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My dear Deane.

Yours of the 2d. is at hand. After ~~xxxx~~^{my} last letter was mailed to you, I got one from Mr. Ware and answered it yesterday, so you will shortly know what I have said.

With respect to Labrador I may say that the entire peninsula formerly known as Labrador has been rearranged in recent years in such a manner that the greater part has been assigned to the Province of Quebec, while a narrow strip along the Atlantic coast has been assigned to Newfoundland. The latest official maps show the latter ~~only~~, only, to be designated as LABRADOR. Mingan is, therefore, in the Province of Quebec. It is not uncommon, however, for authors to designate the former as "Quebec Labrador" and the latter as "Newfoundland Labrador", a distinction which serves to connect with the older nomenclature, but one which must gradually disappear. Plants from the north side of the Gulf should be designated as from the Province of Quebec if they do not come from localities farther east than Bradore Bay, otherwise from Labrador.

Cordially yours,

W. P. Penhallow



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