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To: _____

FLORA NEOTROPICA

Editor:
Clark T. Rogerson

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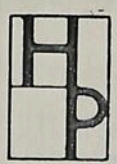
FLORA NEOTROPICA

Monograph No. 6

TREMELLALES

by

Bernard Lowy



Published for

Organization for Flora Neotropica

by

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NEWS AND NOTES

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR FLORA NEOTROPICA, NOVEMBER 22 - 27, 1971

The Organization for Flora Neotropica held its annual meeting (the fifth) of the Executive Board in Mexico over the period November 22 - 27, 1971. Board members present were: José Cuatrecasas (Director of Cormophytes); Ramón Ferreyra, President; Oswald Fidalgo (Director of Cryptogams substituting for Alcides Teixeira); Efraín Hernández X., Secretary; and Bassett Maguire, Executive Director. Commission Members in attendance were: Walter H. Hodge, Rogers McVaugh and Arturo Gómez Pompa. Dr. Hodge acted also as special observer for the National Science Foundation, Washington, D.C.; Ricardo Almeida of the Colegio Superior de Agricultura Tropical, Cárdenas, Tabasco, Mèxico, also attended sessions as observers. These meetings were supported by funds made available by UNESCO.

Six major items of interest and business occupied most of the attention of the meetings:

1. *Elections.* By results of Commission ballot, new Board members, as follows, were elected for terms of six years: José Cuatrecasas, F. Raymond Fosberg, Ramón H. Ferreyra, Efraím Hernandez X. and Guido F. J. Pabst. By action of the Executive Board the following officers were designated for terms of three years: José Cuatrecasas, President; Guido F. J. Pabst, Vice-President; F. Raymond Fosberg, Treasurer; Efraím Hernández X., Continuing members of the Board are: Angel L. Cabrera, Josef Lanjouw, Bassett Maguire and Alcides R. Teixeira.

Dr Rogers McVaugh was elected by the Board to succeed Dr. Cuatrecasas as Director of Cormophytes.

2. *Publications.* Monograph No. 6, Tremellales, of 160 pages, by Bernard Lowy, bearing publication date of October 1971, was presented to the Board. The further schedule, with Spring target date for publication, was announced. Monograph no. 7, C. C. Berg, Olmedieae - Brosimeae; Monograph no. 8, P. J. M. Maas, Zingiberaceae; Monograph no. 9, Ghillean T. Prance, Chrysobalanaceae; Monograph no. 10, Ghillean T. Prance, Dichapetalaceae, and Monograph no. 11, Ghillean T. Prance, Rhabdodendraceae.

3. The Board was informed as to progress made in efforts by The Organization for Flora Neotropica for attainment of affiliation, Class C, with UNESCO, and the participation of OFN in that most important developing program of UNESCO, MAN AND THE BIOSPHERE.

4. Instructive sessions were held with administrators, staff and students at the Graduate College of the Escuelo Nacional of the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (México City); the Colegio Superior de Agricultura Tropical (Cárdenas, Tabasco, México); and the Comision del Grijalva (Villahermosa, Tabasco, México), on the work of The Organization for Flora Neotropica and its involvement with matters of environmental and natural resources problems.

The Organization for Flora Neotropica received official invitation from various agencies of government and university to assist in the formulation of programs directed toward problems related to natural resources, inventory, conservation and land management.

5. Annual Meeting. São Paulo, Brazil, was selected as the site of the next

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Dr. Lowy:

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SCHEDULE OF MONOGRAPH SERIES

		Monographer	Subject	Estimated Printed Pages	Publication
1968	*	Richard S. Cowan	Swartzia	228	May, 1968
1970	**	C. C. Berg	Moraceae (Olmedieae)	150	
	*	José Cuatrecasas	Brunelliaceae	188	Aug., 1970
	**	Bernard Lowy	Tremellales	160	
	**	P. J. M. Maas	Zingerberaceae (Costoideae)	150	
	**	Ghillean T. Prance	Chrysobalanaceae	400	
	*	Rolf Singer	Omphalinae)	84	Oct., 1970
			Phaecollybia)	13	
			Strobilomycetaceae)	34	
1971	**	C. C. Berg	Moraceae (Brosimeae)	100	
		A. C.de Roon	Marcgraviaceae	150	
		Jesús Idrobo	Marantaceae	140	
		David Lellinger	Ferns (pts.)		
		P. J. M. Maas	Zingerberaceae (continuation)		
		Thomas Morley	Melastomataceae (Mouririae)	100	
	**	Ghillean T. Prance	Dichapetalaceae	100	
	***	Lyman B. Smith	Bromeliaceae (Pitcairnioideae)	1400	
		Thomas R. Soderstrom	Gramineae (Olyreae)	100	
		Peter Taylor	Lentibulariaceae	150	

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1972	Caroline K. Allen	Lauraceae (pt.)		
	Leandro Aristeguieta	Annonaceae		
	A. Aubreville	Sapotaceae		
	Victor Badillo	Caricaceae	150	
	Armando Dugand	Bignoniaceae	250	
		Polygonaceae (pt.)	50	
	Arthur Exell and Clive A. Stace	Combretaceae	200	
	Alvaro Fernández	Violaceae	150	
	Oswaldo Fidalgo and M. E. P. K. Fidalgo	Polyporaceae (pt.)		
	Frits Jonker	Burmanniaceae	100	
	Tetsuo Koyama	Cyperaceae	1000	
	Bassett Maguire	Rapateaceae	125	
		Abolbodaceae	50	
		Clusiaceae (Moronoboideae)	50	
	Ghillean T. Prance	Caryocaraceae	50	
	André Robyns	Bombacaceae	200	
	Clark T. Rogerson	Hypocreales		
	Velva Rudd	Leguminosae (Sophoreae)	250	
	Lyman B. Smith	Bromeliaceae (continuation)		
	Frank White	Ebenaceae	150	
1973	João Furtado	Ganodermoideae	150	
	Velva Rudd	Leguminosae		
		(Aeschynomeninae)	250	
		(Ptirocarpeae)	150	
		(Machaerium)	150	

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1973	Herman Sleumer	Ericaceae Vacciniaceae Flacourtiaceae		
	A. C. Smith	Monimiaceae		
	Lyman B. Smith	Bromeliaceae (continuation)		
1974	Patricia Holmgren	Turneraceae		
	Hiroshi Inoue	Plagiochilaceae	100	
	Tetsuo Koyama	Liliaceae	300	
	John T. Mickel	Schizaeaceae Polypodiaceae Diplazium	150 400	
	Elaine Norman	Buddleia		
	Peter Raven	Onagraceae	150	
	Julian A. Steyermark	Rubiaceae	1000	
1975	Angel L. Cabrera	Mutisieae		
	Howard S. Irwin	Cassia	500	
	Ghillean T. Prance	Lecythidaceae	500	
	Gary L. Smith	Polytrichaceae	200	
	John J. Wurdack	Melastomataceae (Blakeae)	250	
1976	Lincoln Constance and Mildred Mathias	Umbelliferae		
	Willem Meijer	Tiliaceae		
	John T. Mickel	Polypodiaceae (Elaphoglossum)	500	

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April 29, 1971

MEMORANDUM TO: Prospective Monographers

FROM: Bassett Maguire

SUBJECT: Schedule for Preparation of Monographs

Dear Colleagues:

The attached Document no. 30, represents the third such listing that has been sent to the preparators of monographs for Flora Neotropica. The present listing indicates information at present available in my office.

It is now desirable further to update the record so as to have as accurate a report as possible to offer the Mexico Meeting of the Organization for Flora Neotropica scheduled for the latter part of this year.

Won't you, therefore, please examine the titles and dates of the entry for yourself. If there is reason to modify either, please inform my office promptly. Indicate the delimitation of taxa proposed and the approximate number of species to be presented.

This memorandum is being sent to Board and Commission Members with the plea to all of you to assist in this essential scheduling for the preparation of monographs of Flora Neotropica. Especially I would urge that all Members of the Commission examine his own work plans and his knowledge of the competence of others so that a greater participation in planning and preparation for the monographic series may become a part of the activity of all of you.

You must realize that the real success of the Organization for Flora Neotropica lies in your hands.

Sincerely,

Bassett Maguire

Bassett Maguire
Executive Director
Organization for Flora Neotropica

BM:dz
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January 4, 1972

Mr. Jacques Strauss
Hafner Publishing Company, Inc.
866 Third Avenua
New York, N.Y. 10022

Dear Mr. Strauss:

I have an immediate need for 12 additional copies of my monograph No. 6, "Tremellales," in Flora Neotropica.

I would appreciate your kindness in having these sent to me as soon as possible. Please bill me at the author's discount and direct the bill to the Botany Department.

Sincerely yours,

Bernard Lowy
Professor of Botany

Received: 2-II [$105.52]

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866 Third Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022

December 17, 1971

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Professor of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Dr. Lowy:

In answer to your letter dated 12/14/71 your 20 copies were mailed from our warehouse in Riverside. Regarding the royalties; as per our contract with the Organization for Flora Neotropica, c/o The New York Botanical Garden, Bronx, N. Y. 10458 royalties are paid only to the Organization at a rate of 25% of net retail price. You may check with the Organization concerning this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Pam Onofrietti

Pam Onofrietti (Mrs)
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DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

December 14, 1971

Miss Pam Onofrietti
Hafner Publishing Company, Inc.
866 Third Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10022

Dear Miss Onofrietti:

Thank you for your letter of November 30. I notice that you are in the "Royalties and Rights" section, so it seems appropriate to direct this question to you. Since I have not been previously informed of this, could you tell me what the usual arrangement is regarding royalties to authors ?

I have not yet received the 20 copies promised to me and mentioned by Mr. Strauss in his December 6 letter. Mr. Strauss indicated then that the copies were "already processed!" If they are to be sent from the warehouse in Riverside, would you be good enough to phone them and inquire about this for me ? I would appreciate your kindness in writing to me on these questions.

Sincerely yours,

B. Lowy

Bernard Lowy
Professor of Botany

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866 Third Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022

November 30, 1971

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Dept. of Botany & Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Dr. Lowy:

This letter is to inform you about the publication of your book TREMELLALES. We released the book today and hope to experience good sales in the future. I have requested your 20 copies from our warehouse in Riverside, New Jersey. They will ship the copies directly to you. I think you will be pleased with the results and want to let you know its been a pleasure working with you.

Best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

Pam Onofrietti

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DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

December 2, 1971

Mr. Jacques Strauss
Hafner Publishing Company, Inc.
866 Third Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10022

Dear Mr. Strauss:

Thank you for returning my original drawings and maps used in Monograph No. 6 of "Flora Neotropica." Your careful wrapping assured that they would arrive undamaged.

Enclosed is a copy of a letter I received from Dr. Clark Rogerson indicating that Mr. Lubrecht and Dr. Maguire have agreed to send me 20 copies of my monograph. I want to thank Mr. Lubrecht for this consideration. I expect to use these as presentation copies for overseas colleagues and would greatly appreciate receiving these at your earliest convenience.

I also anticipate the need for additional copies in future and would like to know whether I may purchase such copies as I may require, at a preferential discount.

Sincerely yours,

B. Lowy

Bernard Lowy
Professor of Botany

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December 6, 1971

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany & Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Dr. Lowy:

Thank you for your letter of December 2, 1971. I'm pleased to hear that our package arrived safely into your hands. We have already processed the twenty copies promised to you by Dr. Rogerson's letter. As for further copies you may at any time purchase them at the author discount of 32%.

Sincerely yours,

Jacques Strauss

Jacques Strauss
Manufacturing Director

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November 30, 1971

Doctor Bernard Lowy
Dept. of Botany and Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Re: Request for original material, manuscripts, illustrations, and maps for Flora Neotropica Monograph Number 6.

Dear Dr. Lowy:

Please find enclosed the original illustrations and maps for Flora Neotropica #6 . The original manuscript is with the printer where it will remain, therefore we can not comply with your request.

If you have any further requests please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely yours,

Jacques Strauss

Jacques Strauss
Manufacturing Director

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November 23, 1971

Dr. B. Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Under separate cover we are sending the second copy of the manuscript which you had sent to us, plus one copy each of galley-proof and page-proof. I sincerely hope that Mr. Lubrecht will make certain that the original materials are returned to you.

