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THE HATTORI BOTANICAL LABORATORY

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Jan. 15, 1969

Dr. L.J.Gier
Department of Botany
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

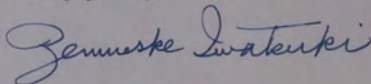
Dear Dr. Gier:

Thank you very much for your interest, letter and reprints dated on Nov. 14, 1959. I read Mr. Thomas' article on Atrichum xanthopelma with much interesting. I quite agree with your opinion that A. xanthopelma is only a habitat modification and dynonymous with A. angustatum. Recently I reexamined some of the specimens named as A. angustatum from Japan, and thought that papillosity of this species is less valuable for specification. I think your experiments is quite important to recognize the validity of moss characters. Many of the Japanese mosses are very polymorphic, so we need more experimental works. I am trying some day in future such experimental works in relation to my taxonomical works. We would be very glad if you give us any suggestions on this problem.

A few days ago, I sent you some ^{of} my reprints. On the course of my study of epiphytic bryophyte flora of Japan, I found many of epiphytic species are quite sensible to microenvironment. Ciliation, papillosity, and thick-ness of cell walls are variable, related to moisture, light intensity and temperature. Even on the same tree, many different forms of a species were recognized. I think they are interesting materials for the experiments.

According to Dr. Hattori's suggestion, I am enclosing some of newly issued Japanese stamps.

Sincerely yours,



Zenneske Iwatsuki

orchidarium

P.S. Could you tell me what kind of ~~moist~~ control chamber and ~~orchidarium~~ you are using for your experiments?

BRITISH BRYOLOGICAL SOCIETY

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SURREY.

18 March
1961

Dear Dr. Jón

Thank you for your letter and photograph. You are the 2nd member to send me one and you have both sent me before so it is nice to see the differences - Dr. Boros's was 30 years ago and I see in his face the unhappiness of Hungary.

We have lots of small photos of members taken at meetings, but all are so small - like the ones we see sometimes in the Bryologist of our Annual Forays.

I shall write you new address as from July 1st. Truly yours
E. C. Wallace

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION
UNITED STATES NATIONAL MUSEUM
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

April 25, 1961

Dr. L. J. Gier
Department of Biology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

We would like to request a loan of all the specimens
of Atrichum crispum (James) Sull., including the variety
molle (Holz.) Frye, that you may have in your herbarium.
The specimens will be a valuable aid to us in our studies.

Sincerely yours,

Robert R. Ireland Jr.

Robert R. Ireland, Jr.
Assistant Curator
Division of Cryptogams

April 28, 1961

Robert E. Ireland
Cryptogam Herbarium
Smithsonian Inst.
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Ireland,

Am sorry I do not have many Atrichum crispum specimens but am enclosing what I have, with the exception of your NO. 400 from Randolph Co., West Virginia which I received in an exchange. You probably have it so thought it not necessary to send it to you.

As I shall be gone most of summer, will appreciate it if you can have these back before May 30 so I can get them back into the file before I leave.

Yours truly,

L. J. Gier

enc. packets of Atrichum crispum our number

4494	St. Genevieve ^C Co., Mo.	Gier
6006	Sheffield, England	Evans
6010	Wales	Parker
6465	Pennsylvania	Githens No. 1224
9698h	Wales	Smith 113 3/1

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION
UNITED STATES NATIONAL MUSEUM
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

May 2, 1961

Dr. L. J. Gier
Department of Biology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

Thank you for the loan of the five specimens of Atrichum.
They all turned out to be A. crispum except your collection
from Missouri. I have not been able to verify any Missouri
reports of the species yet but I imagine it does occur in the
state.

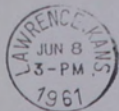
Thanks again for the loan and if I can be of any help to
you in the future, please let me know.

Sincerely yours,

Robert R. Ireland Jr.

Robert R. Ireland, Jr.
Assistant Curator
Division of Cryptogams

Enclosure: 5 specimens of
Atrichum crispum.



UNIVERSITY

Dr. L. J. Gier
William Jewell College
Biology Dept.
Liberty
Mo.

