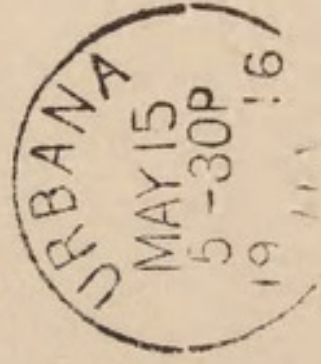


Havana, 15 May, 1916

My dear Mrs. Drane: -

Your letter and question have come and I am at a loss what to reply. I have no recollection whatever of such a label or specimen of Littella munda or of what circumstances should have led me to give it to you. Ah you sure it is in my writing? I am often forgetful of things, but I don't see why I singled out this one specimen for notice. I shall be as much interested as you if the mystery can be cleared up! It can't be any specimen of mine, for I never myself collected in West Kensington, though I have in Kensington Park and Kensington Old Town. Nor did I ever exchange with Eaton, though I may perhaps have had a sheet or two of his from someone else. And if it had been in my book, it would have gone into the N.B.C. cabinet rather than the Gray, being from N.E. In short, I don't know how to explain it. - We had a pleasant call on the Trevelans yesterday and they inquired kindly for you. My mother wishes of the Dranes' of Randolph where she now is. I shall have her for the East on 14 June, if all goes well. We have let our home here for next year. Albert Moore has written me of his plans which I hope may go well. It is time to get something permanent. Give our best regards to Mrs. Drane, and with all our wishes for you I am yours sincerely, A.P. Let me know if you unravel this mystery!

and



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