Sincerely,

Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
Flora Neotropica

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November 16, 1971

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany & Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Because you have been so patient with the long delays of getting your paper published in Flora Neotropica, Mr. Lubrecht and Dr. Maguire have agreed that you should get 20 free copies of Monograph Number 6. These will be sent directly to you from Hafner.

I have reminded (enclosed copy) Mr. Lubrecht that you want the original material returned to you. I have reminded him that this information was relayed to him in my letter of 19 July.

On hand here are two copies of the manuscript, one is the second copy that you sent, one is a xerox copy that we made here; also xerox copies of the maps, copies of galley-proofs and of page-proofs (without illustrations). If you want any of this, let me know.

You should be hearing from Dumont regarding the specimens which you identified.

Sincerely,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
Flora Neotropica

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November 16, 1971

Mr. Harry Lubrecht
Hafner Publishing Company
866 3rd Avenue
New York, New York 10022

Dear Harry:

As indicated in my letter of 19 July 1971 to you, Dr. Lowy wants all of the original material, manuscripts, illustrations and maps, for Flora Neotropica Monograph Number 6 returned to him. We do not have any of the original material here.

Sincerely,

Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
Flora Neotropica

CTR:JT

cc: Dr. B. Lowy

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19-XI-1971

Dear Clark:

Of the material that you indicate you have on hand, I would like to have: the manuscript (not the xerox copy); galley-proofs and page-proofs (if these are not copies). Thank you for calling Mr. Lubrecht's attention to my request for the return of all original materials submitted.

I want especially to thank Dr. Maguire and Mr. Lubrecht for their consideration in agreeing to send me 20 copies of the monograph.

I have just received acknowledgement from Dr. Dumont of the receipt of the lists and specimens of identified collections and I have returned to him the additional numbers that he requested.

Cordially,

Bernt

B. Lowy

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November 5, 1971

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Enclosed is a copy of Flora Neotropica Monograph No. 6. It will be published November 8, 1971. You should receive 10 copies directly from Hafner Publishing copmany. Let me know if these do not reach you within a reasonable time.

Best wishes,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
Flora Neotropica

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DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY AND PLANT PATHOLOGY

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT PATHOLOGY

November 11, 1971

Dear Clark:

Thank you for sending me a copy of the "Tremellales." I hope there will be no problem about the return of the original manuscript and all illustrations and maps, a matter I mentioned some time ago. I think I also indicated that I am willing, if necessary, to pay any mailing expenses for the return of these materials. I anticipate the need for at least 20 personal copies of the monograph to send to overseas colleagues. I would like to know whether I may have these additional copies at a special rate.

Several weeks ago, I returned to you the collections of Dumont and Korf which I identified (your Loans C-1654 and C-1655) but have no acknowledgement yet of your receipt of these. Would you please check to see whether you have received the unicates and the list of my identifications

Cordially,

Bonnie

~~B. Lowy~~

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14-X-1971.

This AM Clark Rogerson phoned me from the NYBG to say that the only thing now holding up publication of the monograph is a photo of the author, which has been lost or misplaced by the printer. I put another

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July 22, 1971

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Louisiana State University
Department of Botany
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Berney:

Enclosed are two (2) copies of the INDEX to the MONOGRAPH.

Please correct and return one (1) copy to me.

Sincerely yours,

Clark T. Rogerson ldm

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Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
NORTH AMERICAN FLORA

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July 14, 1971

Dr. B. Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Enclosed you will find proofs (2 copies) for the legends and for page 20 with the symbols. Please correct and return one copy to me.

It certainly was a pleasure to talk with you and to learn about your activities.

Sincerely,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
Flora Neotropica

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May 24, 1971

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Your letter of 18 May, the corrected page-proof and the Indices arrived last week. We have transferred all corrections to the master page-proof and forwarded it to Mr. Lubrecht.

I sincerely hope that you have a wonderful summer and I will look forward to receiving any hypocrealean fungi that you might be able to collect.

Sincerely,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
Flora Neotropica

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May 24, 1971

Mr. Harry Lubrecht
Vice-President
Hafner Publishing Company
866 3rd Avenue
New York, New York 10022

Dear Harry:

Enclosed you will find corrected page-proof of the text to Flora Neotropica Monograph Number 6 (Lowy), copy for the Index (36 pages), and the master galley-proof.

Please note that the actual date of release is to be inserted at the bottom of cover 1 plus an additional insertion centered underneath. Please note that the map should be inserted on cover 1.

Please check cover 2 for date of copyright, for the address, and for the Library of Congress catalog number.

Page 20 was missing in the master cppy of the page-proof. A copy from the author's copy has been inserted since some special characters need to be included.

We have not seen proofs for the illustrations as yet.

Dr. Lowy leaves for the field on June 5.

Sincerely,

Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
Flora Neotropica

CTR:JT
Enc.

cc: Dr. B. Maguire
Dr. B. Lowy

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DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY AND PLANT PATHOLOGY

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT PATHOLOGY

May 18, 1971

Dear Clark:

The corrected page proof and indices are enclosed. Judging from the performance of the printer to date, I prefer not to think of the interval that is likely to elapse before this is published.

On the other hand, I am grateful to you and Dr Maguire for your expeditious handling of the manuscript and to you in particular, Clark, for assistance that has gone beyond the ordinary routine.

I plan to leave Baton Rouge on June 5 and in the unlikely event that the remainder of the proof should arrive before that time, I know that you will notify me directly. As I explained in our telephone conversation, I shall be on the road much of the time, collecting in Guatemala and El Salvador, so that my "headquarters" will be changing frequently. But I shall check at the American Embassy in Guatemala City, probably about the middle of June and also at the Embassy in San Salvador somewhat later (throughout most of July, I expect to be in El Salvador) should you have any pertinent news to foward to me. My return will be in stages through Mexico and I'll leave for home from Mexico City about August 15. I plan to return earlier than usual this year because my daughter will be making preparations to leave for Iowa, where she will be an entering Freshman at Grinnell College.

With best regards, .

Sincerely,

B. Lowy

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Called Mr. Harry Lubrecht 16-II-71.
He asked me to call back callback tomorrow, said he does not have the necessary info at hand.

17-II. Mr. L. said he would try to call Edinburgh to straighten out details of publication 1-202-935-2818

Called Mr. Lubrecht 29-IV-71.
He "does not know" why the delay has been so long. He will call the printer and report to me. A U.S. printer has been found; meanwhile Mr. L. says the old one has $25,000. worth of work still in his hands.

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Dr. Dowd

Harry Lubrache

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July 19, 1971

B. Lowy
Botany Department
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Sir,

We are returning your original plates as we will not be needing them any further.

We acknowledge your desire to have your manuscript returned. It is the policy of this office to retain published manuscripts for one year. Yours will be returned to you sometime in 1972.

Thank you.

Cordially,

Donna Abrams

Donna Abrams
Publications Office

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May 6, 1971

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany & Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Enclosed is the page-proof for FLORA NEOTROPICA Monograph No. 6. You will immediately notice that we still do not have the illustrations. Blank pages amongst the page-proof pages indicate the position of the illustrations. The corrections already indicated on the proofs are those of the printer.

No explanation has been forthcoming as to why we still do not have the illustrations. I hope that they will arrive before you start traveling in June.

Please correct as soon as you can. We will carefully re-check all corrections made from the galley-proof.

Please prepare the index from this page-proof copy.

Be certain to include the date of acceptance of the paper for publication as is done in Mycologia. The date on which I sent marked copy to Mr. Lubrecht was October 6, 1969. Do you have a letter with an earlier date for acceptance of the manuscript?

Sincerely,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
FLORA NEOTROPICA

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March 15, 1971

Dr. B. Lowy
Department of Botany & Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Bassett and I completely agree that it is appropriate to indicate the date of acceptance of your paper for publication in Flora Neotropica. Please insert it when you proof the page-proof.

We are pleased to hear that page-proof will soon be arriving. I suspect that the printer in Scotland will endeavor to blame most of the delay on the mail strike in Great Britain. Such is life.

I have not forgotten the very interesting fungus (from Ecuador) that you sent to me. I am still tracking down leads but as yet have not found a name for it.

Sincerely,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
Flora Neotropica

CTR:JT

Accepted for publication:
Feb. 25, 1969.

I phoned Clark 13-V-71 to clarify editorial format, verify date of acceptance.

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March 5 1971

Dr. Brenard Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, La. 70803

Dear Dr. Lowy:

In response to our various telephone calls I would like to make the following report. We finally succeeded to get a call through to England to the printer. As you know there is a mail strike on and we have been unable to communicate with the printer there. He reported that the page proofs for your monograph are ready for shipment, however he had no explanation why it took so long, after all he received the galleys last September. I suspect however that they had plant difficulties. We are sorry about this continued delay, but part of this was occasioned by our two moves last year, which in each case required a completely new staff with its attended difficulties. We are now straightened away and should not experience further difficulties.

With kind regards,
sincerely yours,

Harry Lubrecht

Harry Lubrecht
Vice-President

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DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY AND PLANT PATHOLOGY

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT PATHOLOGY

March 9, 1971

Dr. Clark T. Rogerson
New York Botanical Garden
Bronx, New York 10458

Dear Clark:

Mr. Lubrecht has written to tell me that page proof of my paper for "Flora Neotropica" is "ready for shipment" by the printer.

In view of the long delay in the handling of the manuscript by the printer, I believe it would be appropriate to indicate the date of acceptance of the paper for publication, as is done in "Mycologia". Would you please consider this ?

Many thanks for the reprint of your paper on hypocrealean fungi. I presume this will form part of your monographic treatment for "Flora Neotropica".

With best wishes,

Cordially,

Bernard

B. Lowy

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January 26, 1971

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Thank you very much for your letter of 22 January and the list of identifications from the Dumont and Korf collections. They will be pleased to have this information. Both have been in Jamaica for several weeks and have just returned.

I have received no word from Hafner about the Tremellales manuscript scheduled in Flora Neotropica. I heard from Dr. Maguire that Mr. Lubrecht has become disenchanted with the printer in Scotland. Perhaps a threat to cease giving them work will bring forth page-proof for your paper. I hope so.

Best wishes,

Clark T. Rogerson
Senior Curator
Cryptogamic Botany

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September 28, 1970

Dr.Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Mr. Lubrecht reports that the printer with whom he is dealing for Flora Neotropica has the procedure of providing maps and other illustrations at the time of page-proof. Therefore please return the corrected galley-proof as soon as you can. I will see that you get a copy of the page-proff.

Thank you for calling the other day. I certainly was pleased to hear from you.

Sincerely,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
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September 16, 1970

Dr. Bernie Lowy
Louisiana State University
Department of Botany and Plant Pathology
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Thank you very much for the two collections of fungi from Mexico. I am pleased to have both collections and to have your notes on their uses and local names.

I am looking forward to receiving the corrected galley-proofs for Flora Neotropica monograph no. 6.

Sincerely,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Senior Curator
Cryptogamic Botany

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September 26, 1970

Dear Clark:

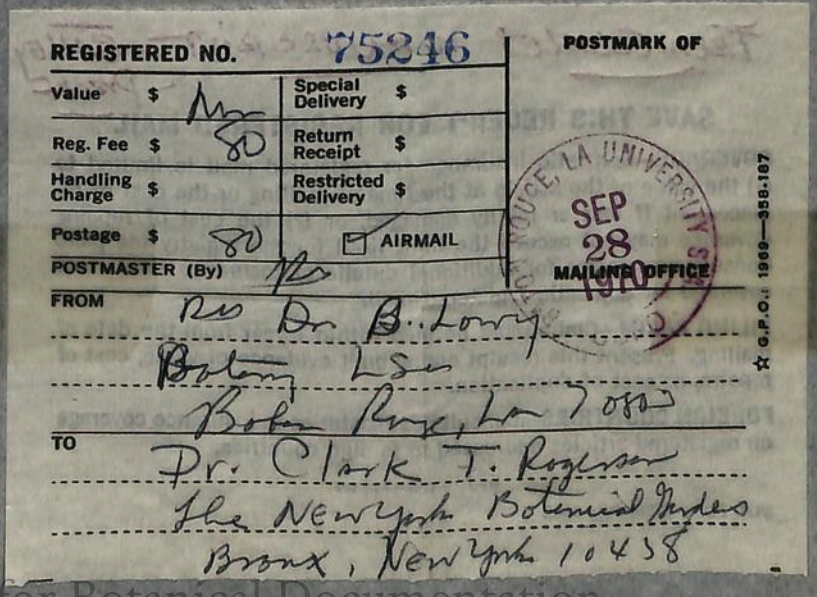
Enclosed is the corrected galley-proof. All of your corrections have been appropriately marked and I have added some of my own. Footnote 21a (galley 8) is pertinent to the immediately foregoing discussion in the text and I think it may easily be inserted in the place indicated. Both papers referred to were published after I had submitted the manuscript. A flyer is also inserted on galley 45 where you (?) have rewritten a line of garbled type.

