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The Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation, a research division of Carnegie Mellon University, specializes in the history of botany and all aspects of plant science and serves the international scientific community through research and documentation. To this end, the Institute acquires and maintains authoritative collections of books, plant images, manuscripts, portraits and data files, and provides publications and other modes of information service. The Institute meets the reference needs of botanists, biologists, historians, conservationists, librarians, bibliographers and the public at large, especially those concerned with any aspect of the North American flora.

Hunt Institute was dedicated in 1961 as the Rachel McMasters Miller Hunt Botanical Library, an international center for bibliographical research and service in the interests of botany and horticulture, as well as a center for the study of all aspects of the history of the plant sciences. By 1971 the Library's activities had so diversified that the name was changed to Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation. Growth in collections and research projects led to the establishment of four programmatic departments: Archives, Art, Bibliography and the Library.

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May 21, 1954

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
Academy of Natural Sciences
19th and the Parkway
Philadelphia 3, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Langman:

Thank you very much for your report on the work at
the Academy of Natural Sciences, which is exactly what I wanted.
I do not know how much of this I will use, but it covers the
idea I had in mind.

With cordial regards,

Sincerely yours,

Leon J. Obermayer

LJO/ef

11.30-11.12



SECRETARIA
DE
EDUCACION PUBLICA

DEPENDENCIA DEPTO. DE BIBLIOTECAS.
-San Ildefonso-No. 40.

SECCION Ofna. Fomento Bibliotecario.
MESA
NUMERO DEL OFICIO 3672.
EXPEDIENTE

ASUNTO: Informa sobre bibliotecas en donde puede
consultar los libros que suude.

México, D.F., a 6 de diciembre de 1956.

Ida R. Langman.
Plaza Popocatepetl 48.
C i u d a d .

Contesto su escrito s/n., que fechado el 8 de noviembre anterior se sirvió dirigir a este Departamento solicitando informes sobre los servicios de las Bibliotecas en donde pueda consultar libros de geografía y monografías. Desde luego, le informo que puede usted visitar la Biblioteca Pedagógica que se encuentra establecida en la Escuela Normal Superior, en Ribera de San Cosme No. 63, ó la Biblioteca "Miguel de Cervantes Saavedra" que se halla ubicada en la esquina de Héroes y Esmeralda, en las que encontrará materiales apropiados.

Posiblemente la Biblioteca que usted suude sea la "Ibero Americana" que se encontraba en el Palacio de Bellas Artes y que ahora uniendo sus acervos a la "Justo Sierra" - - -actualmente en reorganización-, ahora está establecida en la calle de Luis González Obregón, costado de la Secretaría de Educación Pública. También puede visitar la Biblioteca - "México", en la Plaza de la Ciudadela.

Atentamente.

La Jefe del Departamento.



Luisa Ccampo Heredia

Luisa Ccampo Heredia.

DEPARTAMENTO DE
BIBLIOTECAS

AL CONTESTAR ESTE OFICIO, CITENSE LOS
DATOS CONTENIDOS EN EL CUADRO DEL ANGULO
SUPERIOR DERECHO

4195
VM/rm.

Dear Ida Langman:

28 II 1961

CHARLES A. GAULD
INTER AMERICAN UNIVERSITY
SAN GERMAN, PUERTO RICO

Delighted to hear from you re my DIRECTORY OF AMERICANS WHO KNOW LATIN AMERICA which I hope to publish here later this year. I'd like to learn of your Latin American background of research, writing, work etc. for inclusion, gratis, of course. This is an attempt to improve inter-American relations.

I am a Quaker, member of Fds Mtg of Wash DC, where I spent over 8 years & may possibly return as a specialist since 1935 on Brazil.

Can you help me obtain the membership of the Pan American Society or Club of Philadelphia & of professors, journalists, businessmen and others in Philadelphia who know Latin America? Many thanks. Cordially,

Charles A. Gauld

Notes Phil. Dir. - Sample of Committee list members separately by continent & Latin. I have no secretary & cannot write much.

FERNANDO OCARANZA
MEDICO CIRUJANO
Y
DOCTOR EN CIENCIAS BIOLÓGICAS
MEXICO, D. F.

México, D.F. a 2 de marzo de 1962

*Ida K. Largman
301*

Mis Ida K. Largman
UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
P H I L A D E L P H I A - Pen.

Estimada señorita:

Por haber estado en Acapulco no tuve conocimiento de su carta y, posteriormente, deseando servirla a la medida de sus deseos, me puse a buscar las copias de los artículos sobre "Plantas Medicinales de las Provincias Internas de Sonora y Ostimuri.

Desgraciadamente recordé un poco tarde que otra persona me había visitado con el mismo objeto y fué a ella a quien le hice entrega de esos duplicados. Sin embargo, creo que por medio de "EL UNIVERSAL" puede Ud. solicitar que le envíen la continuación del artículo que obra en su poder, relativo al 11 de enero de 1961, ya que escribo para dicho periódico cada ocho días (los viernes de cada semana), por lo que siguiendo la secuencia a partir de la fecha ya mencionada, quizá le sea posible adquirir dichos artículos.

Además, esos artículos no corresponden al libro por Ud. mencionado con el título de "CRONICA DE LAS PROVINCIAS INTERNAS DE LA NUEVA ESPAÑA", sino a "CRONICAS Y RELACIONES DEL OCCIDENTE DE MEXICO" (2º tomo), de la cual también soy autor.

Deseando que estos informes le sean de utilidad, me suscribo de Ud. muy atto. y S.S.

Fdo. Ocaranza

Dr. FERNANDO OCARANZA



Jalapa-Ver., a 5 de junio de 1959

BIBLIOTECA CENTRAL
DE LA UNIVERSIDAD

Rte. F.O.V.
Av. Diaz Mirón 13:

Sra. Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring St.
Philadelphia 4, PA.

Mi muy estimada Señora:

Ahora que regresé de mis vacaciones, me encontré con su cartita, la cual me dió muchísimo gusto recibir.

Desde luego llevé al Rector el ejemplar del boletín "panamericanismo" que ahora le devuelvo a Ud., y el Dr. Aguirre Beltrán se sintió muy complacido por la reseña que hace el Dr. Félix Spector del Festival Casals, así como de las frases elogiosas que tuvo para la cultura de nuestra región.-

Le platicué a la Sra. de Vries de los comentarios que usted hace en su carta, acerca del artículo "Farewell U.S.A." y se mostró interesada en traducir al español la biografía del Dr. Bethune.

Así mismo pasé su tarjeta de acuse de recibo al Departamento Editorial.

Nosotros por acá seguimos tratando de organizar la Biblioteca y procurando a la vez aumentar su acervo (dice acervo) bibliográfico.

Deseo se encuentre Usted gozando de completa salud y bienestar espiritual.

Su afmo., atto. amigo y S. S.,

F. de Ochoa V.
Fernando Ochoa Villalba

P.D. Le envío un folleto de los II Cursos Temporales de Verano que se imparten este mes. Queda a su disposición. Vale

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

Office of Science Information Service

May 16, 1961

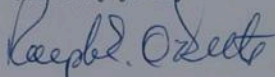
Mrs. Ida K. Langman
Research Fellow
Department of Botany
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman:

Dr. Adkinson has given me your letter of May 9th which requests an appointment during the week of May 22nd to discuss your bibliography on Mexican botany since it is to my program that you would submit any proposal for support of publication.

For the most efficient use of your time while you are in Washington I suggest it would be best for you to discuss your project with Mr. Allen J. Sprow, Assistant Program Director, since Mr. Sprow would be directly concerned with any proposal you submit. Mr. Sprow would be available to see you May 23rd at 9:30 a.m. Please advise us if this time would be convenient for you.

Sincerely yours,



Ralph E. O'Dette
Program Director for
Support of Scientific Publications

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

Office of Science Information Service

February 16, 1962

Mr. James L. Malone
Contracts Administrator
Project Research and Grants
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

Re: Proposal N-1228

Dear Mr. Malone:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 31 and twenty copies of a proposal with attached exhibits requesting Foundation support for the final preparation and publication of A Selected Guide to the Literature on The Flowering Plants of Mexico under the direction of Mrs. Ida K. Langman.

You will note from the enclosed instructions that indirect costs in grants for support of scientific publication are limited to a maximum of 15% of direct costs. Your proposal has been corrected accordingly.

The proposal has been assigned to Mr. Allen J. Sprow, Assistant Program Director, for processing in accordance with the customary procedures of the Foundation. You will hear directly from Mr. Sprow in this connection.

Sincerely yours,

Ralph E. O'Dette
Program Director for
Support of Scientific Publications

Enclosure

Copy to:

Dr. John M. Fogg Jr.
Director
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

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August 14, 1962

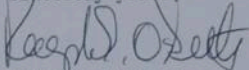
In reply refer to:
Proposal N-1228

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
The Morris Arboretum
9414 Meadowbrook Avenue
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia 18, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman:

This letter is to confirm your agreement with the intent of this Program to process your proposal requesting support for the publication of "A Selected Guide to the Literature of Mexican Flowering Plants" in the reduced amount of \$30,100 based on the printing estimate submitted to you by the University of Pennsylvania Press. You will be informed as soon as a decision has been made on this proposal.

Sincerely yours,



Ralph E. O'Dette
Program Director
Support of Scientific Publications

Copy to:

Dr. John M. Fogg, Jr.
Director
The Morris Arboretum

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

Office of Science Information Service

October 9, 1962

In reply refer to:
GN-41

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
The Morris Arboretum
9414 Meadowbrook Avenue
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia 18, Pennsylvania

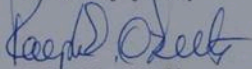
Dear Mrs. Langman:

In a letter dated September 25, 1962, signed by Dr. Randal M. Robertson, the National Science Foundation granted to the University of Pennsylvania the sum of \$30,100 for support of publication of a Selected Guide to the Literature on the Flowering Plants of Mexico under your direction for a period of approximately one year. I am glad the Foundation could be of assistance in this project.

I am enclosing for your information a copy of the Foundation's booklet, "Grants for Scientific Research," Part II of which describes the general administration of grants. Also enclosed is a copy of the final summary sheet budget on which the grant was based. The semiannual fiscal reports required by our Grants Office should be based on the same line items. The Grants Office also requires annual interim fiscal reports for three years on the anniversary of the date of publication on the income from sales. It is preferred that income received from the sales of the publication be returned with each fiscal report.

Three copies of the Guide should be submitted as the technical report. We would like to be notified of any changes or delays in the publication plans as outlined in the proposal. If you have questions on any aspect of this grant, please feel free to write to me. //

Sincerely yours,



Ralph E. O'Dette
Program Director
Support of Scientific Publications

Enclosures: 2

ONE YEAR BUDGET

a) Salaries

1. Chief Investigator (3/4 yr. @ \$4,800)	\$3,600
2. Editor (3/4 yr. @ \$4,000)	3,000
3. Clerical Assistant (1/2 yr @ \$3,000)	1,500
4. Fringe Benefits	<u>664</u>
	\$8,764

b) Publication

1. Printing and binding (2000 copies; 1000 pg. @ \$33.75/pg)	33,750
2. Advertising and shipping	<u>300</u>
	34,050

c) Miscellaneous

1. Correspondence for editing	<u>100</u>
	\$42,914

3926

26174

Indirect costs @ 15%	<u>6,437</u>
Requested from NSF	\$49,351
Rounded to	\$49,350

May 17, 1962

Lord Baltimore Press
1601 Edison Highway
Baltimore, Maryland

Miss Laura Oien
Edwards Brothers, Inc.
P. O. Box 1007
2500 South State Street
Ann Arbor, Michigan

Dear Miss Oien:

I am writing you at the suggestion of Mrs. Venia Phillips of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia. I am interested in obtaining an estimate of printing costs for a bibliography which I have prepared on Mexican flowering plants. A sample page is enclosed. This shows the format and kinds of type (in general) desired. Mrs. Phillips thinks that with a varityper you could probably produce the same results as far as variety of type is concerned.

