

I do not possess them now,  
as I gave away all I had -  
(and of course I do not  
mean Rhodora, but the  
old Ferns Bulletin -  
I don't know why I made  
that blunder.) I wonder  
if you saw those articles -  
Just on by the post,  
I am always  
most faithfully yours,  
Emily Hitchcock Ferry.

Sept 10. 1916  
103 SOUTH STREET  
NORTHAMPTON, MASS.

Dear Mr. Drake -

Mr. Rugg has been  
more than generous and  
has sent us a number of the  
large Phytolopia, as well  
as the Rubra-Muraria -  
So now every thing is complete,  
and tomorrow afternoon  
Miss Ferry is to bring me  
the finished set - then  
so glad that I shall not

Tell Dr. Fanning of my  
loss - so he need have  
no worry - Mr. Brewster, do  
you realize what a load  
is lifted from my tired  
shoulders? And what a  
thundering joy for that  
horrid heart - sickness  
that has done so heavily  
on me - just for a few  
years! I think I may  
send you a few of the  
new-ones - soon -

As to the number of ferns  
to be found in Dorset-  
I feel perfectly sure that  
I have them all - The Kunze  
in 1905 I made a thorough  
canvass of the <sup>and surrounding country</sup> entire village,  
and while there were one  
or two freaks, or curious  
forms besides what I now  
have, there are all the  
real and what's ones -  
do you remember reading  
in Rhodora my two articles  
on the ferns of Dorset?



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