As I indicated in our conversation of Sept. 24, the proofs of illustrations and the indexes have not been received. I am concerned about the former because lately some people here have had mail mislaid or otherwise unaccounted for. I would therefore suggest that anything of importance be sent by registered mail.

Sincerely,

B. Lowy

P.S. I now am part of a new Department of Botany. Plant Pathology has been separated from us (which I consider to be a good move) but until administrative matters are completely settled, we continue to use the same stationery etc.


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TO Dr. Clark T. Rogerson
The New York Botanical Garden
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August 18, 1970

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Louisiana State University
Department of Botany and Plant Pathology
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

The proofs of the text arrived here on August 15, 1970. I have read through and marked the enclosed copy with corrections that I spotted as well as those indicated by the printer. Please mark this copy in red and definitely indicate whether or not the blue marks are correct.

I hope that you had a pleasant summer.

Return the proofs to me. I will be away until September 16, 1970.

Sincerely yours,

Clark T. Rogerson
Senior Curator
Cryptogamic Botany

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São Paulo, June 2nd, 1970

Dear Colleague:

The next Board and Membership meetings of the Organization for Flora Neotropica will be held in Bogotá, Colombia in October - November, 1970.

For the general report of the Director for Cryptogams I would appreciate it if you could send me the information asked for on the enclosed sheet.

Could you please be kind enough to send this information as soon as possible? Many thanks in advance.

Sincerely yours,

OSWALDO FIDALGO
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April 28, 1970

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany & Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

We did not find any specimens of Platygloea carnea Pat. amongst our collections. As you know Patouillard's specimens are at the Farlow herbarium. Dr. Martin must have all of Sharp's collection, unless of course some of it is at Tennessee.

Mr. Lubrecht was in two weeks ago and indicated that your manuscript had been turned over to a printer and that galley-proof should be forthcoming soon. I certainly hope it does arrive before you go to Guatemala.

If you do get a chance when your in New York, please give us a ring.

Sincerely,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Editor
Flora Neotropica

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April 21, 1970

Dear Clark:

I have been examining the Skvortzov collection (SP 71383, unnamed) of Platygloea which you sent to me together with a few other tremellaceous things already identified and returned to you. It seems closest to P. carnea Pat. Sharp collected this in Mexico in 1935 and I saw a fragment of it in Dr. Martin's collections but I am under the impression (perhaps incorrect) that the major part of it is at the Garden. In any event, I would appreciate it if you would see what you have deposited under this name. If you have any collections under this name, I would like to borrow them for a short time.

I plan to leave for Guatemala early in June, probably via New York in order to attend the commencement at Columbia University, at which ceremony my wife will receive the Ph.D. degree. I expect to spend 48 hours or less in N.Y. and doubt thay I will have time to stop at the Garden. On this tour collecting will be secondary since I expect to devote my time to an investigation of mushroom stones in the northern provinces of Guatemala and to a lesser extent in southern Mexico.

I have had no further word from anyone associated with Flora Neotropica and wonder what is holding up publication.

Cordially,

B. Lowy

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May 1, 1970

Dear Clark:

As you suggest, it may be that Dr. Sharp has some additional material of Platygloea carnea Pat. Thanks for looking through your collections.

Regarding the manuscript, I am glad to know that it is now at the printer. When the galley-proof will be ready only the printer can say, but I will have to set a deadline of May 27 for receiving it if I am to have sufficient time to correct it before leaving Baton Rouge. If this is not possible, another delay will be unavaoidable since I do not expect to return before the first week in September. I would also request that all original drawings, photographs and maps be returned.

Cordially,

B. Lowy

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May 13, 1970

Mr. Harry Lubrecht
Hafner Publishing Company
31 East 10th Street
New York, N.Y. 10003

Dear Mr. Lubrecht:

On June 1 I am leaving Baton Rouge for the summer and since I shall be traveling a large part of the time, engaged in a research project in Guatemala and Mexico, I shall be inaccessible until my return in late August or early September. I am stopping briefly in New York (June 1-2) before flying down to Guatemala. Dr. Rogerson knows of my plans.

Dr. Rogerson has told me that my paper is at the printer. In the event that I receive the galley about a week before my departure, I would still have time to correct it. If not, please have the printer hold it until I return to Baton Rouge.

Sincerely yours,

Bernard Lowy

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I showed Mr. Harry Lubradt of Herbert - Hafner [212-OR-4-b210] who told me he is awaiting word from Edinburgh on printing costs. He assured me that after the proof is sent to Dr. Maguire in December, "it will go very fast" and should be out not later the February."

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January 22, 1970

Dear Clark:

During the past couple of weeks our Department has been engaged in the disagreeable process of moving to a new Life Sciences building. The end is now in sight but all the dust has not yet settled. An advantage of the new facility, an air-conditioned 6 story building, is that I shall have some additional space for the herbarium.

Thanks for your diagnosis of the Vargas collection (15427) from Peru. It is possible that I also have it among my undetermined Brazilian collections which I am going to begin looking over when we get straightened out here.

I am glad that Mr. Lubrecht has come to a decision concerning the printer for Flora Neotropica, so, I imagine I shall be hearing from him in due course.

My short stay in Lima was a very busy one. Following a 4-day Congress at which I gave a paper and presided over one of the sections, I offered a concentrated 10-day course in Trémellology plus some work on the Myxos. Meeting were held for 6 to 7 hours daily, divided between lecture and lab. I took with me all the herbarium material I needed along with pertinent literature, much of which I had mimeographed in advance for distribution. The facilities were not the best but we managed well enough.

I'll be glad to examine the tremellaceous collections that you expect to send.

Sincerely yours,

B. Lowy

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January 16, 1970

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

I finally have gotten a name for the collection that you sent to me on 9-IV-1969. This is the fungus that Dr. Vargas (no. 15427) had sent to you from Cuzco, Peru. The fungus is Ascopolyporus polychrous A. Moeller. It matches a specimen at NY collected by A. Moeller at Blumenau, Sta.Catharina, Brazil. Apparently, from descriptions, the fungus is variable as to color, varying from yellow to red. Dr. Vargas must have found it on bamboo. Species of Ascopolyporus have very long, filiform, hyaline, multiseptate ascospores which fall apart at the septa at maturity and fill the ascus with rod-shaped part spores. The ascus has a thickened apex with a distinct pore; hence the genus is now placed in the Clavicipitaceae. The genus Sarcoxylon, which you suggested as a possibility, has 1-celled, black ascospores.

Another handful of tremellaceous fungi have appeared in our continuing sorting of the neotropical collections. Duplicates of eight of these plus two unicates are being forwarded to you under separate cover. I will be pleased to learn your determinations of them.

I sincerely hope that your trip to Peru was a pleasant one. Mr. Lubrecht was here last week. He has selected the printer for Flora Neotropica monogran no. 6; thus hopefully your paper will soon be in galley-proof.

Sincerely,

Clark T. Rogerson
Senior Curator
Cryptogamic Botany

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October 6, 1969

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Dear Bernie:

Thank you for your prompt consideration of the changes to be made in the manuscript on Tremellales. I have your letters of both 12 September and 18 September. I have made all of the changes and have sent the manuscript to Mr. Lubrecht. I hope that Hafner Publishing Company will be able to get this into galley within the next four or five weeks.

It certainly was a pleasure to see and talk with you at the Seattle meetings. I was pleased to hear of your experiences in Mexico. If you have any Hypocreaceous fungi amongst your collections I will be glad to see them.

Sincerely,

Clark T. Rogerson
Senior Curator
Cryptogamic Botany

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cc: Dr. Bassett Maguire

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October 9, 1969

Dear Clark:

I was glad to hear that my manuscript on Tremellales has been sent to the printer. I want to thank you again for taking on the troublesome job of copy-editing and of inserting the additions I subsequently sent to tyou.

One of the real advantages of the big meetings is talking with old friends and as always, I was glad to have seen you again after a lapse of some years.

I ahave been invited to participate in the Congreso Nacional de Biologia to be held in Lima, Peru in November and shall give a short course (2 weeks) in tremellology there as well. The program is sponsored by the Fulbright Commission. I expect to leave here on or about Nov. 20 and to return about December 15. I have notified Mr. Lubrecht of these dates, should he want to get in tough with me concerning the galley-proof.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

B. Lowy

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October 9, 1969

Mr. Harry Lubrecht
Hafner Publishing Company
31 East 10th Street
New York, N.Y. 10003

Dear Mr. Lubrecht:

Dr. Clark Rogerson has informed me that the manuscript of my paper on Neotropical Tremellales for Flora Neotropica has been foward-ed to you. I do not know how much time you must normally allow to get work into galley, but it might happen that at about the time you are ready to send me the proof I shall be out of the country. I plan to leave for Lima, Peru, on November 20 and to return not earlier than December 15. If it turns out that I can receive the proof not later than November 14 or 15, I could promise to return it to you before I leave, otherwise it would have to wait until my return. In any case, I wanted to let you know about this since Dr. Rogerson does not yet know about my travel plans.

It was a pleasure meeting you in Seattle. I hope you shall have no unexpected problems with the paper - at least nothing beyond the normal, more or less routine hazards.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Bernard Lowy
Professor of Botany

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12-IX-1969

Dear Clark:

Enclosed are the additions and corrections to the Tremellales ms. The species excludendae and inquirendae may be inserted at the end of the ms, the last numbered page of which is 330. The type species list is double-spaced with page numbers indicated in pencil. Since almost all these entries occupy a single line they may be cut out with a paper cutter and inserted in their correct positions in the ms. Other corrections are also indicated by page number.

Regarding the nomenclatural point on page 102, I believe it would be best to indicate as species number 5, Helicogloea sphaerospora (A. Moll.) comb. nov., in accordance with your suggestion. This would also require the following changes to be made in the ms: p. 97,l.2 from bottom: strike out the words "Saccoblastia a subgenus" and substitute "a new combination". p. 97, last line: substitute in parenthesis: (Helicogloea sphaerospora comb. nov.). p. 98 in key: 5. substitute H. sphaerospora for S. sphaerospora. p. 102: delete 5 lines beginning with "Saccoblastia subgen nov. ..." p. 102, l.3 from bottom: substitute for 5. "Saccoblastia sphaerospora A. Moll. etc.! Helicogloea sphaerospora (Moll.) comb. nov.

The species excludendae and inquirendae will also have to be included in the Index to Taxa.

I fully realize that making these changes will be time consuming and if you prefer I will be glad to make them myself if you care to return the ms to me together with the addenda.

With best regards,

Cordially,

B. Lowy

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July 3, 1969

Dr. Bernard Lowy
c/o American Consulate
Mexico City, Mexico

Dear Bernie:

Dr. Maguire asked me to copy-edit your treatice on the Tremellales for FLORA NEOTROPICA which I have done. A few major and several minor points need to be clarified before the paper goes to the printer.

1. Established format for FLORA NEOTROPICA requires that the type species of each genus to be included at the end of the genus description and that the type collection of each species be cited as far as possible, at the end of the species description. If type collection is not in existence indicate such.

2. A taxonomic and nomenclatural point needs to be considered. On page 97 and 98 (in key) you indicate that the genus Saccoblastia is to be relegated to subgeneric rank under Helicogloea; you formally described Helicogloea subgen. Saccoblastia on page 102 and yet on page 102 and in the key you retain Saccoblastia sphaerospora A. Möller. Thus you do not accept your own new subgenus. It appears to us that you intended to make a new combination, Helicogloea sphaerospora (A. Möller) Lowy which would then be the type species of the new subgenus. Actually if the new subgenus is based on the genus Saccoblastia then Saccoblastia should be listed as a synonym of the subgenus in which case the basionym and its citation would cancel out the need for a Latin description. Please clarify this for us.

3. Dr. Maguire and I believe that you owe it to the many mycologists of the neotropics to explain why certain species recorded from their area are not mentioned in your treatice. There should be a list of "Imperfectly Known" or "Excluded Taxa" in your work with an explanation.

