

Camp. on Sandy Creek. 20 miles
west of South Pass

June 20th 1873

My Dear Dr Gray

Here is another
installment of scraps from our
route to Wind River. Tomorrow we
move to South Pass, and will leave
the desert region of Green River basin.
I am glad of the opportunity to
gather up some of the evanescent
forms brought out by recent rains.
You will be glad to see Astrophyllum
flavum Nutt. Several new species
new to me I am collecting carefully
in fl & fruit. We will reach
Camp Brown next week, and then
a short delay before starting for
Yellowstone along the eastern edge
of Wind River Mts. We will ascend
Fremont's Peak and in sight as
soon as the snow melts. It

accessible. As long as I am
on a mail route I shall continue
to drop you scraps from time to
time on which please report to me
as promptly as possible that I may
collect largely & fully of such
as are desirable.

We are getting into a cooler
climate. but wide range of
temperature from 32° to 90°
In some of these desert valleys
I find some strange Mt forms,
viz. Gentian. humiles. Oxybaphus deflexa.
Prunula farinosa. Ranunculus - ?
etc etc. I hope to make a pretty
nice general collection. but will
collect only the rarer species.
I hope to hear from you soon
by a mail to be uncepted on
route to Camp Brown
very truly yours
C.C. Parry



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