The bibliography consists of the following: about 20,350 annotated items and about 6500 cross references (like the Chabre and Chamberet items). Each item is typed on a separate sheet, or sheets, depending on the length of the annotation. Sample sheets are enclosed. In addition, there is an introduction of about 20 pages double space typing, a list of bibliographies consulted of about 40 pages, and a list of journals cited, 180 typed pages. There is also an index, classified to subjects, but as I am just working on this now, I cannot tell you exactly how much space this will take up. If you can see a copy of Merrill (E. D.) and Walker (Egbert), A Bibliography of Eastern Asiatic Botany, mine will be similar.

The page size should be, I think, more or less like the sample, and I have been counting on 1000 pages (perhaps more). The number of copies to be printed will be 2000, probably. The price should include paper bound and buckram bound copies. I understand there is generally a price quoted for the first, and then the second thousand.

If there is any other information you need to have, please let me know. I don't suppose I need emphasize that an early response would be very much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs.) Ida K. Langan
Research Fellow



EDWARDS BROTHERS, INC.

2500 South State Street
Ann Arbor, Michigan

Area Code 313
662-6545

June 21, 1962

AIR MAIL

Mrs. Ida Langman
University of Pennsylvania
Botanical Laboratory
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

Ref: BIBLIOGRAPHY OF MEXICAN FLOWERING PLANTS

Dear Mrs. Langman:

In reply to your letter of May 17th, we are enclosing our Estimate #2-1739 for printing and binding 1,000 and an additional 1,000 copies of the above title.

As you will note, prices are not included for the composition as this has been figured separately from the printing and binding.

Actually, with this type of material the composition per page would run approximately \$10.00 for Unjustified pages and if the right-hand margin were to be Justified there would be an additional \$2.75 per page for the copy preparation.

We are not sure that we have interpreted your specifications correctly insofar as total pages are concerned since you mentioned 1,000. This is assuming that there would be 1,000 completed pages in the book.

There is a possibility that you are thinking of manuscript pages and then I am sure your total page count would be reduced somewhat.

* Our Composition Department is preparing a sample page for you so you can see exactly what would be done with your manuscript once it was placed in our hands.

You might also clarify the page count for us and perhaps, at a later

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Mrs. Ida Langman

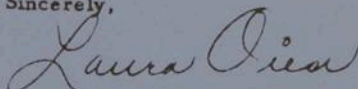
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June 21, 1962

date, be able to submit a fairly good amount of the manuscript to us so that we can determine how much copy we could get on a page.

We will await further word from you.

Sincerely,



Laura Oien (Miss)
Sales Department

LO/mm

Enclosure

* enclosed



EDWARDS BROTHERS, INC.
LITHOPRINTERS

P. O. BOX 1697
ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

AREA CODE 3-3
TEL. NO. 463-6345
WUX CODE: EB

CUSTOMER: Mrs. Ida Langman NO.: 2-1739
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania
(CITY) (STATE) Date: June 21, 1962
TITLE: Bibliography of Mexican Flowering Plants Author: _____
COPY: Customer furnishes all copy ready for camera

Page Size: 8-1/2 x 11 Total Pages: 1,000
Total Copies: 1,000 + addn'l. 1,000 Text Paper: 45# High Opacity
Binding Style: _____ Copyright Application: Customer will apply

Composition: _____
Typesetting: Cover, Spine, tp + cop. page

ADDITIONAL SPECIFICATIONS INCLUDED

Camera Settings: 2 est'd. Strip Ins: _____ Half-Tones: _____
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Laura Oien

Accepted by _____



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TEL. NO. 662-6545
WUX CODE: EB

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Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania Date: June 21, 1962
(CITY) (STATE)
TITLE: Bibliography of Mexican Flowering Plants Author: _____
COPY: Customer furnishes all copy ready for camera

Page Size: 8-1/2 x 11 Total Pages: 1,000
Total Copies: 1,000 + addn'l. 1,000 Text Paper: 45# High Opacity
Binding Style: _____ Copyright Application: Customer will apply

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Typesetting: Cover, spine, tp + cop. page

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Accepted by _____



EDWARDS BROTHERS, INC.

2500 South State Street

Ann Arbor, Michigan

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662-6545

July 13, 1962

Mrs. Ida Langman
University of Pennsylvania
Botanical Laboratory
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

REFERENCE: Bibliography of Mexican Flowering Plants

Dear Mrs. Langman:

As a follow-up to our letter and prices of June 21, we are wondering if there is any further information we can furnish you with at this time.

At the time prices were sent to you, there was some question as to what the total page count would actually be and we are wondering if there was a possibility that you could clarify this at this time.

Won't you drop us a note at your convenience?

Sincerely,

Laura Oien (Miss)
Sales Department

LO/jw

October 15, 1962

Miss Laura Oien
Edwards Brothers, Inc.
2500 South State Street
Ann Arbor, Michigan

Dear Miss Oien

I am sorry to inform you that I can not turn over to your firm the printing of my Selected Guide to the Literature on Mexican Flowering Plants. We have just received a subsidy for publication of the work but the amount allocated is about half of what we had asked. Fortunately, the University of Pennsylvania Press has agreed to undertake the publication of the bibliography, using some of its own funds to supplement those granted by the National Science Foundation.

Please accept my sincere thanks for the interest you showed in my work.

Cordially,

(Mrs.) Ida K. Langman
Research Fellow

Yale University Library

New Haven Connecticut

James T. Babb
University Librarian



John H. Ottemiller
Associate University Librarian
Donald G. Wing
Associate Librarian

April 16, 1958

Miss Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring Street
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

Dear Miss Langman:

In reply to your letter of April 9th, this Library has
and is willing to lend the items by Huber and Fauré.

According to our records v.58B, not 68B, of the Beihefte
to the Botanisches Zentralblatt was published in 1938. The
last volume here is 62 (1943). Any of these, I believe, could
be lent.

Our Puttick and Simpson Bibliotheca mexicana is dated
1880; perhaps it is a reissue of the 1869 catalogue. Since
it is an auction catalogue it does not circulate.

Very truly yours,

Robert J. Olson
In charge
Interlibrary Loans

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AMERICAN ACADEMY OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

28 NEWBURY STREET
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March 16, 1955

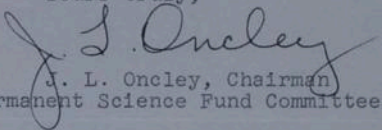
Mrs. Ida K. Langman
The Academy of Natural Sciences
of Philadelphia
Nineteenth and the Parkway
Philadelphia 3, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman:

The Permanent Science Fund Committee has considered your application for a Grant-in-Aid and feels that while your project is entirely worthwhile, it lies outside of the realm of the things the Committee is trying to encourage, so I must inform you that the Committee is unable to recommend a grant to you.

One of the members of the Committee interested in this field thought that it was possible that the Ford Foundation would be willing to support something like this, especially if you correlated it with your own educational program. I do not know personally if this suggestion has any merit or not, but said I would be glad to pass it on to you.

Yours truly,


J. L. Oncley, Chairman
Permanent Science Fund Committee

Banco Industrial de Jalisco, S. A.

Guadalajara Jal

Enero 7 de 1958.

GERENCIA

Miss. Ida K. Langman.
3509 Baring St.
Phila 4, Pa.

Apreciable Señorita:

Oportunamente llegó a mi poder su carta 8 de diciembre próximo pasado, y sí he demorado - en contestarle fué porque necesitaba recabar los - datos que usted me pide, los que desgraciadamente no me ha sido posible obtenerlos debido a que se - encuentra ausente de Guadalajara, el dueño del li - bro del Siglo Pasado, de donde tomamos el texto - para el " Viaje a México " de Vigneaux.

Yo no efectué la traducción del texto - francés, lo que hice fue corregir la versión al - castellano que venia en un libro de viajes que mu - cho me agradó junto con los grabados que reprodu- jimos, fotografiándolos del texto.

Tan pronto como regrese a Guadalajara el señor Pazos, dueño de la obra en cuestión, le proporcionará los datos que solicita los cuales no tu - ve el cuidado de apuntar y he olvidado en los ocho años que han transcurrido desde que manejé este asun - to.

Aprovecho la oportunidad para ofrecerme servidor y amigo.



Leopoldo I. Orendain.

LIO/mae.

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Guadalajara, Jal.

Enero 26 de 1959.

Miss. Ida. K. Langman.
3509 Baring St.
Philadelphia 4, Pa.

Apreciable señorita:

Tengo el gusto de referirme a su atenta l2 del actual, y en cumplimiento con sus deseos le doy a continuación los datos sobre el " Viaje a México " de Vigneaux que reproducimos en 1950.

De una obra en ocho tomos editada en Madrid en la imprenta y librería Gaspar y Roig, titulada " La vuelta al mundo - viajes interesantes y novísimos por todos los países", publicada en 1866, tomamos del tomo V, el " Viaje a México", que figura sin mencionar quien fué el traductor del original del francés - o de que edición francesa haya sido tomado.

Sobre los dos encargos que me hace voy a entrevistar - al Prof. José Cornejo Franco, a quien no he podido encontrar - debido a que está ocupándose del traslado de la Biblioteca Pública del local actual, a otro nuevo que será en la Casa de la Cultura. De eso le daré cuenta en próxima correspondencia.

He cumplido con darle sus saludos a nuestra mutua amiga Carmen Aceves, y cuando vea al Prof. Pablo G. Franco haré lo mismo.

Con un cordial saludo, me repito suyo servidor y amigo.

Leopoldo I. Orendain.

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Mrs. Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring Street
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

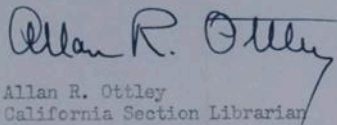
Dear Mrs. Langman:

We have made a quick page by page check of volumes one and six of the HESPERIAN, but we have failed to find any articles on Mexican plants. Occasionally in volume six there appeared an article by Dr. A. Kellogg on plants found in California or the western part of the United States.

A monthly Table of Contents did not appear to be included for either volume one or six.

We are equipped to make either photostats or photographs, but we do not have a microfilm service.

Sincerely yours,



Allan R. Ottley
California Section Librarian

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September 22, 1958

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring Street
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

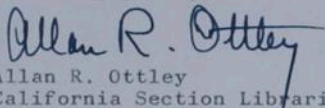
Dear Mrs. Langman:

Our file of the HESPERIAN is available for reference use only in this library. We regret that its rarity prevents it from circulating.

A check of the periodical shows an irregularity in the numbering of volume 10. October 1863 is volume 10, no. 6. According to a note in our file, no issue was published in November; and December 1863 and January 1864 follow as numbers 7 and 8 of volume 10. February 1864 is missing from our set, while March and April 1864 appear as numbers 3 and 4 of volume 11. The numbering of the other volumes is in order. Volume 1 runs from May 1, 1858 - January 15, 1859, numbers 1-18; numbers 3-5 of volume 6 are for May-July 1861.

