

San Diego. Cal^a
Jan 3^d 1883

Dear Dr Gray It will not do to
let the holiday season pass without
sending New Year's Greetings, from
this S W corner of U S.

We are pleasantly fixed for the
winter nice sunny apartments
doing away with the need of a fire,
Yesterday we had our 1st drenching
rain and now we may expect to see
the country putting on its green winter
dress. I have just received from
my obliging correspondent Miss Fish
of Lower Cal^a a mature fr of Ribes
viburnifolium of which I send you
enclosed a sample. Now that the
plant is accessible we may get it
in cultivation at least in green-houses.
This & some other things has given
me the fever for running down there

and so I am making arrangements
for a short winter trip to Bg of all sorts
and take Mrs Paray along.

We shall collect live plants + slips
of the new rose (*R. minutifolia*)
for which there seems to be some
commercial demand.

I sent you some time ago, picture
of Asculus Parayi.

Sorry to hear of your accident, which
however does not seem to have impaired
your activity.

Laurifraga Parayi, has just gone
out of flower, and later the leaf will
show. I would like this coming Spring
to get on the line of the Atlantic &
Pacific RR through North Arizona
if I could get a RR pass. I must
try & make a raid on the Boston
officials, & perhaps you can help
me. I spent Xmas at Chico
A line enclosed to Watson

Mr P. joins in regards Yours truly

C. C. Paray



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