

April 28, 1936.

Dr. Paul C. Standley,
Field Museum of Natural History,
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Dr. Standley:-

At the suggestion of Prof. Amer, I am writing to ask whether you plan to publish from the Field Museum ^(avantenuis) the new species that occurs ^{in the} ~~appears in~~ preparation of the Peruvian orchid flora. (but not typed)

I have already prepared my treatment of the very beginning of the Peruvian orchids including *Phragmopedilum* and *Habenaria*, and I have already described four new species of *Habenaria* in the process. In case the novelties are to appear in the body of the work, it will be superfluous, of course, to give the brief descriptions that characterize the other species.

It occurred to me that it might
be advisable to send small batches
of the Peruvian manuscript ^{from time to time} as it
can be prepared.

Judging by the (specimen) samples
of proof which you sent, there seems to
be no set order of citation of ~~counties~~ or
departments. I have adapted the ^{plan} form
of working from north to south i.e.
from Cajamarca to Puno etc.

I have identified the ninety-three
orchids (mostly Costar Rican) recently
sent by Dr. Simms, and have found
among them a new Telypogon and several
sheets which are being photographed.

Trusting to hear from you, at
your convenience, I am

Sincerely yours,

C.S.

Asst. to Prof. Clarke A. Mee.



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