If you care to have photostats of the articles in which you are interested, they can be made for you at a charge of eighty cents a negative print.

Sincerely yours,


Allan R. Ottley
California Section Librarian

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Mrs. Ida Longman
Research Fellow
Department of Botany
University of Pennsylvania

Kiel, den 29.5.1962.

Az.: VSt p O vH

Philadelphia, Pa.

U. S. A.

Sehr geehrte Mrs. Longman,

Ich komme auf Ihren Brief vom 19. März und meinen Zwischenbescheid vom 26. März 1962 zurück. Ich habe leider die von Ihnen benötigten Nummern der "Deutschen Zeitung von Mexiko" in deutschen Bibliotheken nicht ermitteln können. An verschiedenen Stellen ist die Zeitung vorhanden gewesen, aber durch Kriegseinwirkung vernichtet worden. Selbst die Deutsche Bücherei in Leipzig, die seit ihrer Gründung im Jahre 1913 verpflichtet ist, das gesamte deutschsprachige Schrifttum zu sammeln, besitzt die von Ihnen gesuchten Jahrgänge nicht. Ich bedaure deshalb, Ihnen in dieser Angelegenheit nicht helfen zu können.

Mit verbindlichen Grüßen,

F. Otto

(Dr. Frieda Otto)
wiss. Referentin

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Mrs. Ida Longman
Research Fellow
Department of Botany
University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, Pa

U.S.A.

Sehr geehrte Mrs. Longman!

Ich bekomme soeben Ihren Brief vom 19. März 1962. Wir besitzen in der Tat die "Deutsche Zeitung von Mexiko", leider jedoch nicht die Jahrgänge, in denen sich die von Ihnen benötigten Artikel befinden. Wir können Ihnen also leider nicht ohne weiteres helfen.

Ich werde mich aber bemühen festzustellen, ob eine andere deutsche Bibliothek die Zeitung für die betreffenden Jahre besitzt. Bei der Library of Congress in Washington werden Sie wohl schon nachgefragt haben?

ben d.

Mit besten Grüßen

F. Otto

(Dr. Frieda Otto)

wiss. Referentin

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Revista Mensual Agrícola y Ganadera

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Max. Negro 147 - Apartado postal 28506
Teléfono 27-45-54 México 17, D. F.

Noviembre 9 de 1962.

Sra. Ida K. Laryman,
The College Division of Biology
Botanical Laboratory,
University of Pennsylvania,
Philadelphia 4, Pa., E.U.A.

Respetable señora:

Me complace referirme a la atenta carta de usted de fecha 26 de septiembre próximo pasado, para a mi vez presentarle mis disculpas por no haber contestado oportunamente su consulta, y esto se debe a -- que al igual que usted siempre estoy con un notorio exceso de trabajo.

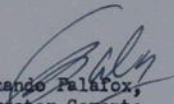
En seguida doy a conocer a usted la información que me solicita:

Tomo V 9 de Junio de 1926	Número 108,
Tomo V 16 de Junio de 1926	" 109,
Tomo V 23 de Junio de 1926	" 110,
Tomo V 30 de Junio de 1926	" 111,
Tomo V 7 de Julio de 1926	" 112.

Tomo V 2a. Epoca, 31 de Mayo de 1941 Número 591, páginas de -
la 23 a la 31,

Tomo VI 2a. Epoca 30 de Junio de 1941 Número 592, páginas de
la 20 a la 28.

Esperando haber complacido sus deseos, me repito como siempre a sus órdenes, afmo. atto. S. S.


Armando Palafox,
Director-Gerente.

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México 17, D. F.

Agosto 25 de 1962.

Mrs. Ida K. Langman,
The College Division of Biology,
University of Pennsylvania,
Philadelphia 4, E.U.A.

Muy estimada señora:

Acabamos de ser favorecidos por su atenta carta de fecha 17 de junio próximo pasado, y en respuesta a ella nos es grato proporcionarle en seguida la información que nos solicita:

El artículo titulado Ligeras Instrucciones Sobre la Siembra y Cultivo de las Plantas de Hortaliza, fue escrito por el señor Prof. Don Feliciano Ríos, y se publicó en nuestra Revista "EL CAMPO" en las siguientes ediciones: No. 108 de junio 9 de 1926, página 6; No. 109 de junio 16 de 1926, página 7; No. 110 de junio 23, de 1926, página 6; No. 111 de junio 30, página 7; No. 112 de julio 7, página 10.

El artículo El Cultivo de la Cebolla, publicado en el número 394 del año de 1932 corresponde al señor Dr. Ernesto H. Goelner.

El artículo El Cultivo del Frijol, que se publicó en las ediciones 591 y 592 de mayo y junio respectivamente del año de 1941, corresponde al señor Ing. Agr. Luis Marín. *papeo . ves* *es ch. V. 19. 30-38* *mark.*

Podemos proporcionar a usted reproducciones fotográficas del material de referencia pues las ediciones de "EL CAMPO" de las fechas señaladas se encuentran agotadas y solo disponemos de nuestros tomos de control.

Esperando haber obsequiado sus deseos, quedamos suyos afmos. --
attos. y ss. ss.

"PUBLICACIONES AGRÍCOLAS, S.A."

[Signature]
Armando Dalafox,
Director-Gerente.

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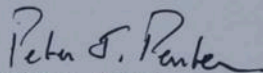
July 25, 1974

Miss Ida K. Langman
5515 Wissahickon Avenue
Apartment B-202
Philadelphia, Pa. 19144

Dear Miss Langman:

Thanks for your note of June 26. The programs
have been added to your collection of theater pro-
grams.

Sincerely,



Peter J. Parker
Chief of Manuscripts

RJP:jpr

February 8, 1962

Dear Ida:

You know you always have been my favorite M.C. Monday evening there was something added to my admiration.

I don't quite know how to define it. I am sure part of it was the relationship between you and your panel - a reciprocal warmth and friendliness. Knowing that two weeks ago Sunday they were unknown to you and you to them (except Dr. San Martin) it seemed to me rather thrilling.

Maybe the back seats didn't get the quiet drama when you shook hands with Jeanette Van Aalst, saying "This is one place where a Jew can shake hands with an Arab."

The Tagore "fireflies" were lovely. I wish you would give me the words of the last one - the one about our building temples only to throw stones at them".

If you hadn't been at the December Exec. meeting and made that inspired suggestion we'd never have had Monday's meeting -and what we would have missed! Lois Bye said "This is Powelton Neighbors as it should be."

With love

Sarah

Sarah W. Parker
Co-Chairman, Programs
The Powelton Neighbors



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National Library of Medicine
11,000 Euclid Ave., at Adelbert Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

Refer to:

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November 6, 1961

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
Research Fellow
The College Division of Biology
Botanical Laboratory
University of Pennsylvania
38th and Woodland Ave.
Philadelphia 4, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Langman:

We have your letter of October 31 in which you inquire about the availability and cost of microfilm copies of three works.

We have here only item 3 on your list, the Leon Practico de morbo gallico, Valladolid, 1605, which has 140 leaves (280 p.) and our fee for a microfilm copy of the work would be \$6.00. Our photographic orders are filled on a prepaid basis and as soon as we receive your check, made payable to the Treasurer of the United States, we will proceed with the filming.

33-48
Regarding the Guarguante item, we have seventeenth century editions of his work on theriac and other subjects but none on mechoacan. We find that the British Museum has the work you require included in a collection of three of the author's works, under the following title: Tria opuscula: hoc est de theriacae...virtutibus paraphrasis, de Mechiacani opusculum, et ejus usu in febris. Venice, 1595. (quarto) 546d.18(2). *see rehavindo* *Chen*

✓ As for the Hager item, we have at our main library a dissertation by Hager entitled: Aloe chorae salitana. Altiburgi, 1663. 6 leaves, which can be purchased in microfilm at a cost of \$2.00. Please send your order, with your check enclosed to the Supervisor, Photoduplication Group, National Library of Medicine, 7th Street and Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington 25, D.C.

Hager

We regret that we cannot find a location for the dissertation you requested (Pritzel no. 3694). It is possible that the Hunt Botanical Library in Pittsburgh may have acquired it since their printed catalog was published.

Sincerely yours,

Sheila M. Parker

SHEILA M. PARKER
History of Medicine Division

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MEXICO I. D. F. , 10 de Febrero 1954.

Sra. Ida K. Laugman
3509 Bereng St.
Philadelphia 4, Pa.

Apreciable señora:

De acuerdo con su atenta carta de fecha 5 del actual, hemos remitido al Sr. Dr. Frans Verdoorn, de Waltham 54 Mass., en 1 paquete por correo certificado registrado con el número 34800, el pedido que se -- sirvió Ud. hacernos.

Adjuntamos nota # 15523, por valor de: -----
Dols. 2.35 (DOS DOLARES 35/100), que hemos -----
----- recibido de conformidad.

En nuestro Boletín Bibliográfico publicamos reseñas de todos los libros y lo enviamos a las Bibliotecas y Universidades de su País.

Esperando haber cumplido satisfactoriamente sus órdenes, nos repetimos - sus Afmos., Attos. amigos y Ss. Ss.

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Edward Eberstadt & Sons
888 Madison Avenue
New York 21
30 May 1958

Dear Mrs. Langman -

Many thanks for the card. I'm glad you found the John Briquet item. I've been meaning to write for sometime but ~~that~~ has been a hectic spring. I'm working and have just finished a course at Columbia, where I am in Graduate School. Harvard did not come through so I'm going to get the degree at Columbia, which is probably for the better as I like it very much, a very vital atmosphere, I think.

I still have not finished the work on Berlandier. You are probably the only person who knows what a job it is - the mss being in such a fantastic mess and so dispersed. I have set a deadline of July the Fourth to finish Berlandier and everything else, though, so I can concentrate on two summer courses, so I'm going to get something together before long.

(1959)
In Bulletin 26 of the William L. Clements Library, U. of Michigan, which is a catalogue of an exhibit on Mexico, I saw an item

"Plano del terreno destinado para jardin botanico." *msk at Penn.*
Mexico 1788. MSS map of the first botanical garden.

which is probably well known to you but on the chance it may not be, I include it.

I saw Howard Cline here a month or so ago and we had a long talk about our plan to list Latin American MSS in the US in some form or another. We are approaching the task slowly and cautiously as it is bound to be a huge one. The first step is a bibliography of printed guides and I am gathering notes on that now.

I expect to be in Washington for a week the second week in June (tentatively) and then in NY for the remainder of the summer. Will you be in Washington about that time or will you be making another trip to NY? If so, I hope you will let me know, as it is always pleasant to meet up with you again, so few people are interested in the things we are interested in!

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Jerry Patterson

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
LIBRARY
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

May 5, 1960

Miss Ida K. Langman
University of Pennsylvania
The College Division of Biology
Botanical Laboratory
38th and Woodland Avenue
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

Dear Miss Langman:

Thank you for your kind offer of April 27, 1960. We would appreciate having the following Mexican publications for our Library:

OIC
DA Los agronomos Mexicanos. Informacion Historica Ediciones Atenagro - Serie Historica. Mexico City, 1954. 207 p. (our label G-02749) *yes see*

(not seen in Langman bibliography)
OIC
DA Nueva agronomia - estudios del campo mexicano. Mexico City, 1954. 318 p. (our label G-02748) *yes "*

OIC
DA ^{31.5} _{AT 20} Problemas agricolas actuales. Ediciones Atenagro. Serie Seminarios. Mexico City, 1954. 325 p. ¹⁹⁵⁵ (our label G-02747) *not found in list*

Enclosed mailing labels are for your convenience and for our prompt identification of the publications when they arrive.