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Department of Botany
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr Gier

This is to inform you that
I shall be at:

The Ohio State
Institute of Botany
125 South Oval
Columbus 10, Ohio

where I shall be working on the
younger Palaeozoic of Antarctica.
I shall be grateful to continue the privilege
of reprints from you at this new address.

Yours sincerely

Arthur C. Cushman

NEWCOMB COLLEGE

Tulane University

NEW ORLEANS 18, LA.

Department of Botany

July 6, 1961

Dr. L.J. Gier
Department of Biology and Geology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

I have been working over my field materials from Paricutin Volcano, Mexico and I find I have one moss, collected last summer, that is different from those I sent you previously. Would you look at it, at such time as is convenient for you? There is not much material, but I collected every bit that I could find.

Thank you for your valuable help.

Yours, sincerely,

Willis A. Egler
Willis A. Egler

#36 *Bryum caespitosum* (Bryen) Schimp.

MISS WINONA H. WELCH

Aug. 1, '61

P. O. BOX 283, GREENCASTLE, INDIANA

Dear Dr. Giv:

How nice to hear from you and Margaret again! We shall miss you ^{at} foray but shall understand. It is a small rugged area but it won't be nearly as exciting as was the 1958 foray in Greencastle environs. Because of that, last Thursday one of Al. Miller's grad. students flew in (Piper) with Dr. Bonner, ^{herpetologist}, from Geneva, Switzerland, Mr. B. + son, Robin, for a half-day of collecting. Flew back ~~that evening, early~~ ^{that morning, early}. How fast can biologists be!

We are having same kind of weather as you. Except I'm

telling myself that I'll be hotter.
I plan to arrive in Panama
Aug. 8, to collect in forests in C.Z.,
chiefly, for DeBenedictis, especially
Piperaceae for Dr. Gunkel + Hooker-
ianae for my own monographic
study in that family. Do you
see any of those species in
your Bern collections? I'm
not ready now! Caribbean next!
Then Mexican! N. Amer. work
(MS, not drawings) is nearly done.
I return just in time to go
to Purdue meetings and to assist
in APS foray.

I retired as Dept. Head on June
30. Now, more research time

MISS WINONA H. WELCH

P. O. BOX 283, GREENCASTLE, INDIANA

as I shall teach only 6 hrs. per sem.
A source of a larger monthly check
(than ^{if not teaching}) so I'm pleased; only wish I could
do research day & night & receive
pay. Ha! Ha!

Dr. Gunkler enjoys his research
freedom. He was dead 37 years.

Your plans sound very exciting.
The results will be what Bryolo-
gists can use forever. Certainly,
I shall be happy to recommend
you. Best wishes for all
of your plans coming true.

Very best to you and
Margaret!
Winona



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Dr. L. J. Gier
Dept. of Biology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Academy of Natural Sciences, 19th street and the Parkway,
Philadelphia 3, Penna.

14 Sept. 1961

Dear Dr. Gier:

Please note that my new address is as
above.

With regards and best wishes,

Sincerely,

Francis Drouet

THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VANCOUVER 8, CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY AND BOTANY

November 15, 1961

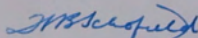
Curator of Bryophytes,
Department of Biology,
William Jewell College,
Liberty, Missouri.

Dear Sir,

Currently a student at this university is working on a taxonomic problem involving the genus Rhytidiadelphus in North America. So that the geographic range and morphologic variation may be better understood, he would like to examine material from as wide a range as possible. In consequence, we should be grateful if you could send us, on loan, all of the North American material of this genus that you have in your collection.

We should return the material by early June, or earlier, if specifically requested to do so.

