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HUBBARD HOUSE  
NORTHAMPTON, MASSACHUSETTS

tomorrow for the same  
purpose -

I hope your trip to Plum  
Island was successful.  
and I am glad you had  
the outing away from the  
dreadful gypsy moths and  
their depredations - We  
in Northampton are troubled  
dreadfully with the Saw  
Tooth Scale - which some people  
are trying to fight - but I  
fear it is hopeless - Very  
few people are willing to

My Dear Mr. Darnport -

This is just to  
tell you that I am back  
in my own room again  
at the Hubbard House - and  
can hardly realize that I  
have had any vacation at all.  
The summer was a very  
hard one - Such hot muggy  
weather is terrible to bear, and  
I did not hear it very well.

It is very hard to be  
compelled to sit around  
on the piazza in the  
shade, counting the faintest  
little bugs, when the  
woods and the mountains  
are calling so loudly -  
I did no botanizing excepting  
on two days - on one of  
which I found the *Artychium*  
*scirpus*, and on the other  
the *Pellaea strioperispa* -  
both new to me - The  
the *Artychium* was found

the year before - I shall  
report them both to the  
Ginn Bulletin after a little.  
At present I have no time  
for any thing except in the  
mornings - My ferns are  
looking very well, much  
to my delight - So tonight  
I took off three francs  
from the Concordianum  
for my herbarium - and  
they are in fair condition  
two of them being fructified -  
I shall get a Pittosporum



take the trouble to rise  
their voices of the best -  
The past three days have  
been intensely hot, but I  
suppose cooler weather  
must come soon - I  
shall hope to hear good  
news from you - and  
that your eyes are better -

Very sincerely yours,  
Emily Hitchcock Ferry.



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