Sincerely,

Kirby B. Payne

Kirby B. Payne, Chief
Acquisition Section

Attachments (3)

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THE BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION
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SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
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June 29, 1956

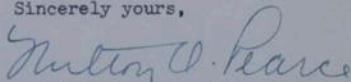
Mrs. Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring Street
Philadelphia 4, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Langman:

We have received notification of your plan to retire from your position as teacher in the Academy of Natural Sciences, as of July 1, 1956.

May I express to you appreciation for your many years of service in the Philadelphia school system, and best wishes for good health and happiness in the years to come.

Sincerely yours,



Associate Superintendent

/s

William L. Clements Library



Early Americana

University of Michigan Ann Arbor

July 9, 1959

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring St.
Philadelphia 4, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Langman:

We have had the volume of Mexican manuscripts on the botanical garden filmed. We are sending you the film on loan under separate cover.

Whenever you are through with it, please return it in its box.

Cordially,

Howard Peckham
Director

William L. Clements Library



Early Americana

University of Michigan Ann Arbor

June 15, 1959

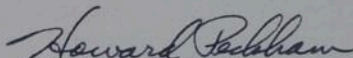
Mrs. Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring Street
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman:

A microfilm of the manuscript volume on the gardens in Mexico City will cost you about \$9. If you want us to proceed, please return the earlier form I sent you with your signature, as it will be filmed with your order.

The volume is somewhat frail, and if you can persuade Dr. McVaugh to examine it for you we would be pleased. However, we will make the microfilm if you prefer.

Sincerely yours,


Howard H. Peckham
Director

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William L. Clements Library



Early Americana

University of Michigan Ann Arbor

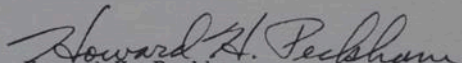
June 2, 1959

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring Street
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman:

Your inquiry to Fred Dimock has been referred to this Library. We have the manuscript volume containing papers relating to the botanical garden in Mexico City and a map of that garden. These constitute a small manuscript collection which we would be glad to have you make use of especially if you contemplate a publication. Ordinarily, however, we do not make copies of complete collections since we then lose control of who may be using the collection in the future. If you have a writing project in mind and wish to use a microfilm of this collection, we will film it at your expense provided that you return the film to us after making the notes you need.

Sincerely yours,


Howard H. Peckham
Director

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THE HISPANIC SOCIETY OF AMERICA

BROADWAY BETWEEN 155th AND 156th STREETS

NEW YORK, N. Y. 10032

June 13th, 1964

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
Department of Biology
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia
Pennsylvania 19104

Dear Mrs. Langman:

I thank you for your letter and for its good news about your bibliography on Mexican botany. I, too, am deep in proofs.

I have held up my reply until I could ask our President, Mr. A. Hyatt Mayor, about grants, since your project lies outside this Society's field. He suggested that you approach either the American Council of Learned Societies or the Ford Foundation.

With best wishes for growth of this latest brain child, I am, as always,

Sincerely,

Clara L. Penney

P.S. Am of our readers, who is on a Learned Societies' grant, suggested the Bollingen Foundation which has an office here in New York. It seems to know the name of the proper official to address. (initials)

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Bollingen
140 E 62*

*N.Y.
many many
thanks*

BOLLINGEN FOUNDATION
140 EAST 62ND STREET
NEW YORK, N. Y. 10021

July 1, 1964

Mrs. Ida K. Longman, Research Fellow
Joseph Leidy Laboratory of Biology
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia, Pa. 19104

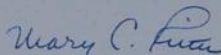
Dear Mrs. Longman:

This will acknowledge the receipt of your letter of June 26 inquiring about the possibility of a fellowship from this Foundation to assist you with the preparation of an annotated translation of the works of Padre Jose Antonio Alzate.

I am sorry to have to advise you that it seems rather unlikely that the Trustees of the Foundation would feel it possible to assist your project. Not only has the program of Bollingen Foundation not included scientific literature - its principal objective has been the advancement and preservation of learning in the humanities, but the increased needs of the Foundation's publishing program, Bollingen Series, have made it necessary to curtail the existing program of fellowships and grants-in-aid during the next two years and to terminate it by mid-1967.

With the hope that you will be successful in obtaining the assistance you seek to enable you to carry out your project,

Sincerely yours,



Mary C. Ritter
Assistant Secretary



BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK 32, NEW YORK

May 27th, 1964

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
Department of Biology
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia
Pennsylvania 19104

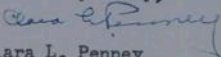
Dear Mrs. Lagman:

The three letters printed by
Frederik Mueller in 1871 comprise the
original German, printed about 1520, and
its "traduction allemande et française
moderne".

We are enclosing a "contoura"
copy of each German title-page.

It is pleasant to hear from you
again.

Yours very truly,


Clara L. Penney

Dear Mrs Langman

I'm sorry to say, the Union
List of Serials appears to be
in error. We don't have
Explorador Mixers. Sorry not
to be able to help.

Genevieve Porterfield
Reference Librarian

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BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK 32, NEW YORK

March 6th, 1962

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
Botanical Laboratory
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia 4,
Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman,

We have received the microfilm in good condition
and have sent the bill for \$16.66 through for
payment.

With thanks and best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, which appears to read "Clara L. Penney".

Clara L. Penney



THE HISPANIC SOCIETY OF AMERICA

BROADWAY BETWEEN 155th AND 156th STREETS

NEW YORK 32, NEW YORK

February 27th, 1962

Miss Ida K. Langman
Botanical Laboratory
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia 4,
Pennsylvania

Dear Miss Langman,

Thank you for writing to us about your microfilm of the Memorial literario for April-May 1789, June 1795, and May 1797. It will help in filling out our set for those important years.

A check for \$16.66 will be mailed after the tenth.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Clara L. Penney



BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155th AND 156th STREETS
NEW YORK 32, NEW YORK

January 8th, 1957

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
Academy of Natural Sciences
19th and the Parkway
Philadelphia 3
Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman,

Perhaps you may remember wishing to consult the
Vocabulario... en lengua española y maya de Yucatan
by Alfonso de la Solana.

It is now available, having been found in Mr. Hunt-
ington's private library, received by this Library
within the year.

Sincerely yours

Clara L. Penney



BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155th AND 156th STREETS
NEW YORK 32, NEW YORK

October 4th, 1955

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring Street
Philadelphia 4
Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman,

The Jesuit reports I really had in mind were the Annual letters sent from the respective missions to the superior in Rome. Those in this Library are entered in my Lists (p. 135-136, 322-324).

Sincerely yours

Clara L. Penney

Clara L. Penney



BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK 32, NEW YORK

22 July 1955

Dr. Ida K. Langman
3509 Bering Street
Philadelphia 4
Pennsylvania

Dear Dr. Langman,

I am truly sorry that you did not receive my message
as I meant it.

At various times, various persons have reported that
certain manuscripts were acquired by the President
and, therefore, are in the Library. Often this report
has appeared in print.

This Bocabulario, I can assure you, is not in the
Library.

Please accept this apology.

Sincerely

Clara L. Penney

Dominguez, Juan Manuel
Bocabulario de la Lengua Totonaca y Castellana 1749
95 leaves ms.
mentioned HAHR 1938 p. 20

*see to Venayal
who entered
Bocabulario
Admones (1911)
in ms. access
to printed copy
in Spain.*



BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155th AND 156th STREETS
NEW YORK 32, NEW YORK

4 January 1954

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring Street
Philadelphia 4
Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman,

I realize how frustrated you feel.

Years ago, the Solana manuscript was listed in a catalogue by K.W.Hiersemann. Many books were purchased through this bookseller. From this fact probably arose the assumption this manuscript was included.

Should I ever learn more about it, I gladly will let you know.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, which appears to read "Clara L. Penney".

Clara L. Penney



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HEMEROTECA NACIONAL
SAN ILDEFONSO Y CARMEN

MEXICO, D. F.

Mrs. Ida K. Langram
Botanical Laboratory
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia 4,
E. U. A.

Ref.: Su carta de 18 de junio del presente año.

Me refiero a su atenta carta citada en antecedentes para manifestarle que en la medida de nuestras posibilidades, seguiremos sirviendo a usted en sus consultas y aunque tuvo el tino de enviar en hojas pequeñas, para facilitar la contestación las últimas, me permito detallarlas enseguida:

Artículos de Alfonso Herrera sobre la cebadilla y el copal: el artículo no está fechado, pero se publicó en el número correspondiente al 8 de septiembre de 1895 y en el mismo, en la página 3, existe una columna de consultas del público y en ella, se da aunque somera explicación sobre el copal pues se concreta a decir que "se extrae de varios árboles" y anuncia que en fecha posterior, el colaborador del periódico, profesor Alfonso Herrera escribirá un artículo sobre el tema.

Pregunta usted si tenemos el periódico Político y Literario "La Sociedad": si lo tenemos

"Cultivador": para buscar un artículo sobre el te mexicano: no tenemos el número especificado.

Algunas plantas que caracterizan la floración de varios meses en Cuernavaca: los meses son: febrero, marzo y mayo.

De la Gaceta Agrícola y Veterinaria pregunta usted sobre la sigla del nombre de pila del autor Blanco: este es L. Blanco y los dos autores más, son M. Cordero y J. C. Segura

Anónimo, sobre "Las malas yerbas" trata de correguelas, mostasa blanca y amapola: Aparece en el número 1 del tomo XIII y no se dan los nombres científicos de las plantas y en el texto no se citan tampoco los nombres vulgares pues solo aparecen las ilustraciones con los nombres vulgares en el pie. Comenta de plantas extrañas en los cultivos pero no cita a ninguna de ellas.

Respecto al mango y al zapote que se citan en la Revista Agrícola, usted pregunta si se refiere al achras sapota, chicle, al blanco o al negro: se trata del achras sapota, o sea el chico-zapote como es conocido en México y debe considerarse así, porque tal y como se escribe demuestra su variedad, pero



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MEXICO, D. F.

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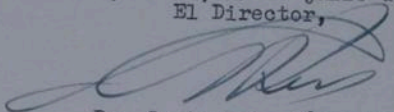
invertido o sea: zapote chico, la palabra chico califica el tamaño de la fruta o sea pequeño. En México que yo sepa, existen con el nombre de zapote cuatro variedades: zapote negro, de ese color en su interior y verde obscuro en la cáscara; zapote blanco, que lo es por dentro y verde claro por fuera; zapote borracho de color café preferentemente por dentro y por fuera, cuya forma se asemeja a la pera y que en su madurez alcanza aproximadamente 15 cm. de altura y por último, el chico-zapote, pequeño y redondo de color café por dentro y por fuera y único de cáscara áspera, pues los anteriores son de cáscara lisa.

Boletín Oficial del Gobierno del Estado de Michoacán que se refiere a la monarda o monardía, desgraciadamente no lo tenemos y tampoco el Magazine de Geografía Nacional.