4. Some minor corrections are needed:

p. 63 What does "~~(pl. f.)~~" refer to? delete
p. 107 Patouillard 1898 is not in Literature Cited. p. 366 ~ change 1808 To 1898. (pat.) Wells, Mycologia 61: 80. 1969.
p. 202 Mycologia reference to Heterochaete hirneoloides is not complete.
p. 226 Literature citation for Hydnogloea Currey, is not given. Ann. Mag. Nat. Hist. IV, 7: 429. 1871.

Please send needed information to me as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Senior Curator
Cryptogamic Botany

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May 22, 1969

Dear Doctor Lowy:

The reviewer's comments on your Tremellales were sent to you, I am sure you realize, with much reluctance by Clark Rogerson and me. We felt that we had no right to withhold them from you, although we were tempted merely to file the statement.

You will realize, as I have told you, that you solely are the judge as to the content of your own monograph. Format is another matter. We do appreciate your careful adherence to the style and form of the Flora Neotropica series. The minor corrections which you offer will be, along with the others previously sent to us, made on the manuscript before it is sent to the printer.

I note with pleasure that you are to be in Seattle during the meetings of the Congress. The council, membership and business meeting of O.F.N. will be held on Saturday, August 23rd, at 9 o'clock in the morning. Announcements will be made in the general schedule for the Congress, indicating the building and room number. I hope very much that you can be present at this meeting. We should like to have all monographers take part in the affairs of the O.F.N.

Please do not feel too badly about the review. This is a procedure that we must always go through. And you may also be sure that this office is frequently caught in the middle, so we have learned to take these things in stride.

With best personal regards,

Sincerely,

Bassett Maguire

Bassett Maguire

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May 19, 1969

Dear Dr. Maguire:

The author of a monograph, like the author of a dictionary, must, I suppose, be included in that melancholy class of mortals who Johnson said could "only hope to escape reproach." It appears from the reviewer's comments that I have not attained even that modest expectation. Nevertheless I am thankful to the reviewer for the time and effort that was taken in calling attention to "errors and omissions" which "are all such that they can be easily corrected." But with deference to the reviewer, I believe that the vast majority of the proposed "corrections", particularly those dealing with the keys and descriptions are largely not related to factual matters but rather to differences of opinion or to idiosyncrasies of style. Whether I merit censure or praise on this score must be decided by each reader.

The reviewer's suggestions sometimes display a kind of impatience (perhaps it is only excessive zeal) not entirely in keeping with objective evaluation and are of the sort that no author would willingly countenance. "What on earth is the difference between 'grossly gelatinous' and 'moderately gelatinous', she asks, incompletely quoting a dichotomy. And in the same vein: "What is the difference between 'large and conspicuous' and 'trivial'. Only the author can answer that question." I would venture to say that a few others might be found who are also privy to such knowledge which the reviewer considers to be a mystery rather on the order of the riddle of the sphinx. Whenever such adjectives are used (infrequently) in the keys, actual measurements are given in the descriptions.

The reviewer finds fault that terms are not defined, yet anyone who consults the introduction will find all essential terms defined and even something of their history given in the section on 'taxonomic considerations', the very section which the reviewer insists should be omitted ! The reviewer's comment that "this portion is essentially as published in Taxon" only reveals what I have said in footnote 15. I consider the chapter vital to the unity of the work, since it explains my reasons for proposing a new taxonomic interpretation on which the subsequent treatment rests. I was therefore gratified to read your personal note to the effect that you disagree with this criticism.

It is true that I do not define "basidiospore" or "basidiocarp", but doing so might be comparable to defining the terms "stigma" or "complete flower" in a floristic monograph. "A major criticism" of the reviewr is that the work is "entirely too provincial" and that generic descriptions are "in many instances, only sufficiently broad to cover those species known from the tropics." This astonishes me. Must the reviewer be reminded that this is a tropical flora ? The reviewer might have had a similar comment to make regarding the maps (had they been seen) which are also provincial, in the same sense ! Although I have seen much material from temperate regions, I expressly designed my descriptions, whenever possible, to reflect the variations as I have found them to occur in tropical American forms, with which the reviewer appatently has little or no acquaintance. I believe this accounts for a number of the reviewer's absurd criticisms having to do with species which overlap into temperate regions. The reviewer should be apprised of the fact that tropical forms, even of the same species, are not identical with temperate ones !

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Other criticisms are in opposition to the format recommended by the journal. I have tried to follow these to the letter, but the reviewer takes the liberty of suggesting that the journal adopt a different style by deleting "exact locations of collections" and lumping these together to show only a single total number, thus defeating one of the purposes for which distributional data are given! With respect to the complaint that some of the keys are "difficult" I am reminded of a comment attributed to Dr. T.H.Macbride when he was similarly admonished, to the effect that his keys to the Myxomycetes were not made for boyscouts.

It is, however, a tribute to the diligence of the reviewer that some 50 taxa were found which are not directly accounted for in my pages. A few of these might indeed have merited citation either as synonyms or as excluded species, but the great majority are so poorly known that little of value could be gained merely by listing them. If their exclusion flaws my work, I shall have to bear that responsibility, but in my judgement such exclusion should not impair the aims this monograph was planned to serve.

I would therefore recommend, if this is in order, that copy editing should proceed, but I would appreciate your attention to the following corrections which should be made before copy is sent to the printer and for which I am much indebted to the reviewer.

p. 244, line 1 - Dacrymyces pellacidus

p. 274, first "C" in dichotomy - delete "small", following "Basidiospore

p. 274, 2nd " " - " "larger", " "

I plan to leave for Mexico on or about July 1. If the printer's proof has not been sent to me by that time, I should like to have it mailed to me in Mexico City, in care of the American Consulate, where it would be convenient to receive it not later that August 15. The alternative would be for me to read the proof following my return to Baton Rouge from the Seattle meetings.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

B. Lowy

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May 13, 1969

Doctor B. Lowy
Louisiana State University
Department of Botany and Plant Pathology
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Doctor Lowy:

Comments from the reviewer and taxonomic editor for your Tremellales arrived in the morning post. I am sending this rather extended series of notes on to you without reference to any particular observation made. Since they are largely taxonomic, neither Clark nor I would be competent to have judgment.

Where comments are useful to you, you may want to act upon them. Where they are not, you should disregard them. You are wholly the judge of the taxonomic content of your paper.

It is useful to all of us to have our papers read by someone in the same field. My own monograph will be submitted to a similar critical review.

So far as your own monograph is concerned, any modification which you might wish to insert can still get into the typescript before copy editing is started. Just as soon, however, as the copy editing is completed, we will send the monograph off to the printer.

With all best regards and good wishes,

Sincerely,

Bassett Maguire, Executive Director
Organization for Flora Neotropica

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April 12, 1969

Dear Dr. Maguire:

I regret having to trouble you with the corrections indicated on the enclosures. I unfortunately overlooked the fact that the paragraphs in question had already been included in my introductory chapter ! I hope you will be able to make the necessary editorial changes before the manuscript goes to the printer.

With thanks and apologies,

Sincerely yours,

Bernard Lowy

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April 19, 1969

Doctor Bernard Lowy
Louisiana State University
Department of Botany and Plant Pathology
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Doctor Lowy:

This acknowledges your notes of April 8th and April 12th with corrections for your manuscript. You may be sure that these matters will be taken care of.

Do not hesitate to send in any further items of this sort. They are bound to develop with all of us.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

B. Maguire

Director
Bassett Maguire, Exedutive
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March 29, 1969

Doctor B. Lowy
Department of Botany and Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Doctor Lowy:

This acknowledges your note of March 19th and attached list for illustration paging. These instructions will be most useful to us.

The Tremellales will become either Monograph No. 3 or No. 4, depending upon the order in which they emerge from the mill.

Again, let me thank you for the meticulously prepared copy which you have sent to us. Such forethought assists and promotes all editorial and publication procedures.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Bassett Maguire

Bassett Maguire, Executive Director
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March 19, 1969

Dear Dr. Maguire:

Enclosed is the list of figures with the positions that I think would be most suitable for them in the manuscript.

I am glad the editorial work is under way and until I hear further from you, shall assume that the tentative schedule for publication will be approximately as indicated therein.

Sincerely,

B. Lowy

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25-II-1969

Dear Dr. Maguire:

The following numbered packages are being mailed to you under separate cover: 1) Contains manuscript; original and one carbon copy.
2) 24 line drawings, 6 photographs & 8 reduced copies of maps.
3) 8 maps in package 22"X 17".

I have taken great care in the preparation of the final ms and figures and hope that your editorial problems will be few. I shall be glad to answer questions that may arise concerning any part of the work but it would be very helpful to know whether or not I may expect to read proof by July. I tentatively plan to spend about two weeks in Mexico, preferably in August, prior to my departure for Seattle where I expect to arrive on August 23.

The ms is only slightly larger than I had estimated - 369 pp, excluding 37 figures. The 8 maps (and copies) have their figure numbers attached to the lower left corners and the originals are also numbered on the reverse. I took special care in packing the maps in order to prevent bending and loss ta. Xerox copies of each map are also included (package 3) to against the originals.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

B. Lowy

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January 9, 1969

Professor B. Lowy
Department of Botany and Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Professor Lowy:

We have changed the date on our target schedule for Flora Neotropica for your contribution, to be received in February, edited in March and April, delivered to the publisher in May, the printer also in May, with expectations of publication in the early summer. You would realize that these are target dates, and that some latitude in them may be expected.

It is quite true that Cowan's monograph has neither a short biography nor a photograph. The inclusion of both was adopted after Cowan's piece had come off the press. The remainder of the monographs, however, will bear these records. So please do send them on with your typescript, both a photograph of your choosing and a biographical statement of about 200 words.

Immediately upon the receipt of your paper, we will submit it to Doctor Martin for editorial review, and then proceed promptly with marking and delivery to the publisher.

For year 1969 we envision the publication of at least nine monographs, yielding a total of more than 1500 printed pages. Yours will be one of the valued papers.

With best good wishes,

Sincerely,

Bassett Maguire

Bassett Maguire, Executive Director
Organization for Flora Neotropica

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P. S. Regretfully, the O.F.N. has no budget whatever. All of the performance coming out of the N.Y.B.G. is gratis. The National Science Foundation in the stringency of its financial crisis of the year has been unable to assist us.

B.M.

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Dr.Bernard Lowy
Dept.of Botany & Pl.Pathology
Lousiana State University
BATON ROUGE - LOUISIANA 70803 - U.S.A.

Dear Bernard:

Thank you for your Christmas card which brought a note on the Flora Neotropica project.

Yes, Dr.Martin has decided to withdraw as "Coordinator" for the Tremellales for Flora Neotropica, and suggested that you serve in that cacacity since you are preparing a treatment for the entire group. I understand that you have accept the position, so, from now on I shall list you as "Coordinator" for the Tremellales. I shall notify Dr.Maguire and the other members of the Executive board of the OFN.

Please keep in touch with Bassett Maguire regarding format, illustrations, etc. or any editorial problem on your paper.

Beulah and I send you and your family our best wishes.

Cordially,

Alcides

Alcides R.Teixeira
Scientific Director
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December 23, 1968

Prof. B. Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Dr. Lowy:

Attached is a schedule of our projected Flora Neotropica publications for 1969. Please note the statement put down for yours. If you have any corrections or alternative suggestions, please let me know. It is intended to distribute this schedule during the early part of January.

Please accept from all of us the best good wishes for the holiday season.

