

THE MISSOURI BOTANICAL GARDEN.

Office of the Director.

St. Louis, Mo. Feb. 15, 1904.

Dear Professor Saccardo:

I do not wonder at your continued impatience in regard to the Harriman volume, which has caused me more concern than any other piece of printing that I have ever been connected with.

As I wrote you, months ago I saw the last of the proofs and was given to understand that the volume would be issued immediately, but, although I have seen an announcement from the publishers that it is shortly to appear, it seems not yet to be out.

I am today writing the editor of the series of volumes, transmitting your request for at least a set of the proofs.

Once more assuring you of my deep regret that this matter should have hung so long, and hoping that your request will be promptly complied with, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Professor P.A. Saccardo,

Padua, Italy.