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April 12, 1983

Dr. D. Al-Eisawi
Department of Biological Sciences
Faculty of Science
University of Jordan
Amman, Jordan

Dear Dr. Al-Eisawi:

Dr. Houtfy Boulos has suggested that I write to you.

I would ask that you collect me some material of Gundelia Tournefortii L.

What I need is a herbarium specimen as a voucher for the S.M.H. and material for chemical study. This should include leaves, stems and especially some roots. The material should be air dried so that it will not mold. I would need at least 2 kilograms.

This material is needed for a book on the biochemistry of the Compositae that we are working on. I would very much appreciate it if you could send us material of this plant.

Sincerely yours,
Robert M. King
Department of Botany

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LAWRENCE, KANSAS
66044

March 16, 1981

Dr. Mason E. Hale
Department of Botany
National Museum of Natural History
Washington, D.C. 20560

Dear Mason:

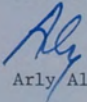
This is to respond to your telephone request of March 10 concerning information about our ability to handle word processing copy.

You mentioned that an author had a program that was on SELGEM at the Smithsonian. I had discussed the SELGEM program with Dr. Gary Gautier several years ago. Since then we have done some work with Mike Neuner here at the University of Kansas who is also familiar with SELGEM. I gather from Mike that there is no problem in transferring data from the SELGEM program to our own systems at the present time. However, it would be necessary to have some special internal coding done in order to make the data properly usable after it was in the computer system.

To summarize:

- 1) No problem working with SELGEM.
- 2) There will be a considerable amount of effort needed to put in the proper codes so that the data that is in the computer can be turned into readable and usable type. As you get closer to the time when this material is wanted, I would like to have our computer people talk with the author so that we can design the package to work smoothly with the least cost for everyone.

Cordially,


Arly Allen

AA/sk

F U I



UNIVERSIDAD DE LOS ANDES
FACULTAD DE FARMACIA
INSTITUTO DE INVESTIGACION QUIMICA
APARTADO No. 142
MERIDA - VENEZUELA

No. _____

January 13 th, 1987

Dr. R.M. King
Department of Botany
Smitsonian Institution
Washington, DC 20560
U.S.A.

Dear Dr. King:

Our group have started some phytochemical studies on the Venezuelan Compositae, particularly on the isolation and structure determination of the Chemical Components from taxas enclosed in the Eupatorieae.

So far, we have completed a review on the literature concerning this tribe. In doing this, we have realized your contribution to the taxonomy of this group. However we are still a bit confused on the new combinations that you (and Dr. H. Robinson) have stablished about the genus Eupatorium.

Could you be kindly enough to send us a list incanting, the corresponding combinations of Eupatorium "sensu latus" and any separata on this matter.

We are also interesting in your papers on the "Naturally Occurring Terpene Derivatives" series published jointly with Dr. Bohlmann. I would greatly appreciate receiving the available separatas on these papers.

We look forward to hearing from you

Sincerely yours

Dr. Juan Manuel Anaro L.

JMA/ider.

February 20 , 1987

Dr. Manuel Anaro L.
Facultad de Farmacia
Universidad de Los Andes
Instituto de Investigation Quimica
Apartado No. 142
Merida, Venezeula

Daer Dr. Anaro:

Thanks for your recent letter. The reprints will be sent to you apart from this letter.

The list of names that you requested will be published in a book of our's on the tribe Eupatorieae. It will be published by the Missouri Botanical Garden later this spring.

I would like very much to do field work in your area in Venezeul and wonder if there is anyway that we could work together. Please let me know.

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Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Robert M. King
Department of Botany

August 14, 1987

Dr. J. Manuel Amaro L.
Instituto de Investigaciones de la Facultad de Farmacia
Universidad de Los Andes
Merida, Venezeula

Dear Dr. Amaro:

Thanks for your letter of 9 July. I have decide that it really takes a long time to get mail to and from Venezeula.

I am glad to learn that you have written to Prof. Bohlmann regarding some phytochemical work in Venezeula. I will be glad to help in any way.

My book on the Eupatorieae should be avaiable about the first of October from the Missouri Botanical Garden in St. Louis. It is part of their monographic series. I am very eager to see it.

