

Lemnace in flower.

Don't over-burden yourself with plants for me.

Summer school goes off calmly. Some 5 or 6 pupils. Mr. B. is indulging in it.

Let me hear from you often. Regards to Mrs. D. You will see my wife's sentiments at the head of this letter.

Yours indefinitely,
S. A. B. Jr.

Cambridge, July 11.
^{probor}
^{Mr. B. to}

My Dear Deane: I won't allow that!

The Carex you sent me as lupulina (the first one) is C. tentaculata Muhl. As near as I can judge from the imperfect spec. the ^vcrinita is alright. If the sheaths are rough it is gynandra. No. 3 is one of the forms of perplexing stellulata. The assertion that that sp. occurs at "L. Superior + N." is a mistake. It is common here. That section of Carex is the most perplexing of all. You will doubtless have occasion to puzzle over the numberless forms of straminea, and of scoparia.

No. 4 is ^vinternescens; No. 5 lupulina.

The Eriophorum seems to be good paucinervium. The other sp. is alpinum.

The stalk of the sterile spike of
Carex dates from the bract on
next spike below.

Now let me ask you a
question. I want to do some
teaching next College year. Do
you know of any institution
near Boston or Cambridge where
a poor, ignorant devil would
stand a chance of an op-
portunity to teach botany or
botany and some other nat-
ural sciences? Can get enough
time from my work here to
attend to such things after
August.

You will be pleased to
learn that I'm not yet
starved to death. In fact I
am increasing in muscle &
ill-temper.

Nothing of importance in
the garden only *Monarda didyma*,
Physostegia and millions of



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