

Appalachiania March 23. 1857

My dear Sir

On the eve of his departure for Europe Dr Engleman sent me a hasty note requesting me to send you an *Opuntia* which grows here & dried specimens of which he had seen in Dr Torrey's Ab. By the ship "Vandalia" Capt Anderson bound for Boston I sent about a week ago a little Shaker Box full of such plants as an icy winter had left undrained & you "to be kept until called for" — You must therefore look out for her about the time this reaches you.

On my return from the north last fall I found a pamphlet from you entitled "Statistics of the Flora of the Northern U.S." for which I am much obliged. My wife who had torn off the wrapper states that there was some writing on it — Did you have any quires to make?

I have no Botanical news and  
Remain as ever

Yours sincerely

A. W. Chapman



Chapman, A. W. 1857. "Chapman, Alvan W. Mar. 23, 1857." *Asa Gray correspondence*

**View This Item Online:** <https://www.biodiversitylibrary.org/item/221765>

**Permalink:** <https://www.biodiversitylibrary.org/partpdf/259328>

**Holding Institution**

Harvard University Botany Libraries

**Sponsored by**

Arcadia 19th Century Collections Digitization/Harvard Library

**Copyright & Reuse**

Copyright Status: Public domain. The Library considers that this work is no longer under copyright protection

License: <https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by-nc-sa/4.0/>

This document was created from content at the **Biodiversity Heritage Library**, the world's largest open access digital library for biodiversity literature and archives. Visit BHL at <https://www.biodiversitylibrary.org>.