Sincerely yours,

Bassett Maguire
Assistant Director

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FLORA NEOTROPICA

Projected Publication Schedule 1969

	Monograph	Estimated Printed Pages	Author	Type-script Due	Tech. Ed.	Copy Ed.	Delivery Publisher	Delivery Printer	Publication Target
	Cryptogams:								
	Omphalinae	130	R. Singer	1/2 in galley, 1/2 lacking.	1/2 comp.	1/2 comp.	June	June	Summer
	Tremellales	160	B. Lowy	January	February	Feb.	~~April~~ may	~~April~~ may	Summer
	Phanerogams:								
MONOCOTS	Bromeliaceae (pts.)	400	L.B.Smith	January	January	Feb.	March	April	Summer
MONOCOTS	Rapateaceae) Abolbodaceae)	175	B.Maguire	August	September	Sept.	October	October	Winter
MONOCOTS	Zingerberaceae	150	P.J.M.Maas	January	January	Feb.	March	March	Spring
DICOTS	Brunelliaceae	200	J.Cuatre-casas	On hand	Completed	Jan.	January	February	Spring
DICOTS	Chrysobalanaceae	400	G. T. Prance	On hand	Completed	Jan.	January	February	Summer
DICOTS	Marcgraviaceae	150	A.C. deRoon	January	January	Feb.	March	March	Spring
DICOTS	Moraceae (Pts.) Olmediae	150	C. C. Berg	January	January	Feb.	March	March	Spring
DICOTS	Caricaceae	150	V.Badillo	January	March	March	April	April	Summer
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December 30, 1968

Dear Dr. Maguire:

The publication schedule, with regard to my manuscript, is a little optimistic, being about one month earlier than I estimated in our telephone conversation, but I assume that the timetable is sufficiently flexible to allow for such relatively small differences. A few minor points come to mind. Dr. Cowan's monograph has neither a "curriculum vitae" nor a portrait photograph. Are these to be deleted from future monographs ? Are funds available to cover the expenses of the typescript and a xerox copy ? This would, I think, not exceed $300. I had a small University grant for my cartographic assistant but for some mysterious administrative reason no part of this could be allocated for paying a typist ! All other expenses have been met.

With all best wishes for continued success in your work in the new year and with kindest personal regards,

Cordially yours,

B. Lowy

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December 7, 1968

Doctor B. Lowy
Louisiana State University
Department of Botany and Plant Pathology
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Doctor Lowy:

This is a note to acknowledge your letter of November 5th, which I have now read, and to confirm the details produced in our pleasant telephone conversation of last Friday.

These are the notes which I took from our telephone conversation. Please correct me if they are not accurate. You propose a completion date for the manuscript of February-March 1969. There would be approximately 350 typed pages, triplespaced, and approximately 30 plates including six half-tones of illustrations. You propose to use 11 double page-facing maps which would occupy some 22 pages.

These figures will enable me to make the proper preliminary arrangements with the printer, but please understand that you are not held strictly to them. Any small difference would offer no problem. If, however, you find that you would increase the number of pages substantially, then do please let me know.

It was a pleasure to talk to you over the telephone. I now look forward more than ever to direct conversations with you.

With much appreciation and best personal regards,

Sincerely,

Bassett Maguire

Bassett Maguire, Executive Director
Organization for Flora Neotropica

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12-XII-1968

Dear Boss,

A few days ago, because of some editorial questions I had regarding the maps I am preparing for the Flora Neotropica paper, I telephoned Dr. Maguire for an opinion. I have never met him (he was in South America when I was at the Garden)but he is certainly extremely cordial.and estimate that my manuscript will be about 350 pages long (triple spaced) and with some luck I may be ready to submit it about the end of February '69. At the moment I am working on several parts more or less simultaneously - maps, line drawings, photographs and an nth revision of species descriptions. The enclosed list summarizes the genera and species and their distributions as I have recorded them to date. There is always the chance that something has been overlooked and it would be a great help to me to have you examine it for completeness.

As you will find, I have restricted Sebacina to 2 species, the others which are often included in the genus really having a greater affinity with either Exidiopsis or Eichleriella, as Ken Wells has shown. As you know, I am convinced that Donk's interpretation of Cerinomyces is incorrect and I am maintaining the genus in the Dacrymycetaceae, but I also strongly believe that the Tulasnellaceae, Ceratobasidiaceae and Dacrymycetaceae are sufficiently distinct from other Tremellales in basidial morphology to warrant their inclusion in a separate subclass (Metabsidiomycetidae) for the reasons I indicated in Taxon. I fail to see the merit of Talbot's proposal to abolish the subclasses Heterobasidiomycetidae and Homobasidiomycetidae. Although these may be made to vanish by decree I think such legerdemain would have little effect on the morphological realities which would in any case stubbornly persist.

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November 20, 1968

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Dear Bernie:

Amongst some of the tropical collections which had been labelled as possible myxomycetes, I found the enclosed collection which might be a Dacrymyces. Although the material is scanty, I thought you might want to see it. Please include it with the material which I sent to you earlier.

Sincerely,

Clark T. Rogerson
Senior Curator
Cryptogamic Botany

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November 7, 1968

Dr. B. Lowy
Department of Botany & Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Dr. Lowy:

Your letter of November 5th addressed to Dr. Bassett Maguire is on hand. Dr. Maguire is in South America on a field trip and is not expected to return until the latter part of November. Your letter will be brought to his attention at that time.

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs.) Dorothy Zapakin

Dorothy Zapakin
Herbarium Secretary

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DEPARTMENT OF PLANT PATHOLOGY

November 5, 1968

Dr. Bassett Maguire
New York Botanical Garden
Bronx, New York 10458

Dear Dr. Maguire:

Work on the manuscript (Title: Neotropical Tremellales) for Flora Neotropica is advancing and a few questions have come up concerning the maps that I plan to include. I have already posted the greatest part of the data on standard map outlines. These are now being arranged and consolidated prior to submitting them to you for final reduction to journal size. The nature of the distributional data is such as to suggest that facing pages (not fold-outs) be used in their final printing. Having analyzed the data, it is apparent that such a presentation would offer the important advantage of showing certain details of distribution on a readable scale. As it turns out, (not unexpectedly) some species have been intensively collected in rather small geographical areas (the Canal Zone Biological Area, for example) and unless such regions can be shown on a large enough scale before reduction it would not be possible to show these distributions meaningfully. My cartographic assistant believes that this can be adequately done if the final maps are large enough to be shown on facing pages. Judging from present indications, about 15 such maps (30 facing pages) will be needed. Would there be any editorial or other objection to having me proceed in this way ? Would you prefer to have the originals submitted for reduction or will xerox copies be adequate ? If xerox copies are acceptable this might prevent the possible loss of some data (by fallingoff in transit or as a result of handling) that must be pasted or otherwise affixed to the maps.

Concerning the work as a whole, I am not yet ready to estimate accurately the total number of manuscript pages but should be in a position to do so perhaps within a month. Kindly let me hear from you about the questions I have raised.

Sincerely yours,

B. Lowy

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PS- In addition to the maps I am also preparing a series of drawings (probably about 20 plates) of microscopic details and a much smaller number of plates of photographs in black and white.

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New York, October 22nd, 1968.

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany and Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
BATON ROUGE - LOUISIANA 70803

Dear Colleague:

I am now returning to São Paulo (Brazil). Before leaving I would like to report to you on the situation of the Thallophytes in the FLORA NEOTROPICA project, as far as "coordinators" and monographers are concerned.

See annexed pages for the list of coordinators and monographers. This list shows the situation until October 21st, 1968.

Wishing you all the best, I send you my best personal regards.

Cordially,

A A Teixeira

Alcides R. Teixeira
Scientific Director
(Thallophyta) - OFN

P.S. From now on my address will be:

Instituto de Botânica
Caixa postal, 4005
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Sorry, Bernard, no time to visit your department this time. Beata joins me in sending you and yours our best wishes. Al.

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ORGANIZATION FOR FLORA NEOTROPICA

COORDINATORS AND MONOGRAPHERS FOR THE THALLOPHYTA

October - 1968

ALGAE - Coordinator: Dr. Wm. Randolph Taylor, Department of Botany, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104.
So far, Dr. Taylor is the only monographer assigned to the group.

LICHENS - Coordinator: Dr. Mason Hale, Division of Mycology, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C. 20560.
So far, Dr. Hale is the only monographer assigned to the group.

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MYXOMYCETES - Coordinator: Dr. George W. Martin, Department of Botany, The University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa 52240.
Monographer for the whole group, already assigned: Dr. Marie L. Farr, Mycology Investigations, Crops Protection Research Branch, Plant Industry Station, Beltsville, Maryland 20705.

TRICHOMYCETES - Coordinator and monographer: Dr. Robert W. Lichtwardt, Department of Botany, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas 66045.

PHYCOMYCETES -

Hyphochytriales & Chytridiales - Coordinator: Dr. Frederick K. Sparrow, Jr., Department of Botany, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48106.
So far, Dr. Sparrow is the only monographer for the group.

Saprolegniales & Leptomitales - Coordinator: Dr. Everett S. Beneke, Biology Research Center, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan 48824.
Monographers already assigned for the group: Dr. Beneke (address above) and Dr. Adauto Ivo Milanez, Instituto de Botânica, Caixa postal 4005, São Paulo, S.P., Brazil.

Peronosporales - Coordinator: Dr. Charles Gardner Shaw, Department of Plant Pathology, Washington State University, Pullman, Washington 99163.
So far, Dr. Shaw is the only monographer assigned for the group.

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ASCOMYCETES -

Taphrinales - Coordinator: Dr. Charles L. Kramer, Division of Biology, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas 66502.
So far, Dr. Kramer is the only monographer for the group.

Laboulbeniales - Coordinator: Dr. Richard K. Benjamin, Rancho Santa Ana Botanic Garden, Claremont, California 91711.
So far, Dr. Benjamin is the only monographer for the group.

Meliolales, and Asterinaceae & Dimeriaceae - Coordinator: Dr. Marie L. Farr, Mycology Investigations, Crops Protection Research Branch, Plant Industry Station, Beltsville, Md. 20705.
So far, Dr. Farr is the only monographer for the group.

Myriangiales, Dothideales & Microthyriales - Coordinator: Dr. Margareth Barr Bigelow, Department of Botany, University of Massachussetts, Amherst, Mass. 01003.
So far, Dr. Bigelow is the only monographer for the group.

Erysiphales - Coordinator and monographer: Dr. Samuel Blumer, Schönenbergstrasse 85, 8820 Wädenswil - Switzerland.

Eurotiales - Coordinator: Dr. Chester R. Benjamin, Mycology Investigations, Crops Protection Research Branch, Plant Industry Station, Beltsville, Maryland 20705.
So far, Dr. Benjamin is the only monographer assigned for the group.

Hypocreales - Coordinator: Dr. Clark T. Rogerson, Cryptogamic Herbarium, The New York Botanical Garden, Bronx, N.Y. 10458.
So far, Dr. Rogerson is the only monographer for the group.

Hysteriales - Coordinator: Dr. Hans Zogg, Eidgenössische Landwirtschaftlichen Versuchsandstaldt, Zürich-Oerlikon, Switzerland.
So far, Dr. Zogg is the only monographer for the group.

Xylariales (only families Sordariaceae & Sporormiaceae) - Coordinator: Dr. R. F. Cain, Department of Botany, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
So far, Dr. Cain is the only monographer assigned to the group.

DISCOMYCETES & Tuberales - Coordinator: Dr. Richard P. Korf, Department of Plant Pathology, Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y. 14850.
So far, Dr. Korf is the only monographer for the group.

BASIDIOMYCETES -

Uredinales - Coordinator: Dr. J. F. Hennen, Department of Botany and Plant Pathology, Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana 47907.
So far, Dr. Hennen is the only monographer for the group.

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Ustilaginales - Coordinator: Dr. Ruben Duran, Department of Plant Pathology, Washington State University, Pullman, Wash. 99163.
So far, Dr. Hennen is the only monographer for the group.

Tremellales - Coordinator: Dr. George W. Martin, Department of Botany, The University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa 52240.
Monographer for the whole order: Dr. Bernard Lowy, Department of Botany and Plant Pathology, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803.

Agaricales - Coordinator: Dr. Rolf Singer, Field Museum of Natural History, Chicago, Illinois 60605.

Polyporales -

Exobasidiaceae & Thelephoraceae - Coordinator: Dr. Arthur Welden, Department of Botany, Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana 70118.
Monographers, so far: Dr. Anthony Liberta, Department of Botany, Illinois State University, and Dr. D.P.Rogers, Department of Botany, University of Illinois at Urbana; Dr. William Bridge Cooke, 1135 Wilshire Ct., Cincinnati, Ohio 45230; and Dr. Arthur Welden (address above).

Clavariaceae - Coordinator and monographer: Prof. E. J. H. Corner, Botany School, University of Cambridge, Downing Street, Cambridge, England.

Polyporaceae - Coordinator: Dr. Alcides R. Teixeira, Instituto de Botânica, Caixa postal 4005, São Paulo, S.P., Brazil.
Monographers: Dr. Alcides R. Teixeira, Dr. Oswaldo Fidalgo, Dr. João Salvador Furtado, and Mrs. Maria Eneyda P. K. Fidalgo, all in the same address above.