Yours sincerely,



W. B. Schofield
Curator of Bryophytes

8 *R. triquetus* 75, 5812, 5886, 5881, 6448 7302 9451 8946

3 *R. loevis* 5220 9151 7303

2 *R. squarrosa* 5232 7031

13 sent 11/29. Suggested 90 day loan maximum
= Feb. 27

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19 Nov. 1961

Dear Dr. Greig

Thank you for box
of 79 packets of mosses
sent to the B.P.F. Exchange

I am glad you were satisfied
with specimens sent from the
Curt Exchange. I already
have a few gatherings from
Nolaya in for the next, so
will send you a packet of
each species. I have your set
list of desiderata, and, together

with the request in your
letter I'll make up a good
parcel for you. We always
get plenty of Mangrove sent
in, though not always extra-
British Isles.

Please remember I like
U.S.P. special issue
commemorative stamps. You
once sent me a nice lot,
and if any recent ones
come your way, and are
cheap, please think of me.
If you want any Commonwealth
or European - Exchange please
advise.

Yours Truly

E. Wallace

THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
VANCOUVER 8, CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY AND BOTANY

Dec 11, 1961

Dear Dr. Sier,

The packets of Rhytidiadelphus arrived in good condition. We'll endeavour to get them back as soon as possible. Since it is a small lot, we should be able to get it back in a few weeks.

We expect no serious taxonomic problems, but were curious about the geographic range & variation in the species - wanted to contribute a bit more to the detailed morphology of the genus.

B.C. is a fabulous place to be a bryologist. Do come out some summer - sample the prizes here!

Yours truly,
W.B. Schofield

Dec 13th 1961

2 Strathearn
Sutton Rd
Lewes

Dear Dr. Llew.

Thank you for sending
such a good lot of U.S.A.
commemorative stamps. About
three quarters of them were new
to me.

I have looked out some
L.A. stamps - recent issues,
and send them now. I will
look out what I have spare
from Germany, Sweden, and
and the Commonwealth and
send them before very long.
Plenty of work on
hand, so not too much
time must be spent at the
stamps.

Best wishes for
Christmas & New Year
ever truly
Edward Llew

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI
COLUMBIA

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCE
DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

March 30, 1963.

Dear Mr. Gier:

Thank you for the letter and for the reprints. I am happy to have both although I am quite acquainted with you and with William Jewell by reputation, and with the work you people are doing there. I look forward to my visit.

I prefer the fried chicken menu and I shall plan to come to the campus in the afternoon. I plan to be there between 3:00 and 3:30 P.M. I would be happy to talk with some of the interested students and, of course, with you and the others on the staff. I do have a lecture and laboratory on Tues. afternoon from 1:30 - 4:30, but I think I have arranged with one of my graduate students to handle that for me, so I hope to leave here about noon. If, for some reason, I cannot get there by 3:00 - 3:30, I shall let you know later this week.

I look forward to meeting you soon.

John E. Peterson
Assoc. Prof. of Botany

ROANOKE COLLEGE

FOUNDED 1842
CHARTERED 1853

SALEM, VIRGINIA

DEPARTMENT OF
BIOLOGY

June 24, 1963

Dr. L. J. Gier
Department of Biology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

In the next few days I will ship you a small box of plants for inclusion in your herbarium. These represent the last of my 1962 collections and include a few plants from Virginia. They should be considered as a gift.

You are right about my # 3751, it is not a *Chamadaphne*, your determination is much better. In copying the label, I read the wrong information out of my collecting book.

At the end of July my wife and I will be on our way to Eastern Illinois University in Charleston, Illinois. I have accepted a position there in the Botany department. Maybe we can continue our exchange program from there.

Here at Roanoke they are not getting a Taxonomist to replace me and it seems likely that the herbarium here will not be taken care of. If possible, I would like to take the plants that you sent me in December to Eastern Illinois. There I am sure they will be taken care of. Roanoke College will let me do what I want with the plants.

Sincerely yours,

John E. Ebinger
John E. Ebinger

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Sender's name and address: C.C. Townsend,
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Middlesex,
ENGLAND.

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Prof. Dr. L.J. Gier,
Department of Biology,
William Jewell College,
Liberty,
Missouri,
U.S.A.

392, Staines Road,
Twickenham,
Middlesex,
ENGLAND,
December 17th. 1963.

