

St Louis Dec 12th 1875-

Dear Dr Gray

Have put in a very pleasant & profitable week here. picking up information and discussing various matters. Dr L. J. Juniperus paper is just out. He concludes to give a short paper on Abies. (Picea) we have been looking over specimens & comparing notes.

We leave this evening Mrs P. direct for Philadelphia 3939 Chestnut St

I for New Orleans. to sail 16th inst. I suppose by this time Palmer is well enough. I have financial matters all arranged. but Backhouse cannot subscribe as they have a collector of their own in the field. Mr Crooke is also away from N Y. for the winter and so not accessible. So have to make up the necessary amount by counting in Palmer for \$200. = myself do. I thank when we once get fairly settled

Down in interior of Mexico. Expense
will be comparatively light.

I am now inclined to work north west
from San Luis Potosi towards Chihuahua
perhaps making head quarters near
Parras and adjoining Blanco Maguey
a very wild & little known country.
Wiedemann reports some interesting
Cave remains near Parras.

I shall hope to hear from you
at City of Mexico where we will
probably stay several weeks.

Whenever in doubt address me through
Mr Parry to his address (above)
Very pleasant weather here since
we came. I left Dresden in Dresden
to ship box of Palmen plants
to Cambridge.

Yours truly
C. L. Parry



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