GASTEROMYCETES - Coordinator: Dr. Jorge E. Wright, Departamento de Botánica, Facultad de Ciencias Exactas y Naturales, Moreno 963, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
So far, Dr. Wright is the only monographer for the group.

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Sphaeropsidales & Melanconiales - Coordinator: Dr. Brian C. Sutton, Forestry Department of Canada, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.
So far, Dr. Sutton is the only monographer for the group.

New York, October 21st, 1968.

A.R. Teixeira

Alcides R. Teixeira
Scientific Director
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October 10, 1968

Dr. Bernard Lowy
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Dear Dr. Lowy:

Your letter of September 30th addressed to Dr. Clark T. Rogerson at the New York Botanical Garden, has come to my attention.

We are sending you under separate cover a copy of volume I of FLORA NEOTROPICA, by R.S. Cowan. Please accept this copy with our compliments.

We hope to count you among the authors who contribute to this important series.

Sincerely yours,
HAFNER PUBLISHING COMPANY, INC.

Harry Lubrecht
Vice President

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October 10, 1968

Dr. Clark T. Rogerson

New York Botanical Garden

Bronx, N. Y. 10458

Dear Clark:

Thanks both to you and Alcides for arranging to send me a copy of Cowan's work.

Whenever you are ready to send me the South American Tremellales for identification I'll be glad to receive them.

Cordially,

B. Lowy

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October 8, 1968

Dr. Bernie Lowy
Louisiana State University
Department of Plant Pathology
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Your letter regarding a copy of Cowan's work on Swartzia arrived and I asked Alcides Teixeira to take care of it since he is still with us. Apparently he does not have any copies to be used as models and therefore he has requested that a copy be sent to you by the Hafner Publishing Company.

Are you ready now to look at the unidentified collections of Tremellaceous fungi from South America which we have accumulated?

Sincerely,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Senior Curator
Cryptogamic Botany

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September 30, 1968

Dear Clark:

When I last heard from Alcides Teixeira several weeks ago, he was planning to retyrn to Sao Paulo, so I am directing my inquiry to you in ~~order~~ ~~event~~ ~~that~~ ~~time~~ in the event that he has already left the Garden.

I would urgently need to have a copy of R.S.Cowan's work on Swartzia in Flora Neotropica to serge as a model for some details of style and format. I am assuming that this has been published and distributed but our library has not yet "processed" my order for the journal. If a copy is available please send and bill me for it.

I am presently working on illustrations and maps for the paper (Neotropical Tremellales) which I expect to submit to Flora Neotropica. Your help in expediting this request would be greatly appreciated.

With kindest regards,

B. Lowy

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6th September, 1968.

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany and Pl. Pathology
Louisiana State University
BATON ROUGE- LOUISIANA 70803

Dear Bernard:

Thank you for your letter of September 4th, just received.

Dr. Maguire is in South America and is due to come back by the end of October, I think. By that time I shall, probably, be back to São Paulo. I am leaving a xerox copy of your letter on his desk, for a reply on paragraph 2.

In due time you will receive, on loan, a correct copy of Cowan's paper on Swartzia. Meanwhile you can use the copy from your library. Except for a few minor observations, this monograph is to be used by all monographers as model.

I hope you had a very good and profitable trip to the West Indies and Central America. As for our trip back to São Paulo, we are considering returning by boat, in which case it would be impossible to spend part of it in Baton Rouge. If we change our minds and find it possible to stretch the trip to include a visit to your Department, we certainly shall let you know.

With best wishes from both of us to you and your family.

Cordially,

Alcides

Alcides R. Teixeira

P.S. I am sending you some documents related to the Flora Neotropica project. I cannot remember if I have already given them to you.

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Dear Alcides:

I only recently returned from my collecting tour of Puerto Rico, Jamaica and La Republica Dominicana and before the new semester gets under way I have a question or two for you about Flora Neotropica.

It would be helpful to have on hand a reprint of the first monograph that appeared in the journal (Cowan's work on Swartzia), which, presuming that it followed the recommended format, would be a good model to refer to. Also, if map outlines are now available these could be sent to me although I have not firmly decided on their use.

I imagine that you will soon be thinking of your return to Sao Paulo and in this connection I hope you may decide to stop here for a visit. Assuming that you would fly, if you let me know your flight number and time of arrival, I would gladly meet you at the International Airport in New Orleans and drive you and Bulah back to the hotel on campus. It would be good to see you both again. Perhaps, also, you might be interested in seeing the stage of development of the manuscript and I could benefit from your suggestions. In anticipation of seeing you soon I will only take leave of you for the moment with an ate logo.

Cordially yours,

B. Lowy

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June 13, 1968.

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany
Douisiana State University
BATON ROUGE - LOUISIANA 70803

Dear Bernard:

As planned, I spent a week at the Department of Botany, University of Iowa, Iowa City, with Dr. George W. Martin, who was kind enough to go through the typescript of my "manual" and make numerous helpful suggestions.

In Iowa City I had the opportunity to discuss Flora Neotropica with Dr. Martin. He accept the responsibility of being the coordinator for Myxomycetes and Tremellales, meaning that he is willing to get in touch with prospective monographers for those groups and coordinate their work in such a way that they will show uniformity in keys and taxonomic arrangements.

I told him that you were already preparing a paper for Flora Neotropica and he told me that he was going to write to you immediately and get the "coordination" started. I hope you have already received his letter by now.

We are having this coordination in all groups, and the appointed coordinator is always a specialist on the group, with good experience in working with other specialists.

Please give our regards to Mrs. Lowy and children. Our best wishes to you.

Sincerely,

Alcides

Alcides R. Teixeira
Scientific Director
(Thallophyta) - OFN

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THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA
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Department of Botany
Area 319: 353-5790

June 7, 1968

Professor Bernard Lowry
Department of Botany and
Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

I have just received official announcement that I am to be coordinator of Tremellales for the Flora Neotropica. Obviously, you are the one who should write this up, and my first step is to find out whether you are already committed to the task, what your commitment is, and what I can do to help you. I have been given elaborate outlines of the procedure to be followed and, if you do not already have them (Doc. 5/1968) and Doc. 11/ 1968), I shall have them photostated and sent to you. I have been asked to write others who have interest in the group, but before I do so it would be of great help to know just where you stand in the matter.

As you know, the limits are somewhat arbitrarily fixed by the tropics of Cancer and Capricorn. On the north these offer little difficulty, but on the south it cuts off all but the northern tips of Chile and Argentina, the northern half of Paraguay and the southern lobe of Brazil, from São Paulo south.

I have some Tremellales from Lazo but all seem to have been collected south of Antifagasta, which puts them out of the range. Can I wish them on you? I had hoped to work over them and have done so in part, but the myxos seem to be taking all my time at the moment.

Yours,

GWM

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THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA
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June 26, 1968

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Olimpo Court Hotel
Av. Miramar 603
Santurce, San Juan, Puerto Rico

Dear Bernie:

Your letter of the 16th seems to answer my questions. If Al Teixeira has delegated the tropical Tremellales to you and you are planning to cover the entire group, there seems to be, at the moment, no coordinating for me to do. Later, as your work nears completion, I should like to be able to consult with you, especially on matters of major classification. I have been working over some of the genera as time has permitted and there are a lot of problems in that aspect.

Actually, I have been kept extremely busy with the Myxomycetes, not for OFN, but because specimens and papers have been piling up so fast. Alex is now in Hawaii, but expects to return to Texas July 7 and then I shall start coordinating the Myxos, and it looks at the moment as there might be quite a bit of coordinating in that field.

Because of the press of work, and because I have not been feeling too well this spring, I have done no more with Lazo's material, but I shall pack it up shortly and send it to you with such notes as I have made.

Sincerely yours,

G. W. Martin

GWM/js

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April 30, 1968

Professor B. Lowy
Dept. of Botany & Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Professor Lowy:

Your letter of April 23rd to Alcides reminds me that I am still delinquent in my reply to you about the matter of maps.

It is now clear that we will not have had sufficient progress with the preparation of outline maps by the A.G.S. to furnish them to you. As an alternative I would suggest that you use the standard Goode's Series of Base Maps published by the University of Chicago Press. You of course are familiar with the Goode Maps.

Alcides may have told you, that upon the completion of your monograph and editing, publication would proceed rapidly.

We look forward to receiving your contribution.

Sincerely,

Bassett Maguire

Bassett Maguire
Executive Director, O.F.N.

BM:dz
cc: Dr. A. Teixeira

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April 29, 1968

Dr. B. Lowry
Botany and Plant Pathology
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Bernie:

Thank you for your letter of April 25. It sounds like you are going to have an excellent summer collecting in the West Indies.

Dr. Maguire is looking forward to receiving your manuscript for Flora Neotropica.

Sincerely,

Clark

Clark T. Rogerson
Senior Curator
Cryptogamic Botany

CTR:JT

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April 30, 1968.

Dr. Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany and Plant Pathology
Lousiana State University
BATON ROUGE - LOUISIANA 70803

Dear Bernard:

Thank you for your letter of April 23rd, on the matter of maps for the Flora Neotropica. I forwarded your letter to Bassett who has already answered it. Unfortunately we still do not have the A.G.S. maps and until we have them we must use maps from some other sources and the standard Goode's Series of Base Maps, published by the University of Chicago Press, are being suggested to all monographers.

We are looking forward to receiving your paper.

Thank you for your offer to reserve a place for me and Beulah at your University residence at the univ. campus. I shall keep it in mind.

Our best regards to Mrs. Lowy.

Sincerely,

Alcides

A. R. Teixeira
Scientific Director
(Thallophyta), O.F.N.

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April 23, 1968

Dear Alcides:

With the semester coming to a close, I have been at work on the manuscript as much as time permits. In my last letter I inquired about the availability of map outlines which I am eager to get started with since considerable data are now on hand regardding species distribution. I shall have only about 6 weeks before I leave for the summer to collect in the West Indies, an area which I have so far neglected. If I receive the outlines shortly there will still be some time to,begin the transfer of data.

I hope that your work is progressing satisfactorily. If you plan to come to Louisiana in the Fall, I will be glad to reserve a place for you and your wife at our University residence which is located on campus. I expect to return to the University probably during late August.

With kindest regards,

Cordially,

B. Lowy

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March 7, 1968

Dr. Bassett Maguire
The New York Botanical Garden
Bronx, New York 10458

Dear Dr. Maguire:

Apart from their generally pleasing aesthetic effect, I do not regard the use of illustrations in color as vital to the paper on neotropical Tremellales now in preparation. However, I plan to include a series of line drawings of representative genera as well as distribution data on maps of the type refered to in the directive for monographers. Since I am now assembling these data it would be most helpful to have on hand as soon as practicable a sufficient supply of the standard map outlines to enable me to proceed with this part of the work. It was my understanding after speaking with Dr. Teixeira that the directive for monographers was being revised. If the new version is available I would like to have a copy to use as a guide in the preparation of the manuscript.

In the forthcoming number of Taxon (April) there will be a paper of mine that I would expect to include (with a few minor changes) as part of my introductory chapter to the neotropical Tremellales. It explains the taxonomic rearrangement of the Tremellales that I propose to adopt.

Sincerely yours,

BL

Bernard Lowy
Professor of Botany

BL:mjb

cc: Dr. A. R. Teixeira

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Bronx, New York 10458

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Sincerely yours,

Bernard Lowy

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February 15, 1968

Professor Bernard Lowy
Department of Botany
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Professor Lowy:

Thank you for your letter of February 7th. I regret that I was not in New York at the time of your visit, but Doctor Teixeira and Doctor Rogerson have told me that you were here.

They both report that your paper on neotropical Tremellales will be quite suitable indeed for Flora Neotropica, and that we should be much pleased at the prospect of your contribution. Doctor Teixeira, who is Scientific Director for Cryptogams, will write you further on the matter.

The question of color plates has come up several times. We all agree that it would be most attractive to have some color illustrations, but we have been persuaded that it would be wiser to exclude them altogether. I am sure you can appreciate that various authors would have their own notion as to how extensive color illustration should be. The more practical position, it seems, would discourage all color reproduction. I hope very much that this would not become an important consideration in your own regard.

You may know that Doctor Martin has been asked to act as coordinator for the Myxomycetes and the Tremellales. Since you are in close contact with him, I am sure there would be complete communication between you.