Espero Mrs. Langram haber satisfecho su solicitud como espero también seguirle sirviendo en lo que usted necesite y este en mi mano.

Atentamente

"POR MI RAZA HABLARA EL ESPIRITU"
México, D. F., 25 de julio de 1962
El Director,



Dr. Gustavo A. Pérez Trejo

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3 de junio de 1958

No. 0-57

Mrs. Ida K. Langman,
3509 Baring St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Muy distinguida señora:

Contesto su apreciable carta del 4 de enero próximo pasado, la cual por mala dirección se encontraba extraviada.

Veo que sufrió usted un error al dirigirse a esta Biblioteca, ya que en su carta mencionada dice que el libro de L. de Berky se encuentra en la Biblioteca Pública del Estado de Sinaloa (Culiacán).

Atentamente,

FERNANDO PESQUEIRA
DIRECTOR
Biblioteca y Museo de Sonora

FP/j.

C.c.p. Dr. H. F. Clive, Library of Congress, Washington,
D.C.

THE AMERICAN PLANT LIFE SOCIETY

U. S. Plant Industry Station,
Beltsville, Maryland 6-18-47

Dear Mrs. Langman, This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of April 18. The genus *Agave* is no longer considered as belonging to the *Amaryllidaceae*, but has been segregated as a separate Family by Hutchinson 1934, Families of Flowering Plants, Vol. II. I would suggest that you write to the Royal Botanical Garden, Kew, England, with reference to the works you mention in your letter. I am sorry that I cannot be of more help to you.

Sincerely yours,

Hamilton P. Traub

HAMILTON P. TRAUB
EDITOR, PLANT LIFE AND HERBERTIA

*Received
April 22 1947*

January 10, 1950.

Miss Ida K. Langman,
2316 Delancey Place,
Philadelphia 3, Pa.

Dear Miss Langman:

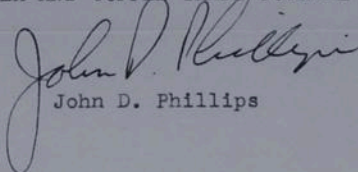
We have your letter of January 6th, addressed to Mr. Ukers. We regret to say that we cannot tell you where you can consult copies of the books listed in your letter. A few of these are here in our library, and we could not possibly let them leave. Others are possibly available in various libraries around the world, and we know that Mr. Ukers in writing his books consulted a number of these in libraries in Europe. It is possible that you may find some in Philadelphia or Washington.

We have been able to make a few corrections in your list and we are enclosing this.

We are sorry not to have been of more assistance to you.

Very truly yours,

THE TEA AND COFFEE TRADE JOURNAL


John D. Phillips

JDP/s



MIDDLE AMERICAN
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19 May 1953

Miss Ida K. Langman
Museum Teacher
The Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia
Nineteenth and the Parkway
Philadelphia 3, Pa.

Dear Miss Langman:

Your letter of 6 May addressed to Miss Brigtsen of the general library has been referred to me as the book in question belongs to our Middle American Research Institute.

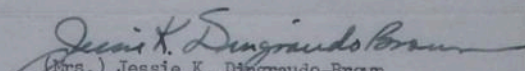
If you wish to borrow our copy of the *BOCABULARIO EN LENGUA TZELDAL* for comparison with the Museum manuscript let me know as soon as possible and I will send it. I am leaving here on 30 June and must have all books back in the library before that time.

Here is a reply to some of your questions:

- 1) Our manuscript is undated. The date 1571 was assigned by Mr. William Gates, the person who made the photostat and from whom we bought it.
- 2) There is no title page. Title: *BOCABULARIO EN LENGUA TZELDAL*, appears as a caption at top of first page of vocabulary.
- 3) The *BOCABULARIO* listed as no. 1689 in Butler's *CHECK LIST OF MANUSCRIPTS IN THE EDWARD E. AYER COLLECTION*, is the same as ours. It was also made by Gates.
- 4) Dr. Alfredo Barrera Vasquez issued a mimeographed article in 1935 stating that Antonio Aguilar is the author of this work. This is based on the note which appears on p. 273 of the manuscript and written in the same hand as the text. It reads: *Fine Coronate Nouillitatur Opus Sub Correctione Santae matris Ecclesiae Fr. Antonius Aguilar Scripsit Ad honorem Dey et BM*
- 5) The last page of our manuscript shows that the original was in the collection of Brasseur de Bourbourg, however, it is not one of the vocabularies included in his *BIBLIOTHEQUE MEXICO-GUATEMALIENNE*.

- 6) We do not know why Mr. Gates assigned this work to Ara. Perhaps it was listed that way when he photostated it. We continue to keep it listed the way it is in the Gates Collection catalog, with a cross reference card under Aguilar. It will require more research to determine the authorship. As Mr. Roys suggests Aguilar may have been only the copyist.
- 7) There is a penciled note in front of our book: Original seen by Ralph L. Roys Summer 1938 in Bancroft Library. We would be interested in knowing to whom Bancroft attributes it. We would appreciate hearing further from you on this matter.

Sincerely yours,


(Mrs.) Jessie K. Dingraudo-Brown
Assistant Librarian



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TULANE UNIVERSITY
NEW ORLEANS 18 • LOUISIANA

25 June 1953

Miss Ida K. Langman
The Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia
Nineteenth and the Parkway
Philadelphia 3, Pa.

Dear Miss Langman:

Thank you for your letter of 3 June. We would appreciate any additional information you turn up on the VOCABULARIO.

The Barrera Vasquez article is: FRAY ANTONIO AGUILAR, *AUTOR EN LENGUA TZENTAL*, New Orleans, 1935. It is only three pages. If you cannot find a copy there we can have it copied for you for about 35 to 50 cents per page.

I do hope you can visit our Institute some time this summer. The library will be open. Mrs. Connie Griffith will be in charge.

Sincerely yours,

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Jessie K. Dingrando-Brown
(Mrs.) Jessie K. Dingrando-Brown
Assistant Librarian

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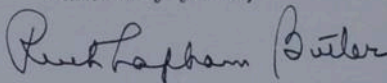
Stanley Pargellis, Librarian
Ruth Lapham Butler, Custodian
The Ayer Collection
June 2, 1953

Miss Ida K. Longman
The Academy of Natural Sciences
19th & The Parkway
Philadelphia 3, Pa.

Dear Miss Longman:

We list the Bocabulario en Lengua Tzeltal under Domingo de Ara with the supplied date of 1571. I am sure that this data was taken from the Gates note on the photograph. We have not changed any of these notes unless we had substantial reason to do so. You are quite right to write to the Bancroft Library if the original is there. It is possible that some linguistic scholar has used it and added to our information.

Sincerely yours,



RLB/d

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

THE BANCROFT LIBRARY
BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA

June 26, 1953

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
Academy of Natural Sciences
Nineteenth and the Parkway
Philadelphia 3, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Langman:

We have the manuscript of the Bocabulario de lengua Tzeltal, which is attributed to Fray Domingo de Ara, Hara, or Lara by Brasseur de Bourbourg, Pinart, and Viñaza. This is evidently the item which Dr. Butler lists under Guzmán. On the page facing the title page are the words: "De consensu superioris habet ad ejus ussum fray Alonso de Guzman." The original text ends with the words " Año de 1616 años. se traslado este bocabulario." *both in 1616*

We have another manuscript of 164 folios, called Bocabulario en Lengua Tzeltal. This is in a different hand from the above and at the end of the vocabulary is the following "Fine Coronate Nouillitatur Opus/ Sub Correctione Sanctae matris. Caleriae/ fr. Antonius Aguilar Scripsit/ ad honorem Rey et B M^{ra}." I do not find a date on it. *Deq*

please
If photostats or microfilms of any parts of these manuscripts would be of help to you we can furnish them at a reasonable cost. We will also be glad to furnish further information or descriptions.

Sincerely yours,

Eleanor Bancroft

(Mrs.) Eleanor Bancroft
Assistant to the Director

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August 23, 1955

Miss Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring St.
Philadelphia 4, Pa.

Dear Miss Langman:

I regret that we have delayed so long in replying to your letter of August 6th, but Mrs. Garcia has been on her vacation and since the letter was addressed to her, it naturally was not opened until her return; hence the delay. I am also sorry that I did not have the opportunity to make your acquaintance while you were here, but hope that my attendants were able to help you.

As for your questions of August 6th, the answers are as follows:

1. Pan American Union. Agriculture and Forestry Series, no. 1. O.F. Cook, The Debt of Agriculture to Tropical America. It was published in 1930 and is a reprint of the same article as appeared in the Bulletin of the Pan American Union of September, 1930.
2. Relaciones del Siglo XVIII relativas a Chihuahua.
a. Guazapares, pp. 29-38 entitled Temoris (Temoris) is signed at the end Frey Buenaventura Jhh. Ferz. de Lis. Sept. 27, 1777.
3. Relaciones de los pueblos de la Provincia de Amula. The four relaciones have the following imprint dates:
Ameca, 1951
Tenamaztlan, 1952
Tuacapuesco y Cusalapa, first published in 1952, republished in 1954
Zapotitlan, 1952.
The author of the original 1579 relacion on Zapotitlan was Francisco Agüero.
4. Relacion de Miguatlan. Mexico, 1952 has 31 pages.

I have read your article in the Memoria del Congreso Científico Mexicano vol. 6, pp. 368-388, with a great deal of interest and I wish you every success in the compilation of a bibliography on Mexican botany. We surely need more bibliographies in all fields of Latin American culture.

In a way I hesitate to pass on to you the following information, but I know that if I were in a similar situation myself I would appreciate receiving it. I note that in the third paragraph on page 371 of your article you state that the "Ensayo de una Carpología" published in the Museo Mexicano, has as the name of the author the initials S.C. (Lleva como nombre del autor solamente las iniciales S. C.) and that the work "Un Ensayo sobre el Cultivo del Maíz en México" al principio, se cita como autor a S.C. These initials S.C. seem to confuse you. Really they are not initials of a person at all. They are abbreviations of the words "se continuará" and are used very often in both newspapers and magazines to indicate the article will be continued.

As to who was the author of the "Ensayo de una Carpología" I cannot say. It is as you state the same in the works of Melchor Ocampo as in the Museo Mexicano.

If we can help you further, please feel free to call on us.

Sincerely yours,

Hettie Bee Benson
Hettie Bee Benson, Librarian, Latin American Collection

THE STANFORD UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES
STANFORD, CALIFORNIA

Oct. 13, 1958

Miss Ida K. Langman
3509 Barenz St.
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

Dear Miss Langman:

In reply to your letter of Aug. 13, 1958
we have two references noted below, they
are available on Interlibrary Loans.

Very truly yours,

Florence Chm
(Mrs.) Florence Chm
Interlibrary Loans

1. Ward, George H. ^{ic}
A cytotaxonomic study of artemisia in
North American. Ph. D. 1952. Stanford Univ.
2. Weidner, Frederick G.
The topography... etc.

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1512 Olin Place
Seattle 2, Washington.

Miss Ida K. Langman,
The Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia,
Nineteenth and the Parkway,
Philadelphia 3, Pa.

Dear Miss Langman:

I only know Sr. A. Barrera Vásquez very slightly, but he is on Carnegie's distribution list as C/o UNESCO, 19 Avenue Kleber, Paris XVIe, France.

