

H
1
Verona, N. J.
June 15, 1880.

Dear Sir:-

Your card of recent date is rec'd. I am grateful to you for the efforts you have made to see my ferns.

In regard to sending you ferns previous to their determination, after my requesting Mr. Eaton to make them for me, and his accepting the invitation, I must say that I am pained by the request. It would be very dishonorable

in me. I regret
that I cannot thus
savour you, but it
is too late, — This
too late when I
first heard from
you. I will send
you the best of
my specimens, and
in liberal quantity,
and in any other
possible way will
signify the genuine
esteem and respect
that I have for you
and your history, but
cannot wound my
conscience.

If I am success-
ful in this expedition,
I will keep my brother
travelling on other ex-
cursions, and will
then request your as-
sistance.

Very truly Yours
H. H. Rusby



Rusby, Henry Hurd. 1880. "Rusby, H.H. Jun 15, 1880." *George Edward Davenport correspondence*

View This Item Online: <https://www.biodiversitylibrary.org/item/175184>

Permalink: <https://www.biodiversitylibrary.org/partpdf/295272>

Holding Institution

Harvard University Botany Libraries

Sponsored by

IMLS

Copyright & Reuse

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

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>.