Most sincerely,

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Robert M. King
Department of Botany

357-2545

March 20, 1981

Dr. Frank Almeda
Department of Botany
California Academy of Sciences
Golden Gate Park
San Francisco, California 94118

Dear Frank:

Under separate cover are the insects that I mentioned to you on the telephone. The identifications are enclosed in this letter. I hope that they arrive in good condition and are a good addition to your museum.

With kindest regards.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

Enclosure

357-2545

August 4, 1982

Dr. Frank Almeda
Department of Botany
California Academy of Sciences
Golden Gate Park
San Francisco, CA 94118

Dear Dr. Almeda:

Enclosed please find photographs of the following botanists:

E. Kaun, A. P. Decandolle, N. Harriman, R. Jansen, O. Huber,
D. Kaun, J. Steyermark, C. Jeffrey, L. E. Bishop, S. Mori,
O. Tovar, D. Keil, G. Nesom, D. Rindos, S. McDaniel,
E. Schilling, B. Nordenstam, V. Badillo.

I hope that this series will be a welcome addition to your
collections.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Kigg
Department of Botany

RMK:cap
Enclosures

March 15, 1989

Dr. Helen I. Aston, Project Scientist
Royal Botanic Gardens and National Herbarium
Birdwood Avenue
South Yarra, Victoria 3141, AUSTRALIA

Dear Belen,

Thanks so much for your letter of 31 January. Please excuse the delay in answering it as I was on a short trip to Europe.

Thanks for sending the specimens which have now arrived in good condition. I also appreciate all the help that you gave us while we were there. You should receive a check for the amount due in about two weeks. The check will be sent from another office but it will be made out to the National Herbarium of Victoria. Labels ~~would~~ be done next week and I will send them to you as soon as I get the names from Phillip.

I very much enjoyed my trip to Australia and hope to return soon. Thanks again for your help.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King

Department of Botany

December 8, 1987

Dra. Lucia Atehortua G. Directora
Centro de Investigaciones
Universidad de Antioquia
Apartado Aereo 1226
Medellin, Colombia

Dear Dra. Atehortua:

Dra. Linda Escobar visited here just recently and suggested that I write to you.

I would like very much to make a collecting trip to Colombia in February of next year. Dra. Escobar thought that it would possible to get a collecting permit from at your University. As you may know, my special interest is the family Compositae especially the tribe Eupatorieae. My two projects in Colombia would be collecting material for both cytological and biochemical studies.

Would it be possible to obtain a collecting permit for these projects? I would come with an assistant for one month. Would it be possible to ship material air cargo from Medellin direct to the US and to Europe? Also, I wonder if the University would have a jeep that I could use or could you suggest a place where I could rent one at a reasonable rate.

Lastly I would be willing to work on your Flora if you wished. Hoping to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

357-2545

January 12, 1981

Dr. Yu Chi Au
Coordinator for Studies,
Programming and Control
Conselho Nacional de Desenvolvimento
Científico e Tecnológico
Edifício CNPq
Av. W3 Norte-Q. 507/B
Cx. Postal, 11-1142
Brasília-DF-DEP. 70.740
Brasil

Dear Dr. Yu:

Many thanks for the visa authorization which arrived recently.
Everything is now in good order and I leave for Brasil later today.

I hope to visit you at CNPq when I am in Brasília.

With kind regards,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

RMK:cap

357-2545

February 23, 1982

Dr. Yu Chi Au
Conselho Nacional de Desenvolvimento
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Edificio CNPq
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Brasil

Dear Dr. Yu:

Enclosed herewith is my report for my 1981 expedition to Brasil.
I hope that everything is in order. A set of reprints is enclosed.

Very sincerely,

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Robert M. King
Department of Botany

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CPE. 403 /82

Brasília, March 16, 1982

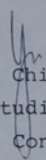
Dr. ROBERT M. KING
Department of Botany
National Museum of Natural History
Smithsonian Institution
Washington, D.C. 20560
U.S.A.

Dear Dr. King,

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of
February 23, 1982, in which you send us the report of the
expedition made in Brazil.

Hoping we can help you in some other
opportunity, we remain,

Sincerely Yours,


Yu Chi Au

Coordinator for Studies, Programming
and Control



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CONSELHO NACIONAL
DE DESENVOLVIMENTO
CIENTÍFICO E TECNOLÓGICO

CPE. 1484 /82

Brasília, September 16, 1982

Dr. ROBERTO M. KING
Department of Botanic
National Museum of Natural History
Smithsonian Institution
Washington - D.C. 20560
U.S.A.

