

Santa Catalina de Guasa  
Salta <sup>do</sup> Ap. 5th 1857

My Dear Dr

I wrote a day or two ago but  
a thought has occurred to me &  
I will just jot it down as I have  
nothing better to do I have told you  
of the abundance of ferns collected at  
Cobres & thereabouts. The Mosses  
Hepaticae & Lichens <sup>likewise</sup> form no small  
items in my collection. Will you  
arrange with Tuckerman about  
the distribution and sale of the <sup>latter</sup> so  
that I may as soon as possible  
be put in possession of the fruit of  
my labors I have already written  
to Mr Lewis respecting the Fungi  
which I believe will form a very  
valuable collection & you have spo-  
ken of Mr Sullwants desire to study  
the Mosses & Hepaticae. The Chalves  
~~as we can dispose of ourselves~~



I have just seen a gentleman belonging  
to the House of Brooks & Co in Cuba  
who tells me that my paper is there  
but he does not know in whose posses-  
sion - probably in the Custom-House  
unless it was consigned to some firm  
there. There will be no trouble in finding  
when it is & in getting possession of it.  
The letter accompanying it is probably  
in the post-office. I will send for it.  
A schooner sailed yesterday from Cuba  
for this place. I hope it will bring  
my paper. I think I shall send for  
the last lot by the first opportunity,  
any way lest the other should not come.

Present my kind wishes to Mrs L  
& my hope that with the return of  
Spring she may be rid of tooth-ache  
and other ailments incident to cold  
weather.

Very truly Yours  
Chas I Knight

P.S. I enclose this in one to my brother.



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