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My dear Doctor,

I was very glad to hear from you this A.M. and especially to hear you were having a good time & were successful. It makes me quite envious to hear of your getting *Gentiana hincaris*, *Epilobium palustre*, *Spiranthes latifolia*, *Impatiens pallida*. I hope you are collecting all these & will have a bit left over for a fellow. I can offer you in return *Phalaris Canariensis*, *Panicum miliaceum* & *Abrutia ovicorne*, all dump plants which perhaps you have not got. *Aster polyphyllus* I am very sure is occasionally found in the Valley. It's very nice that Mas. Terry has come up. It will spur you up & you won't feel so lonely in your pursuit.

Mr Rich & I had a fine evening with a lot of queries about curious plants at the Faxons' Tuesday. The *Aster infirmus* is all right & very including the incorrigible Chas E. are going to collect it Sat. - I will pass on your letter to the Faxons & let them know what you are up to. Next Sunday I shall go to Oak Island & River where



there is a hybrid *Betula populifolia* x *lutea* which C. F. has never found. He wants a specimen for the Arnold Arboretum. This is Mr Rich's discovery. We also shall get at the Pt of Pines *Chenopodium leptophyllum*.

Please give my best regards to Mrs. Kennedy & to Miss Ingell & you had better believe I should be with you if I only could.

Sincerely Yours  
Emil F. Williams



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