

Arthur Orogen

Sept. 12, 1884

My dear Mr Watson

Your kind letter
of Aug. 20 received.

It is my wish that
you would publish the
Calandrinias with the
other species of My brother's
collection. My judgment
is different from yours
as to some of them.
As to the one that
I took to be a new
genus I made the notes from
living specimens and am
certain that the filaments
are united at ^{in the living state} base. ~~for~~
they appeared to me
as freely so as are the

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filaments of a *Loxanthus*.
They may come a part
in drying & have not
examined them in the
dry state. I think ~~Calceolaria~~
Calceolaria should be
extended so as to take
in plants with filaments
connected in a tube, but
you know best about
such things, and we will
be perfectly satisfied with
what you do about it.

I think the names you
suggest are very good ones.
The plants I called *C. finlayana*
and *C. alba* may both be of
the same species but they appear
to me to be very different.
However of the latter the
material is so scanty to

say much about it I
do not think that a
single plant is sufficient
to describe a species from.
I hope it will be found
again and in sufficient
quantity to show where
it belongs. As I said before
I wish you to publish them
with the other plants of the
collection.

Truly yours
Joseph Howell.



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