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Mr. Walter Deane,
29 Brewster St.,
Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Sir:

The box with your specimens arrived safely this morning. We have just gone over them and shall return them by express tomorrow. Among your *Panicums* two specimens fill up gaps in the range as given in the monograph, *P. flexile* from Maryland and *P. linearifolium* from Virginia. The latter chagrined as much as it pleased me for I have diligently searched Virginia about here and elsewhere I have been in the state for this species. It grows along the north shore of the Potomac and certainly ought to be found on the other side. Judge Churchill's specimen, however, is from a region I have never visited. It was unfortunate (for us) that you glue your specimens down for I never hesitate to take at least a small piece of such additions for deposit in the grass herbarium. Perhaps in consideration of my forbearance in this case you will kindly remove a single plant of each and send it for the herbarium. I enclose a frank in case my hopes be fulfilled.

Yours respectfully,

Agnes Chase
Assistant in Systematic Agrostology.



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