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My Dear Dr. Robinson

I have just return from Mexico making a visit to some special localities for new and rare plants, many of Economical importance.

Last two boxes may arrive any hour, then the sets will be completed and for sale. I shall make out nine sets besides a bundle of Prof Sargent's specialties. Shall I have the pleasure of sending you the most complete set, There are several Salvias one a beautiful blue with roots like the Dahlias

There is both a Hickory and a black Walnuts also the plant the roots of which are put into pulque to cause a complete fermentation and numerous other novelties.

As the Department of Agriculture has promised this fiscal year if possible or as soon thereafter as can be to publish my accumulation of plant notes it being desirable to include those of this journey. It will aid much if you could send us a list of names as early as is convenient to you.

Yours Sincerely

Edward Palmer



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