

18, CORNWALL TERRACE,
REGENTS PARK, N.W.

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My dear Darwin,

I have looked over
the remaining letters which I
have, & do not think I need
send them. They are for the
most part pasted into MS books,
which makes it difficult to
detach them.

An unknown correspondent-

has written to me drawing
my attention to Gardeners Chronicle
Aug 20 1881 p. 232 Top of
middle column. It is there
stated that the Rev. W. Ellport
Leighton, F.S.S., of Luciefield
Shrewsbury, was a school-
fellow of your father. I think
this information may be of
use to you, because Hooker told
me that he did not know

of anyone who was acquainted
with your father in his younger
days.

As Lighthouse is an old man
it might be well for you to
address him soon, asking him
to write all he can remember,
& to say whether he knows of
any other surviving school-fellows.

Yours ever sincerely,

Geo. J. Pocock.

Kennes has a very sympathetic
article, so I can speak the editor is
not what you first thought him.