

Jan. 10, 1938.

Dear Dr. Standley,-

In reply to your letter of December 14, permit me to say that I showed your letter to Prof. Ames who seemed to think it would lie well to have Mr. Austin Smith collect orchids for him, and I shall write at once to ask him to communicate with Prof. Ames ^{who is} in Florida for the winter.

With regard to the subject of the Peruvian orchids, this matter has been necessarily set aside by the large collection of Costa Rica, by numerous collections from various parts of the world, by routine duties, by proof-reading and lately by reclassifying the our herbarium -

But now, after settling up a
law suit evolving from an auto-
mobile accident and a slight minor
operation on my face before long,
I anticipate tackling the Peruvian
orchids very soon. In this connec-
tion I might mention that we
have received from you and from
the Gray Herbarium numerous addi-
tions to the flora since my ^{active} work
in this field some time ago.

Perhaps it will be well for you
to return to me, at your convenience,
^{early} portions of my manuscript, ~~at~~
~~your convenience~~, in the light of
recent literature.

With best wishes for the
new year, I am

Sincerely yours,



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