

My dear Deane:

The are delayed an other day so
I shall add a few lines more.

Now that you are a "bird man"
I ought to have given you some
bird notes. Mr. Nelson is making
a grand collection. He now has
470 ~~birds~~ birds from Mexico!

The only bird collecting I have done
was to get a few feathers for my wife.
^{through Aguadulce near the log on the coast}

As we came, two days ago I bought
 $\frac{4}{7}$ of an oz. of "Garga" plumes. Not many
was it? You know their value.

They were taken from 4 birds.
Your wife will know them & their
value if you tell her they were
Equet plumes and you would

ad Ardea candidissima. If you write to
Mrs Rose again don't tell her what they
are but say you have heard about what
I had for her.

One need to collect plants with a fine toothed comb
to get every thing. I enclose a few samples.

Respectfully
J. R.



Rose, J. N. 1888. "Rose, Joseph Nelson [undated]." *Joseph Nelson Rose letters to Walter Deane*

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