We shall look forward very much to your monograph of the Tremellales for Flora Neotropica.

Sincerely yours,

Bassett Maguire

Bassett Maguire, Executive Director
Organization for Flora Neotropica

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Copy: Dr. A. R. Teixeira

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February 7, 1968

Dr. Bassett Maguire
The New York Botanical Garden
Bronx, New York 10458

Dear Dr. Maguire:

In conversations with Dr. Alcides Teixeira during a recent visit to the Garden (you were away at the time), I mentioned that I had a manuscript in preparation on neotropical Tremellales which might be suitable for publication in Flora Neotropica. While no formal commitment of any kind was made, there was a verbal understanding with Dr. Teixeira that such a manuscript, if conforming to the outlined procedure for monographers and subject to approval by the Staff Committee, would receive appropriate consideration. Not covered in the procedural regulations, a copy of which was given to me by Dr. Teixeira, is the question of financial support available for illustrations in color. I tentatively plan to include one or more such plates, to be assembled from my original Kodachrome or Ektachrome slides and I would like to know the policy of the editorial staff regarding the inclusion of colored illustrations of this type. I would appreciate having your comments on this or other related matters.

Sincerely yours,

Bernard Lowy, Professor
Department of Botany

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✓	B. Lowy	Tremellales	160	Printer	November, 1970
	C. C. Berg	Moraceae (Olmedieae)	150	Printer	November, 197
	G. T. Prance	Chrysobalanaceae	400	Printer	December, 197
	P. J. M. Maas	Zingerberaceae (Costoideae)	150	Printer	" "
1971	L. B. Smith	Bromeliaceae (Pitcairnioideae)	1400	Editor	March
	G. T. Prance	Dichapetalaceae	100		December
	C. C. Berg	Moraceae			December
	P. J. M. Maas	Zingerberaceae			December
	Jesus Idrobo	Marantaceae	140		December
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	Frank White	Ebenaceae	150		December
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	Alvaro Fernández	Violaceae	150		December

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1971	Frits Jonker	Burmanniaceae	100	December
	Leandro Aristeguieta			December
	Tetsuo Koyama	Cyperaceae	250	December
	T. D. Pennington	Meliaceae	200	December
	Armando Dugand	Bignoniaceae	250	December
		Polygonaceae (pt.)	50	December
	A. Aubreville	Sapotaceae		December
1972	Caroline K. Allen	Lauraceae (pt.)		December
	Bassett Maguire	Clusiaceae (Moronoboideae)	50	December
	Andre Robyns	Bombacaceae	200	December
	Velva Rudd	Leguminosae		
		Aeschynomeninae	250	December
		Ptirocarpeae	150	December
		Machaerium	150	December
	G. T. Prance	Caryocaraceae	50	December
	O. Fidalgo & M. E. P. K. Fidalgo	Polyporaceae (pt.)		December
	Clark T. Rogerson	Hypocreales		December
1973	Herman Sleumer	Ericaceae		December
		Vacciniaceae		December
		Flacourtiaceae		December
1974	John T. Mickel	Schizaeaceae	150	December
		Polypodiaceae	400	December
		Diplazium		
	Peter Raven	Onagraceae	150	December
	J. A. Steyermark	Rubiaceae	1000	December
	Tetsuo Koyama	Liliaceae	300	December
1975	H. S. Irwin	Cassia	500	December
	G. T. Prance	Lecythidaceae	500	December
	Gary L. Smith	Polytrichaceae	200	December
1976	John T. Mickel	Polypodiaceae (Elaphoglossum)	500	December

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July 14, 1970

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD, MEMBERSHIP AND MONOGRAPHERS

Dear Colleague:

Attached is the schedule for the monograph series of Flora Neotropica, as it stands at the current date. It is now necessary to obtain from prospective monographers updated target dates for the submittal of their copy. Won't each of you please examine the record of Doc. 23/1970, and let me have a prompt reply to confirm the recorded date, or to provide a revised forecast.

The new Schedule of Monograph Series should be completed and posted by August 15.

Publication of monographs for Flora Neotropica for 1970, as you will have observed, will be quite impressive. It will be equally so for 1971. Appeal is made to all of you for your own active participation in the program. Too, let me urge you to seek out additional prospective monographers of high quality. We must further flesh-out the publication schedule for the next ten years.

With much appreciation and best regards,

Sincerely,

Bassett Maguire

Bassett Maguire
Executive Director
Organization for Flora Neotropica

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Cryptogams:								
Omphalinae (No.3)	130	R. Singer	In Galley					Autumn
Supplement No.3	15 One	" "	Received	Comp.	In Progress			Autumn
Phaeocollybia No.4	7 Issue	" "	Received	Comp.	In Progress			Autumn
Strobilomycetaceae No.5	25	" "	Received	Comp.	In Progress			Autumn
Tremellales No. 6	160	B. Lowy	February	March	March	Summer	Summer	Autumn
Phanerogams:								
Bromeliaceae (pts.)	1400	L.B.Smith	January 1970	January 1970	Feb. 1970	March 1970	April 1970	Summer 1970
Rapateaceae) Abolbodaceae)	175	B.Maguire	August 1970	September 1970	September 1970	October 1970	October 1970	Winter 1970
Zingerberaceae	150	P.J.M.Maas	January 1970	January 1970	February 1970	March 1970	March 1970	Spring 1970
Brunelliaceae (No.2)	200	J.Cuatre-casas	In Galley					Autumn
Chrysobalanaceae	400	G.T.Prance	On hand	Autumn	Autumn	Autumn	Autumn	Winter
Marcgraviaceae	150	A.C.deRoon	January	January	February	March	March	Spring 1970
Moraceae (Pts.) Olmediae	150	C.C.Berg	On hand	Autumn	Autumn	Autumn	Winter	Winter
Caricaceae	150	V.Badillo	Autumn	Winter	Winter	Winter	Spring 1970	Summer 1970
Ebenaceae	150	Frank White	Summer	Summer	Summer	Summer	Winter 1970	Winter 1970
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Leguminosae Sophoreae	**250**	**Velva Rudd**	**Spring 1970**	**Summer 1970**	**Summer 1970**	**Autumn 1970**	**Autumn 1970**	**Winter 1970**

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	P. J. M. Maas	Zingerberaceae	150		December
	David Lellinger	Ferns (pts.)			December
	Bassett Maguire	Rapateaceae Abolbodaceae	125 50		December December
	Velva Rudd	Leguminosae (Sophoreae)	250		December
	Victor Badillo	Caricaceae	150		December
	Frank White	Ebenaceae	150		December

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	Alvaro Fernández	Violaceae	150	December
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	Leandro Aristeguieta	Annonaceae		December
	Tetsuo Koyama	Cyperaceae	250	December
	G. T. Prance	Dichapetalaceae	100	December
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	Armando Dugand	Bignoniaceae	250	December
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	Andre Robyns	Bombacaceae	200	December
	Velva Rudd	Leguminosae		
		Aeschynomeninae	250	December
		Ptirocarpeae	150	December
		Machaerium	150	December
	G. T. Prance	Caryocaraceae	50	December
	O. Fidalgo & M.E.P.K. Fidalgo	Polyporaceae (pt.)		December
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		Polypodiaceae	400	December
		Diplazium		
	Peter Raven	Onagraceae	150	December
	J. A. Steyermark	Rubiaceae	1000	December
1975	H. S. Irwin	Cassia	500	December
	G. T. Prance	Lecythidaceae	500	December
	Gary L. Smith	Polytrichaceae	200	December
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INFORMATION AND PROCEDURE FOR PROSPECTIVE MONOGRAPHERS OF FLORA NEOTROPICA

1. Subject to approval by the Staff Committee, the Executive Director will make formal arrangements with the prospective monographer. It would be understood that the monograph would be prepared within the provisions of the Guide-Lines for Flora Neotropica.

2. Agreement on the subject and the delimitation of the monograph, i.e., the family, or infrafamilial taxon, will have been determined by arrangement between the monographer and the Staff Committee. The estimate of length, i.e., number of typescript pages, will be sought from the monographer.

3. A reasonable target date for the completion of the monograph will be established with the monographer.

4. Details will be worked out with the monographer as to his place and duration of residence for the conduct of any part of the work, should this be required by the monographer. At the place of residence, whether at the home institution or a host institution, material may be brought together for the use of the monographer.

5. If residence is to be taken up in a host institution, support for stipend, subsistance and travel may be arranged. It should be expected, ordinarily, that a full year would be required to effect arrangement for financial support.

6. In the event that supplementary field work is required, support for it must be found. This need of field work should be established if possible at the time of initial arrangements.

7. A questionnaire will be submitted to elicit this information from monographers.

8. The prospective monographer will be asked to offer a general statement of agreement and intent.

See Bull. Torrey Bot. Club 85: 277-300. 1958.
(for lit. citation style) 88: 1-10. 1961.

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9. A record of agreement, the taxon selected for monography, and target date for completion of typescripts will be maintained and will be available to all monographers. A composite record of all agreements will be updated each year and this document circularized, so as to provide information as to the expected sequence of publication.

10. Contract with Hafner Publishing Company has been established, by which the publication of up to 1000 printed pages per year is guaranteed.

Bassett Maguire

Bassett Maguire, Executive Director
Organization for Flora Neotropica

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GUIDE-LINES AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF MONOGRAPHS FOR FLORA NEOTROPICA

For the purposes of Flora Neotropica, the Neotropics is defined as the Western Hemisphere continental land mass lying between the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, together with adjacent islands and including those of the West Indies, southern Bahamas, and Galapagos. No altitudinal or zonal exclusion would be made within the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn. There must be some flexibility of areal interpretation and delimitation for certain taxa where interfingering of broad floras occurs.

To achieve unity and uniformity in the series of monographs for Flora Neotropica, contributors are asked to follow the principles, sequence, content, and instructions indicated below:

I. Taxonomic Presentation.

A. General. The content of the introductory chapters is obviously a matter of judgment for each individual author; the following refers to subjects which the Committee considers to represent minimal requirements to be dealt with in the original treatment.

1. The principal title of the series of monographs shall be Flora Neotropica.
2. Monographs may be at the ordinal, familial, subfamilial, tribal, generic, or in complex genera, by arrangement at the infra-generic level.
3. Typescripts submitted for publication as monographs for Flora Neotropica shall be subject to the invitation, review, acceptance, and editorial adjustment by the Staff Committee of the O.F.N. The Staff Committee consists of the Scientific Directors with the Executive Director as Chairman.
4. Format shall be uniform, and in octavo.

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5. The Flora Neotropica shall be published in English. The obvious exceptions will be quotations in non-English languages, and Latin diagnoses which would be employed in proposals of new taxa.

6. Monographs may be published as they are accepted, without regard to order of taxonomic or hierarchical sequence.

7. The selections of plant names employed in monographs of Flora Neotropica will conform to the application of names as set forth in the International Code of Botanical Nomenclature ~~adopted by the Ninth International Botanical Congress, Montreal, August 1959, or any subsequently adopted code.~~

* 8. Extralimital taxa should in general be excluded. This would apply especially to subordinate elements of large genera which are chiefly extratropical, as in Castilleja. When the ~~temperate~~ subordinate elements are preponderantly neotropical, a few ~~temperate~~ extralimital ones may reasonably be included.

9. Monographers are urged to consult as much authentic plant material as possible, especially type material. They are further urged themselves to check pertinent literature, and not to depend on secondary sources.

B. The Monograph. Introductory Section.

1. General remarks on the delimitation and scope of the group (Taxon) treated, its general geography and ecology.

2. Historical account of the study of the group.

3. Consideration of general morphology, anatomy, cytology, and cytogenetics, breeding patterns, chemotaxonomy, and serology, when information is available, supplemented by appropriate illustrations, tables and diagrams which should offer a comparison of various diagnostic features, diagrams of flowers, fruits, etc.

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4. Consideration of the taxonomic position of the group, and any appropriate discussion on phylogeny and evolution.

5. Literature bearing on the above general categories.

C. Systematic Section.

1. The Family (or highest taxon in the category treated):

a. Scientific name, authority, nomenclatural type, and derivation of name.

b. Synonymy, bibliographic citations and pertinent literature.

c. Technical description.

d. General remarks (may include considerations of nomenclature and morphology).

e. Consideration of geography and ecology, if here desirable.

f. Key to the next subordinate taxa; in less complex families to genera.

g. Extralimital subfamilies, tribes, genera, or species would not ordinarily be treated, but for completeness may be referred to in the "General Remarks (B.1)."

