

Chalfield
Jan 18

Syracuse Jan 19 1891

Yours of the 18th inst just
recd & beg to say that the
Books came duly to hand
& I am very much pleased with
them & will ship your box
this afternoon by Express I
do not know what your laws
are in regard to duty, but
any of our public Schools
would receive fossils or Minerals
or Books free of duty

The fossils from the
Potsdam & Cambrian would
be acceptable as I have scarcely
any thing from Canada

I send you a small
specimen of Stromatopora
from the Coralline limestone

which I do not think is very
fine but I shall send you
a better at another time I
shall endeavor this coming
summer to pick up some
Fossil flora from Gilboa & the
Catskills & also at Greene that may
add interest to your study as
I observe that you are making
that your speciality but thus
far I have given fossil flora
very little attention

When I mentioned
Paradoxides Harlani I had confounded
it with some of your forms of
that Genus forgetting for the
moment that they are found
(only I believe) at Brintree Mass.

Yours truly
D. D. Whitfield