He must have published the information you mention somewhere, for I have a vague recollection of a correction of the belief about Ara's authorship.

cite source

Tschudi says
misses
article 1939

I suppose the work you have examined is a Gates reproduction "Bocabulario en Lengua Tzeltal. [1571]," which I find listed in "A check list of manuscripts in the Edward E. Ayer collection" by Dr. Ruth Lapham Butler of the Newberry Library at Chicago. No mention here of any author, nor do I know where Dr. Butler got the "[1571]." The date may be in the MS. She told me that Barrera had given her quite a bit of information regarding various Maya items there.

Tschudi says assigned by Gates.

p. 211

sent

Writing only from recollection, I suppose that is the MS. book in the Bancroft Library.

I suppose your "Sub correcciones ..." notation and "... Antonius Aguilar scripsit ..." must be in the same hand as the rest of the dictionary; otherwise Barrera and you would not have considered him the author. There is, of course, the unlikely possibility that Ant. Aguilar was a copyist of the whole thing. I don't remember seeing Aguilar's name, when I consulted the book rather hastily in 1938 (I suppose that was the year). I might have seen it many years before, when I spent a little more time on the MS., but I don't know now.

Yes
this is best assignment
Ximénez author.
acc to fragments

Tschudi says

I suppose the book was part of the ^{reworked collection} ~~Pinant~~ ^{Pinant} collection, and it is hard to believe that anybody like Pinant wouldn't have noticed this name. I last saw Barrera in Mérida in April 1939, and I may have mentioned the book to him then; but I have never done much with Tzeltal, indeed practically nothing.

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Mexico
Guatemala
etc.

It does seem as though I had seen some notice of a dictionary by Ara; but it might be a reference to this Bancroft MS. I wonder if someone like Remesal or Ximénez doesn't tell about Ara?

DIVISION OF HISTORICAL RESEARCH

DEPARTMENT OF ARCHAEOLOGY

10 FRISBIE PLACE
CAMBRIDGE
MASSACHUSETTS

A wild guess has just occurred to me, but don't take it for more than that: it could be that Fr. Antonio Aguilar has simply been signing the usual corrections, and the whole thing was copied by someone else? I'm not able to make anything out of the Latin note, except that correctio could mean an amendment. I think I have known of other Indian language dictionaries that were amended and enlarged, but which still go under the name of the original compiler. I don't know of any of these.

Besides his Latin treatise, also Tzeltal, on the sacraments, Ana evidently did write some Arte de la Lengua Tzeltal, so the word wall has been written a dictionary, too. It belonged to B. I. Brasseur de B., but I don't know whether or not it finally ended up in the Bancroft. Some of Brasseur's material did, through Pilling. (See Brinton, 1900, Catal. of the Ber. Ling. Coll.) But being in Philadelphia, you will know all about that. The Newberry has Gates' photo of another Tzeltal "Bocabulario" by an Alonso de Guzmán; but I know nothing about that. (244 pp.)

As I write, something comes back to me about my one talk with Barrera; though it might have been with someone else. As I recall, when Gates sold copies of his photos, he kept the provenience of the origin of some of them dark, and as I recall, Barrera had no way of knowing where the original of the Tzeltal Bocabulario was. I told him it must have been the one in the Bancroft, for Dr. Priestly had told me that Gates had been there and had photographed their Tzeltal dictionary. He wasn't too pleased that Gates had sold the photos, without giving the Bancroft any credit for their courtesy. But we should forgive Gates; we all owe him a great debt for making so much material available. Barrera should have been the last to criticize him.

Now about your second question: Your "Domingo Lara" sounds suspiciously like Domingo de Ara's Latin name. His treatise on the sacraments is entitled "Egregium opus fratris Dominici Dehara. ..." (16th cent. no date). It does seem as though he must be the same person. But when you come to "los Indios de Chiapas," I'm not too sure. I do think you are probably right, for Tzeltal was spoken only in the diocese of Chiapas. But, as I vaguely recall, when those Spanish colonials were talking about languages, "Chiapas" was apt to refer to the Chiapaneca language, which was unrelated to the languages of the Maya stock. Of course, this was not always necessarily the case. So there you are!

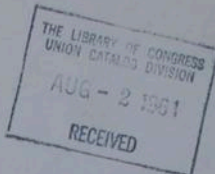
I suggest that you write first to Dr. Hammond, Librarian of the Bancroft, and at the same time to Dr. Ruth L. Butler, at the Newberry Library. (She may have retired, but I don't think so. If so her nice assistant, name I forget, probably has the job.) Then, after you hear what those two have to say, write a letter to Barrera in Paris. Ask him how how Pilling and Bancroft could have made such a mistake as to ascribe the book to Ara. But leave me out of it. (over)

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June 2, 1961

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman:

Mr. Goodrich is on vacation so I shall attempt to answer your letter of May 30.

It is true that NNE is the symbol for this Library, but we do not have any record in our catalog or shelf list, nor is there a volume on the shelf numbered 910 4 V972, and we still are unable to identify the book. I cannot understand there being such an entry in the Union Catalogue. I am sorry that I do not seem to be able to help you.

Sincerely yours,

Ralph H. Phelps
Director

RHP:gw

La vuelta al mundo - viajes interesantes y
novisimos por todos los paises. Madrid, 1866.
Published by Gaspar y Roig.

Columbia University Library has this.

Apparently we mis understood the symbol on our catalog card, which isn't very clear, for NNE instead of NNC. I am sorry for the inconvenience.

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24 July 1950

Miss Ida K. Langman
2316 Delancey Place
Philadelphia 3, Pennsylvania

Dear Miss Langman:

Miss McConnell is on vacation so I have taken the liberty of answering your letter to her. I am also enclosing your letter so that you may see the various notations.

Gomez. Our set incomplete. 1797 is o.k.

Hooker. Text pages 1 - 78.

Lehmann. 51pp plus 1 page for index which is numbered page 52. 4 plates.

Lloyd Brothers. 1923. Dr. John M. Scudder.

Written in pencil on the pamphlet is

Lloyd, C. G. and Lloyd, Uri. Catalog card says.
Curtis Gates Lloyd, John Uri Lloyd.

Murillo. 7 pages. second part (b) we do not have.

Pringle. See attached sheet.

Anales. Our last copy we have is v. 12, no. 6 and dated 1914.

Gomez. Brit. Mus. Cat. Lib. says: Centuria 1.pp [x] 138: 18 pls.
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1800. 4. iv, 130p; 18 tab. Prodiit annis 1797-1800
decem fasciculis.

If we may be of future assistance please write us.

Very truly yours

Elsie Phillips

Elsie Phillips (Mrs. B. F.)
Assistant to the Librarian.

encl.



UNIVERSIDAD DE LA HABANA
FACULTAD DE CIENCIAS
JARDIN BOTANICO
CARLOS III E INFANTA

La Habana, mayo 21 de 1959.

Mrs. Ida K. Langman.
Research Fellow University of Penna.
3509 Baring Street.
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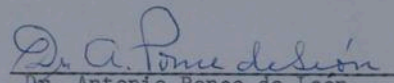
Mi muy distinguida Sra:

He tenido el gusto de recibir su atenta carta fecha 29 p.p. mes de abril, y en vista de ella es para mi grato enviarle, en sobre aparte, un ejemplar de la MEMORIA DEL TERCER SYMPOSIUM DE FARMACOBOTANICA AMERICANA que tuvo lugar en la Habana del 16 al 22 de diciembre de 1956.

Esta publicación se envía gratuitamente a todas las personas interesadas que así lo soliciten, por tanto, no tiene que abonar cantidad alguna.

Le ruego si le es posible haga llegar - mi más afectuoso saludo al Dr. José Cuatrecasas, a quien mucho-estimamos.

Muy atentamente de Ud.


Dr. Antonio Ponce de León.
Director del Jardín Botánico
de la Universidad de La Habana.

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De mi estima:

¿Sería posible que Ud. redactara para "Ciencia y Tecnología" una nota bibliográfica de los "Proceedings of the Seventh International Botanical Congress (1950)", (899 pp.), que teniendo como editores a H. Osvald y E. Aberg acaba de publicar "The Chronica Botanica"? Si pudiera contar con su valiosa colaboración para este fin, me sería muy grato. Por supuesto, le enviaría el volumen.

Aguarda su respuesta y la saluda cordialmente

Cortés Pla, Jefe
Sección Ciencia y Tecnología

Miss Ida K. Langman
3509 Baring Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
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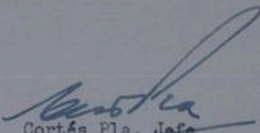
Estimada Srta. Langman:

Acuso recibo de la suya del 16 del corriente y del separado con su artículo sobre Carlos Sartorius y C.A. Purpus, que leí con interés y cuyo envío le agradezco.

Tendré sumo placer en comunicarle cualquier informe o referencia que pudiera obtener en el futuro para lograr la materialización de su proyecto de publicar la biografía botánica de México.

Me sería muy grato contar con su colaboración para "Ciencia y Tecnología" o el servicio de divulgación científica que hacemos con diarios latinoamericanos.

Queda a sus gratas órdenes y la saluda cordialmente


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Sra. Ida K. Langman.
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Estimada Sra. Langman:

Para cumplir con sus deseos no he querido contestar su consulta hasta haber agotado mi información y fuentes. Logrado ésto, procedo a darle los datos que me pidió, haciéndole la salvedad de que los que no logré son indiscutiblemente de escuelas o facultades ajenas a esta Universidad. En cuanto a la tesis de Medicina que Ud. desea, debo informarle que será mejor que se dirija Ud. directamente a la Facultad respectiva al Sr. Calderón, ya que nosotros no podríamos prestarle directamente esta obra y también porque no sé si esté en servicio esa parte del acervo de Medicina.

En cuanto a las demás preguntas, la respuesta es la siguiente:

- 7 ✓ *ask*
1. Cid y Bergman, Manuel. La resinación de los pinos en México. No es de la Unam. No consta en nuestro acervo, ni catálogos.
- ✓ 2. Cortina B. Jaime. Estudio comparativo de las diversas variedades de las semillas y aceite de algodón. Consta de 30 p. numeradas y 4 sin numerar.
- ✓ 3. Leonel Cervantes, Francisco. Estudio sobre las adormideras del Valle de México. Son 24 h. sin numerar.
- 7 ✓ *ask*
4. Mellado, María de los Angeles. Digital. Puebla. Pertenece sin duda a la Universidad de Puebla. No es de la UNAM.
- ✓ *ask*
5. Mier, Ulises. El mezquite. No es de la UNAM. O es de alguna de las Universidades particulares de México, o bien es una tesis de la escuela de Agricultura de Chapingo. No pude comprobar.
- ✓ 6. Rodríguez Leal, Rafael. Explotación industrial de la candelilla. No hay ninguna nota sobre ilustraciones.
- ✓ 7. Samperio, G., Ma. del Consuelo. Estudio sobre la planta Zornia diphilla. El apellido es exactamente así.
- 7 ✓ *ask*
8. Chávez G., M. D. Posibilidades de la utilización de xerofiticas mexicanas. Pertenece a la Facultad de Química Berzelius, Incorporada a la Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México. Es una Facultad particular. En nuestros directorios no figura el Instituto de Investigaciones Tecnológicas a que Ud. se refiere, aunque muy posiblemente esté ligado al Instituto Tecnológico de México, en la Calle de Marina Nacional, Méxi-



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co, D. F.

