci Gallie
expédiés par la poste en 6
paquets contenant chacun 3
fascicules est de 1 f. 75 par
paquets, soit 10 f. 50 -
Le genera et les mousses de
Antilles seraient joints à
ces paquets et ne coûteraient rien

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10.50
179.50
3.80

Orléans
Jan 6. 1903

j'expédie par la poste, je ne
sais ce que cela pourrait par
la voie commerciale, Les
Etats-Unis n'ont pas accepté
le service de colispostaux qui
existe avec les autres puissances et
côte moins cher.

Gravet, à Louette-St-Pierre
par Gedinne (Belgique)

M. Gravet est âgé et ne
s'occupe plus, je crois, de
bryologie. Je lui écrivis
l'année dernière pour lui
demander ses *exsiccata Bryotheca*
belgica qu'un *museum*
des Etats-Unis voulait acheter,
il ne me répondit pas.

Le même *Museum des Etats-Unis*
des Etats-Unis (je ne me rappelle
pas le nom) écrivit ensuite au
libraire Friedländer qui me
demanda si j'en connaissais un
exemplaire; j'en trouvai un, mais
je n'en connais pas en ce moment
je connais quelqu'un qui
possède l'autre *exsiccata* de
Grand et Deloque et Gravet,
Moussy de l'Ardennes composé
de son 6 fascicules (je crois que la
collection complète ne se compose
que de 9) de 50 nos chacun et
du prix de 8 fr.

C'est à vous

Chusson

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Cahan, par Athis (Orne) le 21 Janv 1903

Monsieur F. Collin

J'ai bien reçu le mandat
de 179 frs et je vous ai
envoyé le 19 6 colis contenant
contenant chacun 3 fascicules
de Musci Galliae, le n° 4
a eu plus le genera muscorum
et le n° 5 le monsieur de
Antilles.

Je ne vous ai pas répondu
plus tôt car j'ai demandé
des renseignements sur la
collection « Monsieur de l'Ardenne »
de Delogne et Gravel.
Elle se compose de cinq
fascicules contenant chacun
50 nos, total 250 nos en

reçu
Feb. 16. 1903

bon état.

Elle est du format de
Musci Gallie, mais les feuilles
ne sont pas mobiles, ce sont
des volumes reliés comme un
livre. Etiquettes imprimées et numérotées.

Le prix est de quarante
francs, plus 3 francs de port
total 43 fr. Ou me l'envoyez
pour en faire l'annonce dans
la Revue si vous ne la
prenez pas.

Ce serait moi qui vous ferais
l'envoi.

C'est à vous.

Le Musci

3 mars 1903

Cher monsieur :

Ce sont les volumes 3, 4 et 5 que je vous ai
adressé hier, je vous envoie aujourd'hui les volumes
1 et 2. Vous trouverez dans le volume 1 les nos
1 et 4 et 8 de Muséi Galliae avec les 2 étiquettes

C'est à vous

Ch. Muséi



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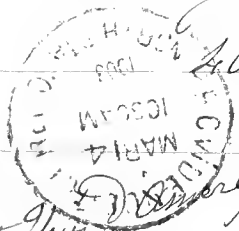
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Mr W. Franklin Collins

468 Hope street

Providence

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T. HUSNOT

Le 18 avril 1903

CAHAN par ATHIS (Orne)

Dear sir

I do not know a set of Rabenhorst's
Bryotheca europaea, very rare. I
 will insert your desideratum in
 the next number of *Revue*
Bryologique.

I know a set (complete) of
 a Roze et Bescherelle *Musciniées*
Des environs de Paris (musci and
Hepaticae of Paris). Gen (10) fascicles
 (nos 1 à 250) ; price ten (10) Dollars

Yours truly


 T. Husnot



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T. HUSNOT

CAHAN par ATHIS (Orne)

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Doit Mr Collin

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W. C. Collins

Caban le 31 juillet 1907

Cher monsieur

Le 19^e et dernier fascicule des Musci Gallie
(nos 901-959) vient de paraître. Je vous prie de me
dire s'il faut vous l'envoyer. Le prix est de
huit fr. cinquante cent. (8 fr. 50) comme les
précédents et il y a 9 numéros de plus. C'est la fin

Bonne à vous

Chussov

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Care C. Colby

Calcutta - 22 Jan 1910

Cher Monsieur

Je puis vous envoyer le 19^e fascicule (n^{os} 901-959), le
prix est de 8 fr. 50, c'est à dire le même prix que
les autres

Cordialement

Whitcomb

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JAMES H. COLLINS,
463 Hope St., Providence, R. I.

Jan 20/11.

Recd. card of J. H. C.
Feb. 1910

Mr. Z. Husnot

Cakem, per Carter

Ernie Grance,

Mr. Husnot:-

Dear Sir:-

Nearly a year ago I ~~wrote you~~ ^{wrote you} &
sent me fasc. 19. (Nos 900-950) of the Music Gallias
As I have never received this fascicle I presume there
has been some misunderstanding in regard to it, ~~or if~~
~~sent to it has not~~ ^{you have} ~~been~~ ^{not} ~~received~~
^{all of them} If they are not ^{all} sold, will you please send me one? Please
send it via registered mail ^{to address given at top of this card} ~~addressed as~~ of this card

Very truly

J. H. C.

Via card

468 Hope St., Providence, R. I.
December 14, 1913.

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International Institute of Agriculture,
Rome, Italy.

Dear Sirs:-

Please send me a full set of the Monthly Bulletin of Agricultural Intelligence and Plant Diseases. I believe this is in its fourth year. Perhaps you had better plan to send this about January 1, as the rush of Christmas mail will then be over. Please address the bulletins as indicated below. Also please send the bill to the same address.

Very truly yours,

468 Hope street,
Providence, R. I.,
U. S. A.

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INSTITUT INTERNATIONAL D'AGRICULTURE
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468 Hope Street,
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January 18, 1914

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Rome, Italy:-

Dear Sirs:-

The copies of the "Monthly Bulletin of Agricultural Intelligence and Plant Diseases" have reached me. I am extremely sorry that you were unable to supply Nos. 2 and 6 of the year 1911, and Nos. 1 and 2 of the year 1913, *in English*

Can you send me copies of these missing numbers in some other language, preferably German or French?

Please enter my name as a subscriber for the above mentioned bulletin, *(English)*

Very truly yours,