REF: EX-18/80

Dear Dr. King,

We would like to refer to our letter CPE.402/82,
dated March 12th, in which we acknowledge receipt the report
sent.

However, in order that CNPq can evaluate your
expedition, we appreciate if you could send us a more complete
report, indicating in detail the activities accomplished in
this country, including a description of the material collected,
as well as any final or partial results eventually achieved.

Looking forward to hearing from you soon, we
remain,

Sincerely Yours,


Yu Chi Au

Coordenador for Studies, Programming
and Control

May 2, 1983

Dr. Yu Chi Au
Conselho Nacional de Desenvolvimento
Científico e Tecnológico
Edifício CNPq
Av. W3 Norte-Q. 507/B
CX Postal, 11-1142
Brasília-DF-DEP. 70.740
BRASIL

Dear Dr. Yu:

Please find enclosed a list of the species that were collected during my expedition to Brasil. Also, enclosed are reprints of scientific papers on the biochemical and cytological findings of the trip. This series of papers is incomplete at this time since we have not been able to analyze all of our collections.

My fieldwork in Brasil is one part but a very important part of a larger project namely two books -- one on the biochemistry of the Compositae on a world wide basis. The second book is on the cytology of the Compositae, also on a world wide basis. Brasil, especially the states of Bahia and Minas Gerais are very important since so many endemic genera and species are found there.

I hope that this material answers your questions. I will continue to send you more reprints as they are published.

In the meantime, would you please send me an application form for a new expedition.

Sincerely yours,

Robert M. King

Department of Botany

357-2545

March 17, 1981

Dr. Victor M. Badillo
Facultad de Agronomia
Universidad Central de Venezuela
Instituto de Agronomia
Maracay, Venezuela

Dear Dr. Badillo:

Many thanks for sending us the collection of Lourteigia
fimbricata Badillo. It is welcome addition to our
herbarium.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

March 31, 1986

Dr. B. A. Barlow
Australian National Herbarium
CSIRO Division of Plant Industry, Black Mountain
GPO Box 1600
Canberra, ACT 2601
Australia

Dear Dr. Barlow:

As Harold Robinson may have told you, I am planning to visit and collect chemical material of Compositae in Australia late this summer and early fall. My plans include spending about 6 weeks in Western Australia with Dr. Paul Wilson and then 2 weeks in South Australia with Dr. L. Haegi. Dr. Robinson as you know made a few collections near Thredbo and Canberra plus some others in Queensland.

Since I can only make one trip to Australia on my limited funds, do you think that a good sampling can be made of Australian Compositae? Have I overlooked some areas that should be included?

I would be very pleased to learn your comments on this matter.

Most sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

July 28, 1986

Dr. B. A. Barlow
Australian National Herbarium
GPO Box 1600
Canberra
ACT 2601
AUSTRALIA

Dear Dr. Barlow:

Thanks so much for your letter. Please forgive the long delay in writing to you. My problem is that I broke my hip and only now am I somewhat recovering.

The information that you and Max Gray provided is most useful. I delayed my trip partly because of it and also because of my leg. I plan now to arrive in Perth on September 3 and will stay there until September 19 when I will go to Adelaide. I would like to spend about ten days in South Australia and then visit you for about one week. In any event I must leave from Sydney for the U.S. on the 10th of October. I must say that this all depends on my not running out of money before hand.

I am eager to meet you and Dr. Gray. You may get in touch with me in Perth c/o Dr. Green at the Western Australian Herbarium.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

December 22, 1986

Dr. Graziela M. Barroso
Herbario
Jardim Botânico do Rio de Janeiro
Rua Pacheco Leão 915
20,600 Rio de Janeiro
Rio de Janeiro
BRASIL

Dear Dr. Barroso:

I am writing to tell you that I will be visiting your herbarium from January 24 to January 27. I hope that I will see you at that time. I am also planning to visit the National Museum. I would also like to do some collecting during that time.

The last time that I visited you in Rio some of your friends got me a very nice hotel that was small, clean, reasonable and very good. I do not remember the name however. In any event I would like to stay there again. Perhaps your friends will know and could reserve me a room. Please let me know. Thank you.

I hope that you have a very Merry Christmas.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King

Department of Botany

M Mrch 18, 1987

Dra. Graziãla M. Barroso
Herbario
Jardim Botânico do Rio de Janeiro
Rua Pacheco Leão 215
20,000 Rio de Janeiro
Brazil

Dear Dra. Barroso:

It was good to see you again in Brasil even if it was so brief. I very much enjoyed the Congress and plan to go to others.

