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Charlotte, Vermont.

6, Dec., 1886.

My dear Mr. Farnsot,

Once more it is my sweet privilege to write you from home at the happy end. of another Mexican journey, and to send you a few rare ferns. On this journey everything went well. As I waded strange mountains through the warm golden days of autumn and gathered strange plants I was supremely happy. I have never had better health or been capable of such toil. I have gathered material for another distribution, if a small one, - 125 species for sets and enough besides to make some 10,000 specimens. I trust it is a good one for another year.

I have sent you all my ferns, and trust you will find one or two of unusual interest in this lot, as before.

Not another station found for *Adiantum tricholepis*! It surely is rare about Chihuahua. But in the wonderful cañons of the Conchos and the Rio Grande shall yet be found any quantity of it. I am confident.

I looked over the collection of a missionary friend (Rev. Mr. Crawford) made at Guadalupe, where Dr. Palmer went last July; some I knew; some others of which I secured bits for you, not so.

I hope soon to hear from you, and to be informed that you are in better health than when you addressed me at Chihuahua. And please tell me how much I am in your debt for photo work done this year. I left my camera at home this last time. Yours faithfully,

C. G. Pringle.



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