Prof. Dr. L.J. Gier,
Department of Biology,
William Jewell College,
Liberty,
Missouri,
U.S.A.

Dear Prof. Gier,

Many thanks for your letter of November 26th. and
for the enclosed specimens, which were very acceptable. Since you
were unfamiliar with the African *Fissidens*, at least it was worth
sending to you. I will certainly be glad to hear if your enquiry
to Dr. Whitehouse bears fruit.

Yours sincerely,

C.C. Townsend.

(C.C. Townsend).

Gallaudet College,
7th & Florida Ave, N.E.
Washington, D.C.

10105 Harford Rd
Baltimore 34, Md.

Jan. 21, 1964

Dear Sir,

Recently Dr. Benny of South Dakota State College suggested I write to you concerning the Lichen Herbarium of the Bryological Society, of which I am a member.

I am interested in herbarium duplicates & exchange

materials. To build up our collections at Gallaudet

College, where I am head of the Botany Dept. I teach a course in Cryptogamic Botany & find my students very interested. As you know Gallaudet is the only college in the world for the deaf. They seem to take to the study of mosses & lichens.

Any material you can send us will be appreciated. Any prints will also help in our studies.

Sincerely yours,

Clyde F. Reed



OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY • STILLWATER

Department of Botany and Plant Pathology
Frontier 2-6211, Ext. 550, 551

April 17, 1964

Dr. L. J. Gier
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

The collections of *PHYSALIS* you recently sent me
are determined as follows:

P. HETEROPHYLLA Nees, var. *HETEROPHYLLA* sen.
lat, 12972, 12976, 12979, 12982, 12983,
12984, 12985, 12986, 12989, 12993, 12994.

P. VIRGINIANA Mill., var. *SUBGLABRATA*
(Mack. & Bush) Waterfall 12390, 12973, 12974,
12977, 12987, 12997, 1300.

The determinations of the last taxon must be modified
by the fact that flowers are helpful in separating this var.
from var. *SONORAE*, plus the possibility that some of your
material may represent introgressants between the two.

The remainder of your material is vegetative
and undeterminable.

Sincerely
U. T. Waterfall
U. T. Waterfall
Professor and
Curator of the herbarium

NEWCOMB COLLEGE

Tulane University

NEW ORLEANS 18, LA.

Department of Botany

May 8, 1964

Dr. L. J. Gier
Department of Biology and Geology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

I am sending 18 packets of mosses, six each from Mexico, Guatemala, and El Salvador. There may be some duplication among them and unfortunately some are sterile.

They are numbered and I have duplicates. You may report on them by number. Thank you for offering to work on them.

Your trip to Europe sounds most interesting. I plan to devote most of the summer to ecological studies of Sunset Crater, a volcano near Flagstaff, Arizona.

Sincerely yours,

Willis A. Egler

Willis A. Egler
Professor of Botany

- 321 B *Campylopus flexuosus* (Hedw.) Brid.
 322 A *Bartramia matthewsii* Mitt.
 322 B *Polytrichum juniperinum*
 322 C *Campylopus introflexus* (Hedw.) Brid.
 350 A *Polytrichum juniperinum*
 350 C *Anacolia laevisphaera* (Layl) Flowers
 458 *Thuidium delicatulum* (Hedw.) Mitt.
 514 *Leptodontium ulocalyx* (Cm) Mitt.
 515 *Campylopus richardi* Brid.
 523 *Campylopus introflexus* (Hedw.) Brid.
 524 " *richardi* Brid.
 525 *Leptodontium ulocalyx* (Cm) Mitt.
 590 " " " " " "
 701 *Campylopus richardi* Brid.
 702 *Bryum cuspidatum* (Sey. Ex) Schimp.
 704 *Campylopus richardi* Brid.
 705 *Campylopus richardi* Brid.
 706 *Leptogium threutigerianum* (Cm) Fleisch.

EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

CHARLESTON, ILLINOIS

DIVISION OF LIFE SCIENCES

DEPARTMENTS

BOTANY

ZOOLOGY

Oct. 7, 1964

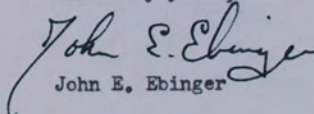
Dr. L.J. Gier
Department of Biology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

I am sorry that I have not written sooner, but moving to a new location always puts me behind in correspondence, etc. The situation is very good here at Eastern, and I have been able to get the herbarium taken care of as I want it. Though it is fairly small, less than 7,000 specimens, it is housed in a new building and in new cases. We also have plenty of room to expand.

Under separate cover, I am shipping you some of my 1963 collection. Most of the material is from Virginia, but a few are from central Illinois. I collected over 1,000 numbers this summer, and if you are interested, we can continue our exchange program. I hope to start identifying some of this material in the next few months, and can send some of them to you.

Sincerely yours,


John E. Ebinger

19 October 1964

Dear Doctor L. J. Gier,

Thank you very much for highly interesting Charales collection and toponymic your species Physcomitrium from your herbarium. In next week I am sending for you 10 Charales and 40 exsiccata specimens /II ser./. I have not in my bryological library Moos-Flora by Grout. I can to exchange its for 2 vols Szafran's Moos-Flora of Poland /1957-61/.

At present I am to working of the variability and geographical distribution of the species of genera Calliergon, Calliergonella and Acrocladium. I should be very gratefully if I receiving from you the specimens of the next taxon's of the Flora of Mooses of U.S.A.:

1. Calliergon sarmentosum var. beringianum /Card. et Thér./ Grout
2. Calliergon cordifolium ssp. orbiculari-cordatum /Ren. et Card./ Grout
3. Calliergon cordifolium for. intermedium Grout
4. Calliergon pseudosarmentosum /Card. et Thér./ Broth.
5. Calliergon giganteum var. cyclophyllum /Holz./ Grout
6. Calliergonella nitida /Hook. fil. Wils./ Card.

To completely and exact of my works to be wanting of this species and varieties, which I should like to see.

With cordial greeting and best wishes

Sincerely yours,

Kazimierz Karczmarski

Dr Kazimierz Karczmarski

30 Dec. 64

50 moss
8 hepatic
2 lichen
2 fungi
2 algae

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ZOOLOGY

Oct. 22, 1964

Dr. L. J. Gier
Department of Biology and Geology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

Thank you for your letter concerning the plant specimens. I did bring the specimens from Roanoke College. They are now in the herbarium at Eastern Illinois University. If you have any other duplicates we could use them. If not, the specimens that I sent should be considered a gift. I hope they will be a nice addition to your herbarium.

The Botany Department went on a fall collecting trip to southern Illinois. It is a very interesting area and we obtained a number of specimens. The various habitats in this area are very interesting for a class to see.

Sincerely yours,

John E. Ebinger
John E. Ebinger

EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

CHARLESTON, ILLINOIS

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BOTANY

ZOOLOGY

7 Jan. 1965

Dr. L. J. Gier
Dept. of Biology and Geology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

Thank you for the specimens, they arrived in good shape and will be added to the herbarium in the next few weeks. I now have a part time assistant to take care of some of the work so that I am able to keep up with the work that has to be done in the herbarium. The herbarium has been expanding rapidly (at the rate of about 2500 a year) and with a little luck it will continue at this rate for a little. We are still in need of much material and some of my students have been a great help.

I have about 250 more specimens ready to be shipped out in a few weeks. If you are interested in more material let me know.

Thanks again for the material.

Sincerely yours,

John E. Ebinger
John E. Ebinger

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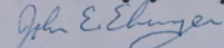
Feb. 1, 1965

Dr. L. J. Gier
Department of Biology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

I am sending you part of my 1964 collections. Most of this material is from central Illinois and I hope that they can be of some use to you. Please consider this material as a gift, and not part of our regular exchange program.

Sincerely yours,


John E. Ebinger

March 6, 1965

Dr. L. Gier
Department of Biology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

Thank you for the note about receiving the herbarium specimens. I hope they will be of use to you. You are probably right about number 4589, but I'll have to get more material before I can say for sure. The number of oak hybrids are quite high in the state and I have picked up a number of them so far.