When I was at the Jardim herbarium, I selected some duplicates to be sent to me here in Washington. Until now they have not arrived. I wonder if you would check on these for me. Please have them sent via air mail and send the bill to me. We will gladly pay your museum for the cost. Thanks so much for your help.

The book on the Eupatorieae is nearly printed. I expect it will be out before summer. I will send you a copy.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King

Department of Botany

September 4, 1987

Dra. Graziela M. Barroso
Herbario
Jardim Botânico do Rio de Janeiro
Rua Pacheco Leão 915
20,000 Rio de Janeiro
Rio de Janeiro, Brasil

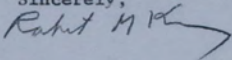
Dear Dra. Barroso:

I would like to thank you for having the specimens that I selected sent to me. I believe that the names have already been sent to you.

Our book on the Eupatorieae will be printed on October 1, 1987. Please let me know if this is your correct address so that I may send you a copy.

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Sincerely,



Robert M. King
Department of Botany

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June 1, 1989

Prof. Dra. Isabel Basualde
Facultad de Ciencias Químicas
Casilla Correo 1055
Asuncion
Paraguay

Dear Dra. Basualdo:

I am writing to inquire of the possibility of my spending ca. 2 weeks in Paraguay early next year (January-February) collecting plants (mainly Compositae). As you may already know, I am to work on the tribe Eupatorieae for the Flora del Paraguay. I would like to collect in the highlands in the east toward the Brazilian border.

Please let me know any special requirements for my project.

Most sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

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XC Elsa Zardini



Universidad Nacional de Asunción
FACULTAD DE CIENCIAS QUÍMICAS

31 Agosto de 1989.

Dr. Robert M. King
Department of Botany
National Museum of Natural History
Smithsonian Institution
Washington, D.C. 20560
USA.

Apreciado Dr. King,

Con respecto a su carta de fecha 1 de junio, con mucho gusto le recibiremos. Nelida Soria, miembro de esta Sección le acompañara en el viaje de recolección. Ella se encuentra trabajando conjuntamente con la Dra. Zardini en la Tribu Astereae en el Proyecto Flora del Paraguay.

Nuestro Departamento cuenta con vehículo, pero necesitamos saber exactamente cuando se realizaría el viaje. Los gastos, para dos semanas, serían aproximadamente 800\$. Esperando su respuesta me despido de usted atentamente.

Prof. Isabel Basualdo
Jefe de Sección Botánica
Facultad de Ciencias Químicas
P. Box 1055
Asunción - Paraguay.

cc Elsa Zardini.



Universidad Nacional de Asunción
FACULTAD DE CIENCIAS QUIMICAS

Diciembre 4, 1989

Dr. Robert M. King
Department of Botany
National Museum of Natural History
Smithsonian Institution
Washington, D. C. 20560
USA.

Apreciado Dr. King,

Ya que no he recibido ninguna respuesta, cuya
respecto a su próxima visita, le envío una copia de la carta
fechada por mí el 31 de agosto.

Nos gustaría recibir su confirmación porque la
fecha señalada por Ud. corresponde a época de vacaciones, y
debemos organizarnos para recibirlo.

Esperando su respuesta lo más pronto posible,
me despido de Ud. atentamente.

Prof. Isabel Basualdo
Jefe de Sección Botánica
Facultad de Ciencias Químicas
P. Box 1055
Asunción - Paraguay

cc. Elsa Zardini

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20550

March 5, 1980

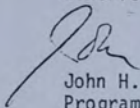
Dr. Robert M. King
Department of Biology
Catonsville Community College
800 South Rolling Road
Baltimore County, MD 21228

Dear Bob:

In reference to your letter of February 28, we could consider a no-cost extension on your grant DEB-7713457 if you follow the procedures outlined in the NSF Grant Policy Manual, which are as follows: "If additional time beyond the established expiration date is required to assure adequate completion of the original scope of work within funds already made available, two copies of a request for no-cost grant extension must be forwarded in time to be received by the NSF Program Officer at least 45 days prior to that date. Such request must contain the signature both of the principal investigator/project director or his designee and of the authorized organizational representative and should include summaries of progress, funds remaining, and plans to complete that part of the project for which the extension is being requested. The need for an extension of time should be justified. The fact that funds may remain at the expiration of an award is not in itself sufficient justification for an extension. Normally no single extension may exceed 12 months and only in exceptional cases will more than one extension be allowed for standard grants... Grants will not be amended to approve late requests for extensions except in very unusual circumstances. Grantees are cautioned not to make new commitments or incur new expenditures after the expiration date in anticipation of a no-cost extension."

