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Dear Mr. Collins: —

We do not expect any return in kind.
The only way is to have it in to somebody else — and
that is what I believe we should all do — botanically.

Well — I am just as well pleased to learn that you care now
for the names than you do for the algae — We shall be much
obliged — and the list of books you send — means that
you have the opportunity to do good work — I too have
been very busy — and have not yet got your set of names
picked out for you — Send Mr. Bennett's list back to him.
Please — with the names you want marked. — He is a good
worker — & helps at it. — He is working on his own things
with what help he gets from us. — and has done it well.

It also pleases me to learn that we agree about sending things
about. The list is a long one including all our list members - Unter-
myr, Bauer, Bost - Leibrog - Pringle - Williams - True, Clarey - Graus -
Faxon, Kennedy - Ann Macmillan says he will stop sending to
Kindberg if he can get them done here - but he has us to
help him & cannot do them alone! - He wants me to do them - but
I told you for the Keckman my prints no - 3 - 7 - nos. 1 & 2 are
not of print & are merely lists of birds' names - with a few descriptions.

of new species - -

You ask how you can repay for the Jaeger notes - by helping
American collectors. Pretty soon R. S. Williams will

have a fine set of Montana names ready for sale - he is doing
(Blackhawk) them with my help - Thos. Howell has now a set of Alaska
(Oregon) names which I have just named (27 and 10 or 15 names) -
and Pringle has a set of Arizona & Colo - as well as his
Mexican names. All want to sell sets. -

Sincerely E. G. Britton -



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