2. The Genus (would apply also for any monogeneric family):

a. Scientific name, authority, nomenclatural type with reference to I.N.G. cards. Do not italicize.

b. Synonymy, bibliographic citations and pertinent literature, if any; citation of types, lectotypes or neotypes. Italicize names of synonyms.

c. Technical description of the genus, with chief emphasis on characterization of neotropical elements, illustrated where ~~possible~~ desirable

d. Type of the genus or lectotype, with citation. Place in separate paragraph.

e. Geographic distribution, frequency and ecology, if not already covered under B.

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f. Other pertinent remarks and discussions (local ~~common~~ names, uses, etc), if not already covered under B.

g. Key to the subgeneric or infrageneric taxa, if any.

h. Key to the species (and/or next subordinate rank).

3. The Species (including monospecific genera):

a. Scientific name and authority; derivation of the epithet, if instructive.

b. Synonymy, at least name-bringing and synonymy pertinent to neotropical elements, with citation of types, lectotypes or neotypes; place of deposit (use herbarium symbols of Lanjouw & Stafleu, Index Herbariorum, latest edition).

c. Technical description of the species, inclusive of pollen description, chromosome number (literature or voucher specimen), type of embryo sac, etc, if known and appropriate here. Diagnostic characters of species should be illustrated, at least those for new species.

d. Type of the species in a separate paragraph starting "Type.", with citation, or lectotype or neotype, with citation; place of deposit. Indicate clearly when the type has not been consulted by the abbreviation n.v.

e. Extralimital species may be included if their treatment would strengthen that of the genus and if they are comparatively few in number.

f. Geographic distribution, phenology frequency and ecology in a separate paragraph headed "Distribution." (Fig. 1, etc, as appropriate). To achieve uniformity and accuracy in the spelling of geographic names, the Index to Maps of Hispanic America 1:1,000,000, American Geographical Society Publication 5, 1943, is designated as the standard, supplemented by modern official governmental maps of countries concerned.

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g. Subspecific or infraspecific taxa, if any, ~~including the nominate,~~ are to be treated as components of the species, with keys, citation of types, etc. Descriptions should be subordinated to that of the species as a whole. There would, therefore, be no "typical subspecies" or "variety" from which the other components vary. Only basionyms in new combinations, and those synonyms for which it is impossible to refer to one of the subordinate taxa, should be cited under the species as a whole; all others should be cited under the appropriate infraspecific taxon. All citation of types should be done under the appropriate infraspecific taxon if the species is subdivided, but there should be a statement of distribution for the species as a whole and one also for each of the included subordinate taxa.

h. ~~Vernacular~~ local names (where significant) and uses, with citation of collection numbers, would be placed in a separate paragraph headed "~~Vernacular~~ Local names and uses."

i. Other pertinent remarks (taxonomic problems, ~~phenology~~, ~~common~~ local names indicating origin and area of application, uses, etc).

j. Citation of ~~critical~~ significant specimens studied, to include date of flowering and/or fruiting. Complete citation of abundant and widespread species (or infraspecific taxa) need not be given and should not be given. Within parentheses, following the collection number, use abbreviations of Lanjouw & Stafleu in Index Herbariorum. The order of countries and their subdivisions will be as indicated in the appendix (by common practice from N to S and from W to E). Names of countries should be written in capitals and followed by a period. Names of their subdivisions should be in lower case, except the initial letter, and should be followed by a colon

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(example, VENEZUELA. Bolivar:). Citation of specimens should be in a single continuing paragraph. Initials of collector's names should normally be omitted except in the citation of types unless their omission would cause serious confusion. Dates should be included. The collector's name and his number, or "s n", should both be underlined (for italics). Collections within a given geographical subdivision should be separated by colons, separate collections by semicolons, and the last followed by a period. The first collection cited in each subdivision should begin with an initial capital letter.

4. Indexes by species and collector and number of all cited and/or examined specimens.
5. Index of ~~technical names~~ names of taxa and ~~common~~ local names.
6. It is recommended that distribution maps, if useful, be prepared for any taxon. Maps may be obtained from the office of the Executive Director.

II. Instructions on format, style (abbreviations, etc), use of italic, form of keys, etc.

To promote cohesiveness, to facilitate consultation and ease of bibliographic reference, models are being prepared as guides to monographs. These models will conform to instructions, as indicated below, which will serve equally for treatments of vascular and non-vascular plants.

1. An official printer has been selected, so as to promote a better working facility between editors and printer, a consistent format, type face, and binding.
2. ~~Measurements, altitudes, and water depth will be designated in units of the metric system~~ the metric system will be used in all measurements, (except in quotation). Do not use commas in numbers.

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3. Standard abbreviations (See Stearn, Botanical Latin, 1966) and symbols to be used in text may include the following without punctuation: ♂, ♀, ☿, ☽, °, degree; cf, confer; i e, id est; l c, loco citato; litt, litteratura; viz, videlicet; q v, quod vide; n v, non visus, non vidi; sp, species; spp, species (pl); var, varietas; gen, genus, sub, as prefix; alt, use consistently for "altitude" or "elevation"; m, meter; dm, decimeter; cm, centimeter; mm, millimeter; u, micron; diam, diameter; N, north; ca, circa, use consistently in description for about, approximately, or more or less; E, east, S, south, W, west, SW, southwest (all appropriate compass points); C, centigrade; n, gametic chromosome number; 2n, somatic chromosome number; x, basic chromosome number. The fuller employment of abbreviations might properly be left to the editors.

4. Do not abbreviate names of authors.

5. Literature will be cited in the form and abbreviations given in the lists compiled by Schwarten & Rickett, Bull. Torrey Club 85: 277-300. 1958; 88: 1-10. 1961. Leave a space after the volume number with its colon.

6. Italic will be used for all non-English words used in the text, except for Latin diagnoses, ~~technical terms,~~ and commonly used abbreviations derived from non-English words (cf, litt, etc, l c).

7. Specific epithets will be written in lower case.

8. Key will be dichotomous, indented, and numbered, as showed in the appended model Uniform style of keys is most important. Do not include "leads" (dotted lines). Close each step of the key with a period. Place a period after each name in the key.

9. Figures (line drawings, diagrams, graphs, photographs) will be numbered consecutively by Arabic numbers; parts of figures to be designated by lower case letters. Each figure should be provided with an explicit

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caption. Voucher specimens for illustrations of plants should be in the legend. Figures should be prepared for reduction to a 5 x 7 inch page (12.5 x 17.5 cm). Reference to figures in the text should be indicated consistently "Figs 1-4" etc in sequential order, and should appear in the order used in the text.

10. Tables should have an appropriate heading, and should bear consecutive Roman numbers in the order of appearance in the text. They should be cited "TABLE I", etc.

11. Footnotes should bear consecutive Arabic numbers in the order of appearance in the text. Footnotes should be inserted in the typescript where each one occurs, not at the bottom of the page, and should be set off by lines above and below.

12. For geographical place names, rivers, mountains, etc, Index to Maps of Hispanic America 1:1,000,000, American Geographical Society Publication 5, 1943, is designated as standard.

13. Outline maps will be offered to the author.

14. Typescript should be prepared as follows:

a. Submit one original or ribbon copy on bond paper, and one carbon copy (or preferably xerox), each on 8-1/2 x 11 inch paper, typed on one side of the page only.

b. Triple-space throughout, including all text, quotations, literature cited, footnotes, and captions.

c. Number each page consecutively in upper right-hand corner, and repeat author's name on each page.

d. Indent all paragraphs, except in formal presentation of taxa which should start flush on the left-hand margin.

e. Provide ample margins of at least 3 cm on left side of page, and at top and bottom, and 2 cm on right side.

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f. Leave four spaces between sections of the typescript, and between the presentation of generic and specific taxa.

g. Write out numbers of a single digit (from one to ten), unless it is in a series of numbers, except in keys, descriptions, and in quotations. Numbers of two or more digits should be written in Arabic numerals. ~~Use decimal point followed by zero, as 1.0-2.2 mm; do not use 1-2.2 mm.~~ Do not leave space on either side of hyphen.

h. Quotation marks generally (except as a part of quotation) should be placed outside of commas, periods, inside all other punctuation. Single quotes are used in the same manner, unless they indicate fancy names of cultivated plants, in which instance the single quote belongs inside any punctuation.

i. Use commas to separate all parts in a series, i e before "and" and "or."

j. Leave two spaces after periods at the ends of sentences. Leave one space after initials in the literature: A. J. Brown, not A.J.Brown.

k. Headings: Headings may be written in caps, or caps and lower case. Type face and positioning will be indicated by the editors.

l. Do not begin sentence with an abbreviation.

m. Write out generic name the first time it occurs in each paragraph, and where two or more generic names with the same initial occur in the paragraph.

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SUPPLEMENT I

GEOGRAPHIC SEQUENCE IN THE CITATION OF HERBARIUM SPECIMENS

Sequence of geographical arrangement as is commonly practiced by geographers is given below. It follows a logical procedure and would facilitate the consultation of Flora Neotropica if it were so employed in our Guide Lines and particularly in the Models now under preparation.

For the further breakdown of citations in political divisions (states, provinces, etc) within each country, the logical sequence would also be from North to South and from West to East.

REFERENCE: A. G. S. Maps of the Americas

1:5,000,000

1:1,000,000

I. Mexico, Central America

1. Mexico
2. Guatemala
3. British Honduras
4. Honduras
5. El Salvador
6. Nicaragua
7. Costa Rica
8. Panama (including Canal Zone as a subdivision)

II. West Indies

1. Cuba
2. Bahama Islands
3. Jamaica
4. Hispaniola (Haiti - Republica Dominicana)
5. Puerto Rico
6. Virgin Islands

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II. West Indies continued ---

7. Leeward Islands
8. Windward Islands
9. Other islands in geographical sequence

III. South America (and off-mainland islands)

1. Colombia
2. Venezuela
3. Trinidad, Tobago
4. Guyana (formerly Br. Guiana)
6. ~~Guyane Française~~ French Guiana
5. Suriname
7. Ecuador
8. Peru
9. Brazil
10. Bolivia
11. Chile
12. Paraguay
13. Uruguay
14. Argentina

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Monograph 1
COWAN, RICHARD S.
Swartzia (Leguminosae, Caesalpinioideae Swartzieae)
232 *pages, illus.* 1968. *Paperbound* $13.00

This first contribution was granted "The Henry Allen Gleason Award" at the annual meeting of the Botanical Society of America, September 1968. Printed on high quality paper this monograph is enhanced by excellent keys to the species native to the New World Tropics and by the superb illustrations. Detailed distribution maps and indices provide further evidence of the quality of this contribution to taxonomy.
(*American Midland Naturalist*, Vol. 81(1):288, Jan. 1969)

Monograph 2
CUATRECASAS, J.
Brunelliaceae
192 *pages,* 1970 $12.95

This monograph describes a small plant family which offers much interest because of its morphological peculiarities, the taxonomic challenge and interpretation, and significance as an important member of neotropical plant communities, although it has no special economic value. This work includes 50 species.

Monographs 3-5
SINGER, ROLF
Omphalinae-Phaeocollybia-Strobilomycetaceae
3 *vols. in one.* 132 *pages,* 1970 $11.95

A taxonomic account of three neotropical species. The geographic, ecologic, cytologic, anatomic, morphologic, chemical and economic data is given for each.

Monograph 6
LOWY, BERNARD
Tremellales
160 *pages, illus.* 1971 $12.95

A concise description of the tremellaceous fungi which have verifiably been reported from tropical America, and an identification guide (through the use of appropriate keys) for the bulk of such material as might be gathered in the field. The work includes a series of maps showing the distribution of the known species of neotropical Tremellales and is further enriched by photographs and line drawings.

Monograph 7
BERG, C. C.
Olmedieae (Moraceae)
160 *pages, illus.* 1971 $12.95

The neotropical Olmedieae contain a number of genera which are the least well-defined and the least understood of the New World Moraceae. This study fills some of these gaps and contributes generously to the taxonomy of the Olmedieae and also to the classification of the Moraceae, which is still imperfect. At present there are about one hundred and fifty specific names assigned to the neotropical genera of the Olmedieae. This paper considers seven neotropical genera with fifty-one species.

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Zingiberacea

Monograph 9
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