From the foregoing, I think you can see that there is already a problem in that you have not given us 45 days notice. We must have your summary of progress, statement of funds remaining, and plans to complete the part of the project for which the extension is requested. I could not at this time consider an extension for more than 12 months, which would bring the expiration date to March 31, 1981.

Sincerely,



John H. Beaman
Program Director
Systematic Biology

November 12, 1985

Dr. Stephen Beck
Herbario *Nacul*
Univ. Cota-Cota
Casilla 20127
La Paz, Bolivia

Dear Stephen,

I am writing to inquire if it would be possible to do some collecting with you during the month of February in 1986. I have already made some plans with Jim Solomon to do some work. However, it may not use up all of my time in Bolivia and perhaps he would not be going to places that would always be of interest to me.

I would be interested in collecting Compositae with chemical samples and buds for chromosome numbers. I assume that you would collect anything else.

Please let me have your comments on this. I look forward to your reply.

RMK
Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

November 25, 1986

Dr. Stephen Beck
Herbario Nacional
Univ. Cota-Cota
Casilla 20127
La Paz, Bolivia

I am writing to tell you that I am planning to spend the month of February 1987 in Bolivia collecting with Jim Solomon. I will be collecting Compositae for biochemical and cytological study. I would like to request any necessary permits. I look forward to seeing you again.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

March 10, 1987

Dr. Stephan Beck
Herbario Nacional
Univ. Cota-Cota
Casilla 20127
La Paz, Bolivia

Dear Stephan,

Just a short note to thank you for all of your help while I was in Bolivia. I especially want to thank you for shipping the plant material to Prof. Bohlmann in Berlin. He writes that everything arrived in good condition.

When you see Jim Soloman you might ask him if he recieved my letter with the Bolivian money that I sent him.

Thanks again,



Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

UNIVERSITÄT HEIDELBERG
Pharmazeutische Biologie
Leiter: Prof. Dr. H. Becker

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Im Neuenheimer Feld 364
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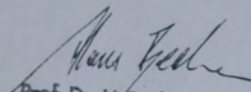
Dear Dr. King,

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we are working with "Spilanthes oleracea" cultivated in Germany. Recently we tried to confirm the botanical identity of the species. Unfortunately we could not succeed to do so. According to the monography of A.H. Moore (1907) in Proc. of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences (Vol. 42 (20) 521) and a recent article of R.K. Jansen (1981) in Systematic Botany 6 (3) 231 our species can not be attributed to Spilanthes oleracea.

I spoke to Prof. Bohlmann and he recommended you as a specialist. Could you please identify our "Spilanthes oleracea".

Thanking you in advance.

Yours sincerely


Prof. Dr. H. Becker

Enclosure:
Herbarium species of Spilanthes oleracea

December 21, 1952

Dear Dr. Becker:

Please forgive the long delay in answering your letter and requests. I was until recently in the hospital.

The specimen that you sent is in fact

Spilanthes (acmella) oleracea L

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I believe that the species will be transferred to the genus Acemella by Tansley. However, at the present time it is probably best if you referred to it as Spilanthes (acmella) oleracea L.

I hope that this answers your question

Sincerely
Robert H. King
Dept. of Botany

June 22, 1982

Dr. Paul E. Berry
Division de Ciencias Biologicas
Universidad Simon Bolivar
Apartado 80659
Caracas 1080, Venezuela

Dear Dr. Berry:

Under separate cover, we have sent you the publications that you requested.

As you know, we are very interested in chromosomes of the Compositae. I would like to request that you collect some buds or seeds for us. Both would be preferred. The buds of the genus Liabum are requested as they are needed for our next review paper on chromosomes of Compositae. These should be fixed in 4 parts alcohol, 3 parts chloroform and 1 part acetic acid. You should check the genus Liabum in Aristeguieta's Compositae de Venezuela. We are interested in all Compositae but especially Liabum.

