

Lancaster,

My dear Prof.,

Your letter, containing
the Manual, was rec^d in a
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my return home, a few days.
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must say, that in the extent
in its admirable general arra
thoroughness & accuracy of its
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the beauty of the typography o
goes beyond my anticipati
were. It is a real advance,
far in the rear. Every lover
within its geographical lim
to thank you, as I do, most
a valuable guide. It will g
to write a notice for Silliman
of Sullivan's "Mass-Books,"
anxious to see. If no priv
sending it ^{to} our friend James



Porter, Thomas C. 1856. "Porter, Thomas C. Oct. 31, 1856." *Asa Gray correspondence*

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