Cycad for Colorado,

Returned Apr. 21, 1898.

New Haven, Conn.

Dear Sir:

I have in my possession a section of a cycad found in Colorado. It is in remarkably good condition, about six inches in length and four inches in circumference. I should like to dispose of it. If you do not wish to secure it for you, can you tell me where I can find a purchaser?

Respectfully,

[Signature]
Madison, Ind.,
Dec. 7, 1898.

Prof. O. C. Marsh,
New Haven,
Conn.

Dear Sir:

I have in my possession a section of a cycad found in Colorado. It is in remarkably good condition about six inches in length and four inches in diameter. I should like to dispose of it. If you do not wish to secure it for Yale, can you tell me where I can find a purchaser?

Respectfully,

Kate C. Eastman
Madison, Ind.  
Dec. 17, 1898.

Dr. O. C. Marsh,  
Yale University,  
New Haven.

Dear Sir:—

Your letter in reply to my inquiry was received a short time since. The specimen of which I spoke has been in my possession for quite fifteen years. It was found in a Colorado coal mine and given to my brother who in turn gave it to me. It did not occur to me to inquire as to what part of Colorado it came from. I know only that it came from these Tertiary coal fields, 12 inches in length, as I informed you a year and a half in diameter. It is very heavy, weighing six pounds; so it cannot be flinted. Though it cannot be a
agglomerate, I think. It is 
marked rounded impression
in whose center are small
subcylinders like embryonic 
These are arranged in diamonds
- somewhat like. Too:
I fear that my desc-
pications are somewhat
obscure, but I think
you may be able to gather 
from it whether I have
a true eye. As it is 
in a fine state of preservation
it seems worthy to place
better than in any small
cabinet. If you can form
an idea as to whether it
is what you want, I will
at once send it by express.
Respectfully yours,

(Miss) Kate W. Caplinger

I neglected to state, that it
is of a brownish color. It
may be that any brother may
have definite information as to the locality from
which it came.
Fairbury, Ile.
Jan. 31, 1899.

O. C. March,
New Haven,
Conn.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of the 28th has just been forwarded to me from Madison. I did not receive your previous letter, but on the eve of my departure for the place. Lack of time, therefore, prevented banking. I fully intended writing you further, but forgot to do so. I shall not return until the last
May this be too long a time? If so, please notify me, and I will attend to the matter yourself. I should not like to have it destroyed after keeping so many years, and I know it will have to be securely packed in a strong box to reach you in good condition. If you do not wish to wait so long, probably I can arrange it.

Respectfully,

Katie M. Klingens
Fairbury, Ill.,
Feb. 12, 1899.

Prof. O. C. Marsh,
New Haven,
Conn.

Dear Sir:

I have sent directions to Mr. Hammond to have geological specimens sent to you. The extreme cold may delay them for awhile; however, hoping it may prove of value to you, remain

Very respectfully,

Kate M. Carpenter

Ans. Feb. 24, 1899.

[Signature]
Fairbanks, Ill.
Apr. 18, 1899

To the President of Yale,
New Haven, Conn.

Dear Sir,

I have just received notice of the death of Prof. March of the Yale entomological department. I recently, probably during his last illness, sent him a specimen of sigillaria, with the understanding that he would either purchase...
it for sale or find another purchaser. Failing this, he was to return it to me, without expense to myself. Please, you, please turn this letter over to the proper authorities that I may know whether it has been sold. If it has, let it be addressed to my address 507 Mulberry St., Madison Indiana, to Mrs. Broxart. Very truly yours,

Kate H. Cushing.