

Petersville Oct 21st 46

My Dear Sir

Your letter of 18th Sept was received
about ten hours ago but not in time to prevent
me sending one on the hunt for it. The stage
conveying it was delayed by bad weather and
passed up in the night and took mine on
its return at the same time that it brought
yours. I mention this that you may not be in
doubt about the arrival of yours and I will
by the next mail be sure to send you a

copy of my paper which I have just received. It
contains a paper on the subject of the
ancient languages and literature and some
branches of Natural science though he has but
a very narrow field for the display of the accumulated
knowledge contained in the convolutions of the
contents of his pericranium. But I import

I begin to think I shall not find anything new
I made a talk and wrote the second page where the title should be

and forward your respective packages

You ask how can I leave you? Had not the business which I have just edited by Horace Mann and possibly the most of Vol IV, containing, up to 9, 25, 40 meeting the note of teaching by words just I think there is little probability of my staying at this place longer than the present year. But that consideration need make no difference in our arrangements and I will duly inform you of any change in my whereabouts. Whatever may be sent to me at this place will be attended to with all care by my good friends here.

I have collected a goodly number of plants this autumn and also some interesting letters of the family correspondence.

As this will follow close upon the heels of my last and I hope you will get better I will quit here considering that I am also out of money.

I am as ever

Yours with great respect

Chas Wright

after all. I was indulging the hope that I had sent you something near in my letter.

If the plant I had considered a Sabbatia be an Erigeron. I must consider it a possible movement against the Evangelical of two places so naturally connected as that and Long Island. But I have been about ten years in the woods and have had limited opportunities of doing much of my work in the "a".

I write you relative to some you have used the had, but I can get on and have so be able to go spring. The turn my attention as it will spare I can.

I have considered and will find I have about

known ~~the~~ Secretary personally but with the sailing on the subject of assignment. I hope of him as being well recommended. If I should go to London this winter as I probably I may I will make some permanent arrangements for the transmission of books

Flora for
Charles Wright
Riversville
Texas.

Sent to
J. W. Steele
Bookseller
New Orleans.

and forward your respective packages

You ask how can I write you? Had me the common school Journal edited by Horace Mann and possibly the most of Vol IV, containing, pages 9, 25, 40 treating the mode of teaching by words first. I think there is little probability of my staying at this place longer than the present year. But that consideration need make no difference in our arrangements and I will duly inform you of any change in my whereabouts. Whatever may be sent to me at this place will be attended to with all care by my good friends here.

I have collected a goodly number of plants this autumn and also some interesting insects of the family Cynipidae.

As this will follow close upon the heels of my last and I hope you will get both I will get here considering that I am also out of matters.

I am as ever

Yours with great respect

Chas Wright

after all I was indulging the hope that I had sent you something near in my letter.

If the plant I had considered a Sallabia be an Argemone I must consider it a possible movement against law in Gospel of two plants so naturally connected as that and Largularia. But I have been about ten years in the woods and have had limited opportunities to keep up with the march of mind in the "white settlements".

I write you in a letter subsequent to that of Augst relative to some Cacti and Bulbs which I presume you have received if that has not, as I feared the other had, been submerged in the Atlantic Gulf. I can yet send you several species of Cacti and have collected a few Bulbs but shall not be able to procure any more of the latter till next spring. The coming winter I will not neglect to turn my attention to the Cryptogamae so far as it will be in my power and what time I spare I will diligently employ in that business.

I have collected some seeds as well as Bulbs and will procure others as opportunities occur.

I live about 100 miles from Houston and so not known ~~to~~ Seaman personally but not inquiring on the subject of assignment. I spoke of him as being well recommended. If I should go to Dallas this winter as I probably may I will make some permanent arrangements for the transmission back

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Richard W.
Peters. 1975

Mr Asa Gray
Cambridge
Mass





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