9. Tiene Ud. razón al pedirme que rectificara o ratificara el apellido del autor de la tesis sobre el campo de perforación de Pemex. Efectivamente, por un lapsus incomprensible, al transcribirlo pasó como Meneses ~~Ponce~~ Ponce; pero la ficha de Ud. estaba correcta. Es Menéndez Ponce.

Hubiera deseado poder localizarle el resto de los datos solicitado, pero no me fué posible, lo que lamento profundamente. Sin embargo, quedo de Ud. atentamente para cualquier otro servicio que pueda proporcionarle.

M. Pérez Poiré
(Srta.) Margarita Pérez Poiré.
Consulta.

Ciudad Universitaria a 28 de marzo de 1960.



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a 13 de noviembre de 1962

Sra. Ida K. Langman
Research Fellow
University of Pennsylvania
Division of Biology
Botanical Laboratory
Philadelphia 4,
E.U.A.

Estimada señora Langman:

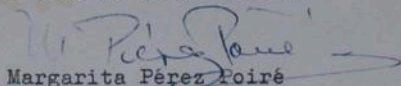
En respuesta a su solicitud del 31 de octubre le envío los datos que usted nos pidió. Desgraciadamente, las catalogaciones antiguas no siempre incluían paginación, de modo que le transcribo la ficha tal como aparece en el catálogo, a sabiendas de que no le va a aclarar su duda sobre el número de páginas:

TENA, Miguel. Informe sobre los vegetales del Estado de Michoacán. Morelia, Imp. Católica, 1892. En 24o. (En su Miscelanea de conferencias de Higiene.)

Espero poder seguir sirviéndola.

Atentamente.

La Jefe de Información.


Margarita Pérez Poiré



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Srita. Ida K. Langman.
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Pensilvania.

Estimada Srita. Langman:

He recibido de parte del Sr. Vélez, quien ahora está en Caracas, trabajando en la Universidad Central, la consulta de Ud. sobre distintos puntos relativos a su trabajo bibliográfico y me he sentido satisfecha de poder hacer algo al respecto, ya que soy una buena amiga de Rafael y además, encargada de la Sala de Consulta de esta biblioteca.

Por tanto, he puesto mi mayor cuidado en satisfacer la solicitud de Ud. y poder enviarle los datos pedidos que son los siguientes:

1. Litmanowitz Russek Swirka, Salomon, es el nombre correcto del autor de la tesis que Ud. cita.

meneses o menendez
2. Meneses Ponce, Hilario. El campo de perforación de Pemex Tancoco No. 3, está en la ciudad del mismo nombre del Estado de Veracruz, cerca de Tuxpan.

3. Valencia R., Josefina. El nombre ^bcorrecto de la substancia usada en el tratamiento de la fibromiomas es el de erilocomina.

En cuanto a los Préstamos interbibliotecarios de las tesis solicitadas, siento decirle que solamente una de ellas fué localizada, que le será enviada tan pronto nos diga Ud. Es la siguiente:

Valdés Gutiérrez, Javier B. Contribución al estudio de la vegetación y de la flora de algunos puntos del norte de México. México, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Facultad de Ciencias, 1957.

No me es posible devolverle la carta porque tenemos que archivarla, pero tampoco creo que sea necesario. Le ruego me in-



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forme lo más rápidamente posible donde lo envíe, si a la misma dirección a la que va esta carta, haciéndose responsable, según reglas establecidas, la biblioteca de su departamento de ese préstamo.

Entretanto me pongo a sus órdenes completamente deseando que no llegue demasiado tarde esta respuesta, ya que apenas ayer me fué entregada la suya.

Atentamente,

Srita. Lic. Margarita Pérez Poiré.
Jefe de la Sección de Consulta.

Ciudad Universitaria, a 26 de febrero de 1960.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF FOREIGN COMMERCE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLY REFER TO:
FC-2410-KER

November 21, 1960

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
Division of Biology
Botanical Laboratory
38th and Woodland Avenue
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman:

With reference to your letter of November 11, 1960, requesting copies of certain U. S. Consular Reports between the years 1896 and 1904, our files do not go back that far, in fact, we only have economic and commercial reports from the Embassy in Mexico City and Consulates for the past few years. Consular reports of the type you mention would have been submitted to the Department of State in those years. It is our guess that such reports, if still maintained, would now be in the National Archives in Washington, D. C. We would suggest that you write to the National Archives to ascertain if they have them and can have copies made for you.

Very truly yours,

Anthony J. Poirier
Anthony J. Poirier
Acting Director
American Republics Division

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Dear Mrs. Longman:

In reply to your inquiry about the issues of GOLDTHWAITE'S GEOGRAPHICAL MAGAZINE which the Union List of Serials indicates that this library holds, we can only report that they must have been discarded at some time and no records have been left. I am sorry that we can not help you on this matter. Our best wishes to you.

Sincerely yours,

J.W. Pollock, Periodicals Dept.
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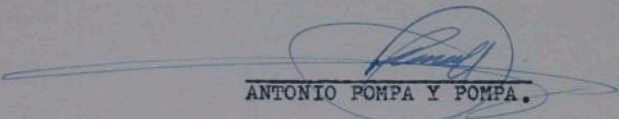
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IDA K. LANGMAN.
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Philadelphia 19104.
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Muy apreciable Dra. Langman:

Recibí su carta del 26 de marzo, así como en paquete postal el ejemplar de su magnífico libro para la Biblioteca del Instituto, cosa que le agradezco luego, y espero haya recibido oportunamente mi carta.

Como no recibí ejemplar para la Biblioteca de la Academia, lo adquirí en American Book Store.

Nuevamente la felicito por su obra y me repito su afectísimo amigo.



ANTONIO POMPA Y POMPA.



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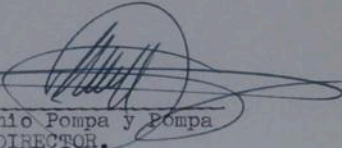
Dra. K. Langman,
c/o Academia de Ciencias
Naturales de Filadelfia.
Nineteenth and the Parkway,
PHILADELPHIA 3, PA.
(U.S.A.)

Muy apreciable Dra. Langman:

Recibí su carta del día 5 de diciembre del año próximo pasado que no contesté oportunamente por haber estado ausente de esta capital.

He quedado muy complacido por la forma en que se le entregó a usted su Diploma y creo que el Sr. Ibarra habrá informado a usted de que se dió -- cuenta con su estudio.

Con saludos afectuosos me repito de - usted atentamente.



Antonio Pompa y Pompa
DIRECTOR.

APP/jpv.

1722 N.W. 2nd Ave

Gainesville, Fla. 12 Oct 1961

Dear Mrs Langman:

I am sorry I cannot give you the exact citation you need. The Pan American Union in its "Bulletin" - in Spanish I am sure, perhaps also in English - had a paper I wrote on the Aguacate, back about 1927 or 1928, and this was reprinted in several journals in Latin America. Can not the Pan American Union go through their files and give you the exact citation? I published nothing new in "Tierra Agrícola" or "El Agricultor". It must be they copied the paper from the Pan Am Bulletin, - and at that time they were running a series of publications in Spanish in which appeared my paper on the aguacate and one on the mango.

Sincerely

Wilson Perena

this is address
Antigua, Guatemala, 9 December 1960

Mrs Ida K. Langman
Division of Biology
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia.

Dear Mrs. Langman:

Your letter of 4 November 4 came over here from the Escuela Agricola Panamericana in Honduras, from which I have been retired for three years.

Answering your question, The paper to which you refer in the First Report of the California Avocado Association was indeed properly signed by my father F.O.Popenoe. 1915. I was pretty young at that time but had already begun to write on horticultural subjects. It soon appeared that confusion - as in your case - was caused by the close similarity of "F.O." and "F.W.Popenoe". About that time my father began to retire and wrote little. I prepared articles on numerous tropical fruits for L H Bailey's "Standard Cyclopedia of Horticulture" and signed them "F W Popenoe" (you will still find them that way).

In 1913 I joined the U S Dept of Agriculture under David Fairchild, head of the Office of Foreign and Seed and Plant Introduction as it was then called. He told me "I used to sign my name D C Fairchild". I now sign it "David Fairchild" and I think it sounds better. "Why dont you switch over to "Wilson Popenoe". So there I am. J'yssuh j'y reste. Maybe my French is not as good as it was 50 years ago but I am still signing "Wilson Popenoe" and I never sign "Dr Wilson Popenoe".

Sincerely,

Wilson Popenoe
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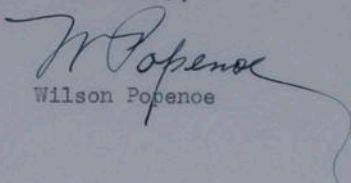
Mrs Ida K Langman,
2316 Delanöey Place,
Philadelphia 3, Penna.

Dear Mrs Langman:

Your letter of the 4th has just come. I did not receive the previous one, and am glad to have all the information you now give. But I am afraid we cannot offer you anything here, at the moment. In the field of botany, we have Dr Louis O. Williams permanently with us, which takes care of all our needs. Our teaching staff is complete for the new school year which begins next month.

Your qualifications seem very excellent, and I should think there must be an opportunity for you down here somewhere. You might write Dr V C Dunlap, Director of Research, Tela Railroad Co (subsidiary of United Fruit Co.) at La Lima, Honduras; and I wonder if you have probed the possibilities with the Office of Foreign Agrl Relations of the U S Department of Agriculture? Dr Ross E Moore is the man to approach there.

Sincerely,


Wilson Popence



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Abril 24, 1961

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
University of Pennsylvania
Division of Biology
Dept. of Botany
Philadelphia 4, Pa.

Apreciada señora:

En respuesta a su carta de Abril 18, 1961, lamentamos informarle que el trabajo de Francois Chevalier y Francois Huguet que usted menciona en ella, no ha sido publicado por la Academia. Tampoco sabemos en que revista o libro haya sido publicado.

Esperamos poder prestarle una mejor ayuda en alguna ocasión futura.

Atentamente,

Academia Colombiana de Historia
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Mrs. Ida K. Langman
2316 Delancey Place
Philadelphia 3, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman:

I am very sorry that our tentative appointment never resulted in a meeting. We have greatly appreciated your interest in our work. Unfortunately, for the time being, our staff arrangements do not permit us to hire a person of your qualifications. However, I would greatly appreciate your keeping in touch with us against the possibility that developments in the near future should permit us to use your services.

Fraternally yours,

J. S. Potofsky
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October 4, 1944.

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
2316 Delancey Place
Philadelphia 3, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Langman:

I am glad to have your letter of September 29th and to learn of your interest in Latin-American relations. We need all the friends we can gather to implement President Roosevelt's Good Neighbor Policy.

I shall be glad to see you some Saturday morning after the election. If you will advise me when you are coming in, my secretary will tell you whether the date is satisfactory.

Fraternally yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Jacob S. Potofsky". Below the signature, the word "CHAIRMAN" is printed in a simple, sans-serif font.
CHAIRMAN

JSP;g



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19 October, 1959

Mrs. Ida K. Longman
3509 Baring St.
Philadelphia 4, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Longman:

The University of Arizona Library does have the Boletin of the Universidad Nacional de Mexico between 1917 and 1921, lacking 1920, no.1. We should be glad to send it to the University of Pennsylvania Library as an interlibrary loan.

If possible please refer to particular articles or sections that you need so that we can check to make sure they are present before the volumes are sent.

Sincerely yours,

Donald M. Powell
Head, Reference Dept.

