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My dear Mr. Deane:-

After all, we came home Tuesday and I had no opportunity to see you again. I am so sorry to have been about Boston so - comparatively - long and to have seen so little of you. I shall try to make sure that it doesn't happen again and that next time we may have a good long talk.

I have appreciated more, probably, than you can realize unless you have been in a similar position, your kindness in writing me all the news. "Sights" may interest but their interest is not so keen and doesn't go so near the heart and a chat which attaches to home and its doings.

I should have liked to hear about you

last winter; and Miss Day suggested a bibliograph-
ical noo molar which may possibly prove worth
looking up.

My mother joins me in most cordial regards to
Mrs. Gleason and to you.

Sincerely

C. W. Athey

salt marsh. But perhaps it has furnished
the material for a Rhode Island article in which
case I shall hear about it anyway. When
I was in college they were filling in the
ground where Riverbank Court now stands, at
the Cambridge end of the Harvard Bridge,
with material pumped up from the bottom
of the Basin; and it was interesting to see
how various Halophytes - Salsola, Glasswort
and the like, flourished in the new ground
as long as the salt remained in it and
gradually disappeared as it leached out;
until now such of that territory as is vacant
bears the usual ~~waste~~ waste ground
flora.

I suppose I am settled now for a winter
here. I have a little botanical work in
prospect on the old herbarium of Joseph
Barrett at Wesleyan University - which
Rev. Russell and I began to put in order



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