

42 Shepard Street, Cambridge, Mass., 12th June, 1903.

Dear Mr. Collins:

Thank you sincerely for your kindness in sending the specimens of *Lychnis*, *Cerastium*, and *Anychia*. All the specimens of *Cerastium* are straight *C. vulgatum*. I have a distinct recollection and a memorandum of seeing a specimen of *C. viscosum* (which has smaller flowers and shorter pedicels) in Professor Bailey's herbarium one Sunday when Mr. Williams and I were down in Providence together. It is that specimen that I wanted especially to see again in order to be quite sure that it was *C. viscosum* and not the nearly related *C. semidecandrum*, which has since turned up in Connecticut. My impression is that the specimen was collected by Professor Bailey himself. If you can find it without too much trouble I should be greatly obliged if you would send it to me for examination. If you cannot do not mind or do not spend too much time in searching. I ~~am~~ have already put you to a great deal of trouble in connection with my list of Caryophyllaceae.

With kindest regards to yourself and Professor Bailey, I am as always,

Cordially yours,

*B. L. Robinson.*

Mr. J. F. Collins.



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*James Franklin Collins correspondence*

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