

419 Field Ave.,
Detroit, Mich., April, 1, 1916.

Dear Mr. Deane: It was entirely
the fault of the postal officials
that your letter was not delivered
when it was received at Detroit.
They simply bungled.
It was ~~very~~ kind of you to return
the postage of the ~~Canot~~ ^{Canot} ~~thrust~~ ^{thrust} but
it wasn't necessary. I am pleased
to hear of such good reports of your
herbarium. I have not been so vigi-
lant and consequently can not make
an equally good report. My facilities
for properly caring for a rapidly
growing herbarium have been
limited, consequently, comparatively
speaking, the herbarium has suffered.
I was obliged to move this winter,
a time when it is very difficult to
obtain appropriate quarters. I
could not do so. As a result my
library and herbarium are now
in storage, and I miss them
greatly. Can not say how long

They will be there. ^{housing facilities is a serious problem} Extract
rapidly growing and suitable
quarters, at a reasonable figure,
are very hard to find.

Cordially yours
Oliver A. Farwell



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