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March 20, 1895.

Mr. Walter Deane,

Cambridge, Mass.

My dear Mr. Deane:-

Your note of recent date has been received.

Our new genus *Deanea* I think is going to be able to stand, but I purpose to give it one more careful going over before publishing it. I feel quite disappointed that I will not be able to have it illustrated here. I had planned to figure it in our Contributions and had kept it back till the very last. Mr. Coville, however, had a plant which he was anxious to have figured and this consequently cut *Deanea* out. Have you not a good friend at Cambridge who would be willing to assume the expense of a plate? Mr. Faxton and Meisner could be depended upon to make an elegant plate. I think there would be no trouble then in getting the genus published in the Botanical Gazette. You are not to understand that I wish you to be at any personal expense in this matter, but this is simply a suggestion that you might be able to carry out. There is a chance yet of my having an illustration made here and if so I shall most certainly avail myself of it. There is a very good reason for the

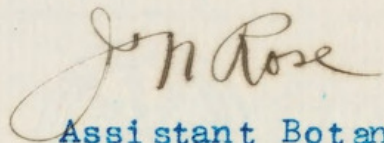


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genus Deanea. Genera are not named in the same way as species. Our brief note as to why we named the genus cannot be disputed by any one.

I send you to-day the two specimens of Cymopterus. I think you will be pleased with them.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in brown ink, reading "John Rose". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "J".

Assistant Botanist.



Rose, J. N. 1895. "Rose, Joseph Nelson Mar. 20, 1895." *Joseph Nelson Rose letters to Walter Deane*

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