

West Chester, Pa. Novem. 8. 1842. ¹⁹

Dear Sir,

Not knowing whether you have the Hypericum aureum in your Cambridge Garden, - and my bush yielding seed copiously, - I have concluded to put up a parcel for you, & send by Harnden's line to Boston.

I sent a small box, with some roots & seeds, to New York, to the care of Wily & Putnam - by the same conveyance, a few weeks ago. I hope you received them - & that some of them may live: though I fear the roots would get too dry. - The copy of Kunth, which you announced some time ago, had not come to Sobron's, last week. What can be the reason? I fear W. & P. have forgotten to forward it. If so, will you jog their memory? Yours truly, W.D.

Dr. A. Gray,

Cambridge

I have no doubt these seeds will grow, if properly managed; as my friend J. Hooper, of this place, has raised plants from the seeds of the same bush.



Darlington, William. 1842. "Darlington, William Nov. 8, 1842." *William Darlington letters to Asa Gray*

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