

Bountiful rains having well
begun, which will bring out rapidly
the autumn flora, with which I am
little acquainted I follow my own
inclinations and Dr. Gray's wishes,
and decide not to change base
this ~~dead~~ season. So let me come
again and take a field new to me.

I have my new genus, — Pringleo-
phytum, Gray, an acanthaceous
shrub of N. Sonora, modest and not

I have the most friendly letters
from Will Parish. He is badly broken
feels that he has lost the season, and
his brother's marriage practically
turns him bounden. They are kind to him
but he thinks best to leave them to their hap-
piness. Am glad my daughter (alas how
little mind!) visits you. Please bear in
mind that she is not yet more than half
disinterested from the influences hostile to
me, under which she has been reared.

I am anxious about your health.

Faithfully, C. G. Pringle

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Tucson, Arizona.

15, July, 1884.

Dear Mr. Tavvport,

Back from a three
weeks trip among the Huachuca
and other mountains, I find with
pleasure your favor of June 28th
with proofs by which I see
that we have secured a few more
odd photos; the two of my dear
Santa Rita Mts. I shall especially
cherish. I am annoyed about
the light streaks and lately
have been trying carefully to
avoid them. The excessive dry-
ness of this climate has caused
certain shrinkings or warpings
in some of my holders.

I have now used up more
than half of my plates, and

and am exposing for plants,
and trees making the landscape
incidental as a background,
unless I find some view or
other object of especial interest.
Should I want more plants
toward the end of the season, they
might come to me in these fin
cases returned, might they not?

On the Huaducas I got
a good lot of *Asplenium microphyllum*,
and found a few plants of
Asplenium juncifolium, securing
a dozen fronds of 1983. *Pellaea*
marginata I saw here and there
coming up after its summer rest
and looking much like *P.*
gracilis. The fronds of last year
were dead.

Into the box in which I
send more plants I put a
specimen of an *Asplenium*

(I put 20 specimens) to ask you if it
is A. Glauca. I at first took it for
A. parvulum. Also a small fern,
broken up, of an *Aspidium* which I
strongly suspect you will call *Filix-*
mas; though, when gathering it, I was
hoping I had got a *Karwinickia*.
I have over 40 good fronds of it.

I saw poor dried up plants of *Pol-*
ypodium tricholepis.

I travelled widely over the moun-
tains, exploring several cañons similar
to Lemmon's Noth., and have con-
cluded that some of Lemmon's finds
were scarce there, and that he ex-
hausted the plants as far as he could.
Do you think he got many specimens
of some of them. I have sent home
for his account, that I may know
whether I found his "Fern Album"
cañon. I want to return a month
or so later and secure complete success.



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