We have just started getting together a collection of Bryophytes to be added to the herbarium, so we are now ready to exchange this type of material. Also Dr. Whiteside, a member of the Botany Department here, has started a collection of nonfleashy fungi.

I will probably be doing some collecting in Missouri this summer and may be able to get over to Liberty to see you. I will give you more information about this later.

Sincerely yours,

John E. Ebinger
John E. Ebinger

DE PAUW UNIVERSITY
GREENCASTLE, INDIANA

Apr. 19, 1965

Dear Dr. Kier:

It is good to hear from
the Kiers again!!! Often think
of you and wonder about Marga-
ret's hepatitis. So sorry no new
drug has been discovered to cure
it. I know she still has her
wonderful attitude regarding life.

So glad you could go to
Scotland last year! Thanks
for the duplicate collection of
Fontinalis delicatula BSH. Kier 10108.

I went to Mexico during our
Spring Recess, partly in behalf
of the Hookeriaceae & partly for
knowledge of Mexico & pleasure.

Enjoyed it very much!

I am teaching in the T.E.
SSI Program in June & July.
Mid July I plan a pleasure
trip which continues until last
of August. I had hoped
to attend A.-I.-B.-S. meetings
but they are too early for
my trip schedule.

Making hay while the sun
shines. I'm so happy in
the Retirement Home, I can
walk from Harrison Hall where
I teach and do research
(presently, Mexican Hookerianae).
Best Wishes to the Glee, Arizona

NEWCOMB COLLEGE

Tulane University

NEW ORLEANS 18, LA.

Department of Botany

April 23, 1965

Dr. L. J. Gier
Department of Biology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri 64068

Dear Dr. Gier:

Can you identify the enclosed
mass? It is in rather poor condition but
it is the best I have. It is from Sunset
Crater, Arizona, as indicated on the
packet. Sunset is a basaltic cinder
cone, said to be 900 years old.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Willis A. Egler

16/9/1968 17-
16/9/1968 17-
Eppensstrasse 5-
Sabula 20 16/9/1968
Dietzstrasse 14 17/30
Advisella 24-
Hennrichstr. 6

close to a B. norvegica

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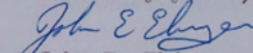
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Dr. L. J. Gier
Department of Biology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri

Dear Dr. Gier:

Thank you for your note of Nov. 23 rd. Since we now have a
Bryologist on the staff we are interested in exchanging Bryophytes.
Until we have a few Bryophytes, would it be agreeable with you
if we exchange Bryophytes for Phanerogams. If so, you may send
Bryophytes for the recent material that I sent you.

Sincerely yours,



John E. Ebinger



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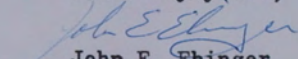
Dr. L. J. Gier
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Dear Dr. Gier:

Thank you for the specimens. Dr. Charles Arzeni, who is our Bryologist, is very interested in them. I hope that in the future we will have some Cryptogams for exchange.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,


John E. Ebinger
Assistant Professor

Southwest Baptist College

Holivar, Missouri

Dec. 15, 1965

Dear Dr. Gier:

I guess you know that I was a participant in the N.S.F. Institute for College Teachers of Botany this past summer at Michigan State University. It was interesting and helpful. My wife and son were with me. We made some interesting side trips too which included Canada and Niagara Falls.

This spring I am to teach a class in taxonomy for the first time. Any suggestions are welcome. Do you require a certain number of plants to be classified?

I may get to Kansas City during the Christmas vacation period.

yours truly,
Jasper A. Clark

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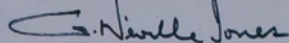
Professor L. J. Gier
Department of Biology
William Jewell College
Liberty, Missouri 64068

Dear Professor Gier:

Thank you for your suggestions about getting a small quantity of living plants of the liverwort *Elasia*. Recently we have received some from Professor Hulbary in Iowa City.

With kind personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely yours,



G. Neville Jones
Professor of Botany and
Curator of the Herbarium