

Dear Dr. Gray

Wash^g - June 21st 1855

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If you require the originals or drawings of the proofs you have had, please send me the names of the plants which are worked on each drawing - the numbers on the backs of the drawings will mislead -

What with the extra duties of reprinting and coloring the burnt copies, I sometimes feel tired of every thing, but we must "weather it out"

I am preparing the bills for the first
of July

Yours truly

J. Drayton



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