SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION UNITED STATES NATIONAL MUSEUM WASHINGTON, D. C. January 29, 1927. Mr. Walter Deane, 29 Brewster Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts. My dear Deane: I left the Gray Herbarium last Friday afternoon about 4 o'clock. I tried to get you on the phone, but was unsuccessful. I reached Washington Saturday morning, being delayed nearly an hour on account of the terrible fog in and about New York City. I suppose you noticed from the papers that all outgoing ships were much delayed that day. I had a most delightful visit in Cambridge and accomplished a great deal of work. I was especially glad to have had several nice talks with you, and I want to thank you again for your kindness to me. Please remember me to Miss Brown. I think I told you that we won our case I have just had a very nice letter from the Railroad Administration about it, a copy of which I am enclosing. With regard to your picture with the hummingbird: I want to say that you gave one of these to George which he prizes very much indeed We do not have the picture of Mrs. Deane, but Mrs. Rose says she will be very glad indeed to have it if you have a duplicate which you can spare. I have been terribly busy since my return home, but hope to have more time later on when I will try to write you again. Some of our Washington men have re-discovered a very rare Chelone, and Ifind that Doctor Pennell of Philadelphia has a good specimen. I at once thought that you ought to have this in your herbarium. If you want it, write to Doctor Pennell yourself. I am enclosing his letter. Yours very truly, Mon J. N Rose Associate Curator, (Enclosure) Division of Plants.

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Dear Dr. Rose:

I have reviewed the two descriptions that you sent and am enclosing these. It is a pleasure to feel that certain groups of my Colombian Collections are receiving such careful study.

Yes, I have a number of duplicates of Chelone obliqua, and can send one to your correspondent as desired. To am glad that you are finding so much of interest in the specimens loaned from our Herbarium.

Sincerely yours,

Francis W. Pennell Curator of Plants

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