

Dr Gray
Aug 3
1858.

Cambridge, Aug 3^d 1858.

Dear Mr. Brace

We were most glad
early to learn from you
that Mrs. Skinner got
through safely & pretty
well. She looked very
poorly the day she started.

The little Grass in your
letter is Eragrostis reptans.

I hope you will get me
this fall a good root of the
Scarlet Delphinium. I have
always failed to raise it
from seed. It is by this
time putrid & I presume
I forgot what it is called.

Tho. thought near I
question if it be more than
a variety of I. nudicaule
Irr. & Mr. Flora — which
has red flowers.

I want Spirea Douglasii
too —

I see you are getting
less K. N.

You have never noticed me
speak of the article in the
Smithsonian I sent you.

Lane is long ago sound
asleep in bed — or he would
have affectionate messages to
send. We enjoyed Mary's
visit very much. Ever Yours
Anthony



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