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Brooklyn, N. Y. November 30th, 1910

Professor J. Franklin Collins, Brown University, Providence, R.I.

My dear Sir:-

I am enclosing a chart of storage material which had accumulated at this Museum prior to the present organization and executive development under Doctor F.A. Lucas. Records concerning the accession of this material have been long since lost or mislaid, and the source of such material immediately preceding ownership by this Museum is unknown to us. Doctor Lucas, the Curator-in-Chief, and the Curator of Natural Science, have exhausted every possibility through records now preserved in book form and such loose sheets as yet have been found, with the hope of ascertaining further data regarding this herbarium material. Much of it, because of the collectors themselves, and because of the dates and stations at which the specimens were collected, is priceless. We are desirous of placing these in the regular series of herbarium material, when credited.

Will you please do us the great favor of annotating on the chart itself such additional information, or such corrections of data as you feel qualified to present regarding either one or more of the collections indicated, so that our final records may be as full as it is possible to have them?

Thanking you in advance most cordially for your kindness, and for the labor involved in giving such information, may I remain,

Very heartily yours,

2. L. Surator of Natural Science.



Morris, Edward Lyman. 1910. "Morris, Edward L. Nov. 30, 1910." *James Franklin Collins correspondence*

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