We would very much appreciate receiving fixed buds as viable seed. You may also send us herbarium specimens of Compositae for names of you wish.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

RMK:cap

357-2545

April 3, 1981

Dr. L. Earl Bishop
Box 336
Montebello, California 90604

Dear Earl:

I am writing to request the loan of the slides that you took in Brasil that was on your film. If you would send them to me using the enclosed franked label, I can have them duplicated here at no cost. I will, of course, send you a set of the slides that I have.

Things are going well. Most of our collections have been named. The new genera (3) honoring you will be sent off to Phytologia next week.

Best regards,

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

357-2545

June 11, 1981

Dr. L. Earl Bishop
2635 29th Ave. W.
Seattle, Washington 98199

Dear Earl:

Enclosed please find the two Phytologias that have the new generic descriptions. Also, under separate cover I am returning your slides plus duplicates of others. I hope that they arrive in good condition and that you will be pleased with them.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

Enclosures

357-2545

July 28, 1982

Dr. L. Earl Bishop
2829 N. W. 57th. St.
Seattle, Washington 98107

Dear Earl:

It was good to speak with you the other day and learn that you would be interested in going to Taiwan next June. Sorry to learn that you are now not working. Hopefully you will be back on the payroll soon.

Enclosed is the pamphlet on Taiwan that I mentioned to you. It is a bit out of date but has nice pictures.

I'll keep you informed of developments when they happen.

Sincerely yours,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

RMK:cap
Encl.

357-2546

February 17, 1983

Dr. L. Earl Bishop
2829 N. W. 57th Street
Seattle, Washington 98107

Dear Earl,

I hope that your trip back to Seattle was uneventful and that you are feeling better. The plants have all arrived. Your box was the last . I sent it out as soon as possible. Enclosed is a mailing frank. Would you please use it to send me the slides on your film. I will then have everything duplicated at the same time.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

August 10, 1987

Mr. Ken Blair, Production Chief
Allen Press
P.O. Box 368
Lawrence, Kansas 66044

Dear Ken,

Enclosed please find the art work for the cover of the book on Eupatorieae.
You will note that there is the original and one copy. I believe that the
final product should be the size as the copy.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

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Dr. Robert M. King
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20560 / USA

Dear Sir,

We refer to your letter dated August 4th 1980 and thank you for the very interesting photographs which were joined.

We are very pleased to add them to our collection. As you required, you will find herewith five photographs of A.P. de Candolle.

Sincerely yours

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April 19, 1983

Prof Gilbert Bocquet
Conservatoire et Jardin Botaniques
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Dear Prof Bocquet:

I am writing to enquire if you would like to receive a set of my Peruvian collections (mostly Compositae) on exchange from the USNH.

Also (~~and would like to~~) to request further information about your proposed Flora of Paraguay. I would probably be interested in doing the tribe Eupatorieae of the Compositae for such a project. I am already working on the Eupatorieae for the Flora of Ecuador and Peru.

I await your reply

Sincerely yours
Robert M. King
Department of Botany

April 20, 1985

Mr. and Mrs. G. Bohmler
Aramburu 1245
Hurlingham
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ARGENTINA

Dear Mr and Mrs. Bohmler,

I wanted to write to tell you again what a great time I had in Argentina.
I want to thank you both for all the kindness you showed me while I was there.
It is quite possible that Eric and I will return to Argentina in 1987 for another
trip to Patagonia. I hope to see you then.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King

Department of Botany

August 26, 1985

Dr. Eugenia Bordas

Thanks so much for your letter. Your collections have arrived and they are being named. You should get the names soon.

As I stated to Dr. Schmeda, I would like to visit Paraguay to make a collecting trip. I would like to ask you some questions about collecting in Paraguay. Would it be possible for me to dry plants at the University? How do you travel around the country collecting? Would it be possible for me to go along with others there on collecting trips? How much would it cost me to live each day in Paraguay? I would like to spend about one month in Paraguay and need to know about how much it would cost me.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Robert M. King

Department of Botany

Dr. Eugenia Bordas
Estados Unidos 1071
Asuncion, PARAGUAY

Eugenia Bordes, Estados Unidos 1071
Asunción, PARAGUAY, September 7, 1985

Dr. Robert M. King
Department of Botany, Smithsonian Institution
Washington, D.C. 20560, U.S.A.

