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Dear Dr Gray

We have had no advices of the box from Wesley containing specimens for the Harvard herbarium. As soon as it arrives we can notify the collector of Customs here that we have reason to believe that there are a few articles of personal property in the case placed there by inadvertence, and request him to open it. He will then fix the duty on any dutiable articles, which we will pay for you, and forward the box to your address.

Yours truly

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