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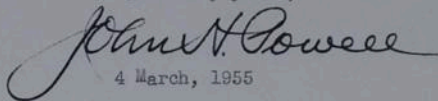
JOHN H. POWELL

Dear Mrs. Langman,

It was very kind of you to send me such a thoughtful and encouraging letter during the time I was sitting in for Steve Allison at his nightly program over WEN. I was very grateful for it, and I hope you will forgive me for being so long in acknowledging your courtesy. I have no secretary, and the enormous amount of mail I received has quite swamped me.

I wish the Academy well, and I hope all the measures you suggest for increasing its attendance will be adopted by the schools, the PTC, and the Academy itself.

Faithfully yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John H. Powell". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the date.

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I wish to thank you so much for your last letter with its splendid description of your work in teaching lessons at the Academy. Particularly, am I grateful for your considerate telegram informing me that you must withdraw your candidacy for this helped me solve my dilemma in which I was hard put to decide between you and two others.

I did not answer your letter as promptly as I might have wished for I was in the process of "sounding out" board members concerning your age. It appeared that there was a slight reluctance in that respect. Interestingly enough, you will be pleased to learn that your religious affiliation would have had no bearing on the selection; or, more honestly said, would have been, I firmly believe, an asset. I was reluctant to ask you here to meet the board or to interview me (or for me to interview you) until I knew positively age would not be a controlling factor.

How fortunate I would have been to have had one with your splendid background. You must know, of course, that you are held in the highest regard by your employers. Their comments concerning you were most lengthy and exceedingly flattering.

I look forward to meeting you in the future at one of the many meetings we both attend.

Thank you for considering our opening. Enclosed find your clippings and reprints.

Most sincerely yours,


Kenneth W. Prescott, Director

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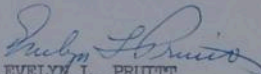
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ONR:414:ELP:jh
3 December 1959

Mrs. Ida K. Langman
University of Pennsylvania
Botanical Laboratory
Philadelphia 4, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Langman:

I regret that we are unable to supply the report by Dr. Jonathan Saur that you requested. Possibly the author has a spare copy. He can be reached at the Botany Department, University of Wisconsin, Madison 6, Wisconsin.

Sincerely yours,


EVELYN L. PRUITT
Head, Geography Branch

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Gilbert H. Siegelberg
Star Route, Box 456
Lucerne Valley, Cal.

Nueva York, N. Y., 21 de mayo de 1962

Sra. Ida Langman
248 Harvey St.
Philadelphia 44. Pa., U. S. A.

Estimada y fina amiga:

Acabo de tener el gusto de recibir, de México, la apreciable carta de usted, fechada el 6 de marzo último, por la cual he quedado enterado de la fuerte nevada que cayó en Philadelphia en ese día.

En octubre de 1961 renuncié a la dirección de la Hemeroteca Nacional de México para jubilarme; desde entonces me he dedicado a viajar con mi esposa. Ahora me tiene usted aquí de paso para Chicago, Ill.

¡Cuánto he sentido no haber podido complacerla acerca de los datos que usted me pide en dicha misiva! Por otra parte, me ha dado mucho gusto saber que su bibliografía, que probablemente será ya casi exhaustiva, pronto la terminará.

Reciba usted mis recuerdos afectuosos y mis mejores deseos por su bienestar.

Su amigo y servidor que mucho la estima,

J. F. Carrasquero

Jan. 16, 1961

Dear Mrs. Langman

The only mention of Lower California in the Union of Feb. 9, 1883 takes place in reference to two shipwrecks. One is the wreck of the sloop Annie Heron of San Diego, Timothy O'Riordan, Master. The other is the wreck of the schooner Amelia of San Francisco, James A. Posey, Master. Are you interested in either of these items? Or could your date be wrong?

Sincerely,

(Mrs.) Zelma Locker

Senior Librarian
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México, D. F., 16 de enero de 1961

Sra. Ida K. Langaman,
Department of Botany,
University of Pennsylvania;
Philadelphia 4, Pa., U. S. A.

Estimada y fina Profra. Langman:

Acabo de recibir la lista de los 73 trabajos de la obra "Biblioteca Botánico Mexicana" de Nicolás León, en cuya localización está usted interesada, según su atento recado. Muchas gracias por el envío.

Ya procuro localizar algunos de los citados trabajos de esta interesante relación. Entretanto, tengo el gusto de incluirle, anexo, la parte primera del artículo "Plantas Medicinales de las Provincias Internas de Sonora y Ostimuri"; debido a la pluma del doctor en medicina e historiador Fernando Ocaranza.

Mis respetos y saludos afectuosos.

Raf. Carrasco Puente
Rafael Carrasco Puente

28. GUTIERREZ, Primo. Cultivo del café en la municipalidad de Tuxtla.

(La Agricultura, n. 2: 1, sin fecha.)

(Díaz Mercado, Joaquín.-Bibliografía General de Estado de Veracruz, t. I, p. 115. México, DAPP, 1937).

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Sra. Ida Langman
3509 Barentz St.,
Philadelphia 4, Pa.
U. S. A.

Distinguida y fina amiga:

Perdone usted que hasta hoy tenga el gusto de contestar sus apreciables cartas de 21 de marzo último y de 20 de mayo próximo pasado. Estuve fuera de México, después hubo vacaciones y esas fueron las causas del retraso, cosa que siento verdaderamente por el interés que he tenido de servir a usted.

En la Hemeroteca Nacional he visto el Boletín de la Sociedad Botánica de México, el número 23, de diciembre de 1958, en donde aparece el trabajo de usted intitulado Noticias Adicionales para una bibliografía sobre la vegetación de Chiapas, en donde no encontré mencionadas las obras de Casiano Conzatti y la Carpología Mexicana, por Mariano Barcena y otros de sus trabajos. De esta última, me permito acompañar a esta carta la ficha correspondiente.

Acerca de la pregunta número 2, siento comunicarle a usted que no fue posible sacar la copia fotostática de El Tiempo, de 1896, que desea, en virtud de que la hoja de dicho periódico mide 50 x 70 centímetros y no alcanza la máquina para sacar la reproducción correspondiente; pero, en cambio, mandé sacar dos copias a máquina, que asimismo le envío anexas.

En lo que respecta a la pregunta 3, o sea la del "Instructor", de Aguascalientes, de los años de 1892 y 1893, en donde aparece lo relativo a las nociones de Carpología y Carpología Higiénica, por don Jesús Díaz de León, tengo el agrado de remitir a usted con estas letras las dos notas correspondientes.

Con el deseo de que usted se conserve bien, me despedido quedando suyo, como siempre, afectísimo amigo y servidor

Rafael Carrasco Puente
Rafael Carrasco Puente



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México, D. F., 12 de marzo de 1959

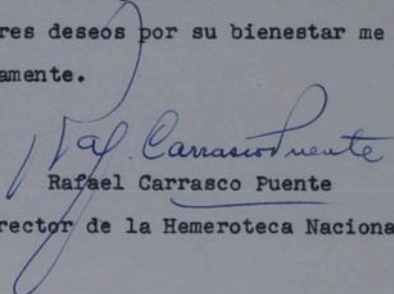
Sra. Ida K. Langman,
3509 Barenq St.,
Philadelphia 4, Pa.,
U. S. A.

Estimada y fina amiga:

En respuesta a su apreciable carta de 26 de febrero último, tengo el gusto de incluir con la presente las hojitas que usted se sirvió enviarme para anotar la paginación de algunas de las publicaciones que usted consultó en la Hemeroteca Nacional.

También me es grato enviarle, anexas, las papeletas donde aparecen los datos que usted solicita.

Con mis mejores deseos por su bienestar me despido de usted afectuosamente.


Rafael Carrasco Puento

Director de la Hemeroteca Nacional



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México, D. F., 3 de febrero de 1959

Sra. Ida Langman,
3509 Baring Street,
Powelton Village,
Philadelphia 4, Penn., U. S. A.

Con su apreciable carta de 16 de enero último tuve el gusto de recibir sus cuatro fichas, que me es grato devolver a usted anexas. Además le remito otras cuatro en las que aparecen ratificadas y rectificadas las que se sirvió enviarme. Antes no le contesté su misiva por haber estado ausente de México.

Sin pena alguna dígame en qué podemos servirla y gustosamente colaboraremos con usted en lo que esté a nuestro alcance.

Todos los de aquí retornamos a usted sus saludos afectuosos.

Atentamente

Raf. Carrasco Fuente
Rafael Carrasco Fuente

Director de la Hemeroteca Nacional

OCHO ANEXOS



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México, D. F., 23 de febrero de 1954

Sra. Ida Langman,
35 Baring Street,
Philadelphia 4, Pa.- U. S. A.

Distinguida señora:

El joven Roberto Estrada, quien presta sus servicios en la Hemeroteca Nacional y alguna vez le hizo a usted algunos trabajos a máquina, me comunicó que usted tenía en prensa una importante Bibliografía Botánica de México, obra que tengo gran interés en conocer. Le ruego sea tan amable de informarme si ya la dió a la estampa, con objeto de adquirir un ejemplar para la institución a mi cargo.

¿Cuándo piensa usted volver a México?

Aprovecho esta oportunidad para saludarla con el afecto de siempre.

Su amigo y atento servidor,

Rafael Carrasco Puente

Director de la Hemeroteca Nacional



México, D. F., 23 de febrero de 1950

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Sra. Iva K. Langman
2316 Delancey Place
Philadelphia 3. Pa.-U. S. A.

Estimada y fina señora:

Perdone usted que hasta ahora dé respuesta a su amable carta de 13 del actual, pero es que ayer la recibí por haber estado ausente de México.

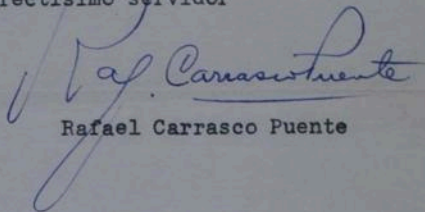
Como siempre, le aseguro que para mí no es ninguna molestia servir a usted, al contrario, me da mucho gusto tener la oportunidad de hacerlo.

El nombre del joven que trabaja conmigo en la Oficina y de quien usted no recuerda el apellido, es ROBERTO ESTRADA LOPEZ; él, con agrado, me hizo favor de proporcionarme los dos volúmenes que contienen los informes que lleva esta carta.

El amable Dr. Manuel Mestre Ghigliazza, el coronel Manuel Vázquez Cadena, Roberto Estrada López y los demás empleados que tuvieron el placer de tratar a usted durante su estancia en la Hemeroteca, y el suscrito, retornamos cariñosamente los recuerdos de usted.

Para su esposo también un saludo.

Quedo de usted afectísimo servidor

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Raf. Carrasco Puente', written in a cursive style. The signature is positioned above the printed name.

Rafael Carrasco Puente

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Octubre 14 de 1.959

Sra. Ida K. Longman
Botanical Laboratory
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia 4, Pa.

Estimada señora Longman:

Tengo el gusto de acusar recibo a su carta de 8 de octubre a la que correspondemos para informarle que hemos referido su solicitud a Laboratorios Picot, S. A. de México de quienes oportunamente recibirá usted informes sobre la publicación a que hace referencia en su carta.

Sin otro particular somos de usted,

Muy atentamente,

LABORATORIOS PICOT DE COLOMBIA, S. A.



Rodolfo Quiñones

RQ/laa.