Dear Dr. King,

Thank you for your letter of August 26, which I received on September 4. I am so glad specimens arrived, for I was about sending you another set of them. As for your questions, here are some answers:

1) There is a Museum of Natural History at the university campus in San Lorenzo, a nearby town, where several American scientists are doing botanical and zoological work together with a group of Paraguayans. Americans come and go through the Peace Corps. That would be the best place for you to dry your specimens at the university, for they will be respected. It is just a matter of your getting in touch with them and talking things over. Or if you prefer, I could talk to them on your behalf.

The main trouble here in drying specimens is with ventilators. I order mine at a cardboard factory in San Lorenzo. At first they seem fairly good, but soon get worn out, flattened and warped. People in the Museum use just the same kind of material, but also corrugated aluminum, which I do not like for general use.

2) The best and fastest way of getting to places is by car. Renting one is the solution, but so very expensive. I am sending you the catalog of a reliable car rental company. Perhaps you could work some other arrangement, the way most visiting botanists do, and expend much less money on transportation.

3) You should definitely not go by yourself on field trips. Country people are usually charming, helpful, generous in a way... but can also be peculiar a real nasty. Knowing Spanish is not enough to get along with them. It is important to know their ways and manners, and the country. Moreover, their true language is another one: Guaraní or Avá Me'ê, which is not a modern one although well alive, and so very interesting. You will find a brief but good explanation on it in the Webster's Unabridged Dictionary under Avá Me'ê.

It would be very hard to maintain both your field work and your very busy schedule of Wednesdays and Tuesdays. Guillermo Schmeda will also go to the fields with you. Even Aurelio Schinini wants to come all the way from Corrientes too, but that depends on the amount of work at his Herbarium. So you won't lack company, and advice on the Paraguayan way of life.

The best time for you to come depends, of course, on which species you intend to collect. But I must tell you beforehand, that hot season down here is not only summer, but starts at the end of November or earlier and goes through the end of March and even early April, and can be really smothering, especially during January and February. Christmas is sunny and hot, and green.

4) I am including a list of six good hotels downtown, with prices for a single room ranging from over 16,000 Guaraní (our currency) down to 2,000 \$ per day. Hotel Residencial Milagros I, the least expensive of all is quiet, clean and pleasant.

Our currency has lately become devaluated and unstable through mismanagement, grafting, smuggling and any and every kind of wrongdoing at government level. Back in 1979 one dollar was 126 \$ worth. From 1980 on, it started getting slowly but steadily higher and higher, till two weeks ago it suddenly jumped up to 1100 \$, to come down again to 800 \$. On that basis you can get an idea of how much each hotel would cost you, if dollar holds. Meals have also different prices. You can eat at a good restaurant at about 4 to 5 dollars a meal. Next week I'll consult Guillermo on hotels and eating places.

Any doubt about collecting in Paraguay, just ask me again. I am not sending you any new specimens for the time being because it kept on raining till beginning of September. Today the weather looks fine, the cold spell is getting over, so I'm getting ready for field work again. I wish you a good trip to Paraguay, and good collecting too. Sincerely

E. Bordes

September 30, 1985

Dr. Eugenia Bordas
Estados Unidos 1071
Asuncion
PARAGUAY

Dear Dr. Bordas:

Thanks so much for your letter and all the information.

A second set of specimens has arrived. I hope that the name that I sent to Dr. Schmeda has arrived.

I think that it would be a good idea that I dry my specimens with the Americans at San Lorenzo. Would you please contact them to see if it would be allowed?

It would be too expensive for me to rent a car for collecting. Perhaps I could get a ride with others. I realize that this would not allow me to be as flexible but there is no other way. Please comment.

I would be very pleased to have you along with me on field trips. I agree that I should not go in the field alone.

Since I have some teaching here, it is not possible for me to travel at any time. It seems likely that I would have to come to Paraguay either in January or February. I realize that it would be very hot but I hope not impossible.

I am glad that the money is in my favor. I believe that I would like to stay at the Hotel Residencial Milagros if it is not too hot. Will I need a mosquito net?

I should remind you that I would like to collect everything. Not only Compositae.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Robert M. King
Department of Botany

April 14, 1986

Dr. Eugenia E. Bordas
Estados Unidos 1071
Asuncion, Paraguay

Dear Dr. Bordas:

Many thanks for the beautiful map of Paraguay which arrived here toaday. The map is so welcome as we do not have really good maps of Paraguay and what we have are old.

