

317 Lamartine St
Jamaica Plain July 15 1894

My dear Mr. Deane

On my return yesterday from
St. Desert Island I found awaiting me
your separate from the Bot. Gaz., on
the life & work of Dr. Morong, for
which I wish to express my sincere
thanks.

Although I formerly met him
often and made many collecting trips
with him, I was not at all acquainted
with the history of his earlier life,
which you have so well related.

We never talked of any thing but
aquatic plants when together. I am
very glad now to learn so much about
the man's whole life.

He was an agreeable
companion and an enthusiastic
botanist. I look back on my trips
and boating expeditions, in his company,
with great pleasure.

I start tomorrow morning
on a trip to Crawford and
Mt. Washington.

I had a very good time
at Mr. Deser with Mr. & Mrs. Rand
and Mr. Redfield and family.

As you may guess, I collected very
little except Bat-Trusses, and do not
expect to do any thing else till Prof.
Eaton "cries hold, enough!"

Very sincerely Yours

Edwin Faxon



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