I assume that you heard about my broken leg (the femur). I still walk with crutches but do get to work now. I still want to collect in Paraguay but will have to wait for another year. I hope that I did not put you out in anyway.

Thanks again for the map.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King

Department of Botany

Loutfy Boulos
c/o The Mansours
901 Belwood Drive
Highland Heights
Ohio 44143

April 14, 1983

Dr. Robert M. King
Department of Botany
Natural History Museum
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Washington, D.C. 20560

Dear Bob:

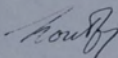
Please find enclosed a duplicated color slide of Gundelia
tournefortii which I promised to send you.

I am still around for 12 days before going back home, and
am looking forward to see my new book "Medicinal plants of
North Africa" which will be published tomorrow.

My visit to the Smithsonian was a most enjoyable one and I
certainly enjoyed speaking to you and remembering our first
meeting in Munich in 1970.

With best regards.

Sincerely yours,



Loutfy Boulos

encl.

357-2546

April 19, 1983

Dear Loufy, ^(Boulos)

I wanted to write and thank you for the slide of Gundelia Tournefortii. It is a beautiful slide and I would like to use it in some of my lectures. I will be sure to acknowledge you.

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I have written to your friend in Jordan regarding chemical material of Gundelia. Of course, there has not been enough time for a reply.

I hope that your medical problem has now been corrected.

Perhaps someday I'll be able to visit you in Egypt. I'd like to visit as a Tourist. Again thanks for the slide.

Sincerely
Bob King

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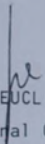
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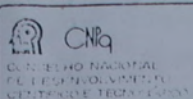
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We are sending also some new forms to be filled, according to the new Decree.
Yours Sincerely,


GUILHERME EUCLIDES BRANDÃO
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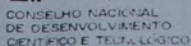
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RELACÃO DOS PARTICIPANTES DA EXPEDIÇÃO (LIST OF THE PARTICIPANTS)

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RELAÇÃO DOS EQUIPAMENTOS NECESSÁRIOS
À REALIZAÇÃO DA EXPEDIÇÃO CIENTÍFICA
LIST OF THE EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO CARRY
OUT THE SCIENTIFIC EXPEDITION

NÚMERO (NUMBER)

RESPONSÁVEL PELA EXPEDIÇÃO: (PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THE EXPEDITION)

INSTITUIÇÃO A QUE PERTENCE: (INSTITUTION TO WHICH HE BELONGS)

EQUIPAMENTOS (USAR TANTAS VÍAS QUANTAS SEJAM NECESSÁRIAS): [EQUIPMENT (PLEASE USE AS MANY FORMS AS NECESSARY)]

LOCAL E DATA
(PLACE AND DATE)

ASSINATURA DO RESPONSÁVEL
(SIGNATURE OF THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THE EX-
PEDITION)

ASSINATURA DO PRINCIPAL AUTOCORALCIN
(SIGNATURE OF THE PRINCIPAL EXPEDITION)

DECLARAÇÃO DE COMPROMISSO
STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT

NÚMERO (NUMBER)

Declaro, para fins da realização de expedição científica no Brasil, cumprir as leis do País, e especialmente o estabelecido no decreto nº 93,180 de 27 de agosto de 1986 do qual tenho pleno conhecimento.

I hereby declare, for the purpose of carrying out a scientific expedition in Brazil, that I shall abide by the Laws of the Country, especially as determined by decree nº 93,180 of 27 august, 1986, and of which I am fully aware.

LOCAL (PLACE)

DATA (DATE)

ASSINATURA (SIGNATURE)

1ª TESTEMUNHA (1st WITNESS)

2ª TESTEMUNHA (2nd WITNESS)



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PEDIDO DE VISTO TEMPORÁRIO (ITEM I)

PARA USO DA INSTITUIÇÃO OU UNIDADE INTERESSADA

NOME DO ESTRANGEIRO A SER CONVIDADO:

NACIONALIDADE (CIDADE / PAÍS):

DATA DE NASCIMENTO:

PROFISSÃO:

FILIAÇÃO:

E DE:

NACIONALIDADE:

Nº PASSAPORTE:

ENTIDADE EXPEDIDORA:

VÁLIDO ATÉ:

PERÍODO DA VIAGEM:

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TRECHO DA VIAGEM:

CONSULADO BRASILEIRO PARA ONDE DEVE SER ENCAMINHADO O VISTO (CIDADE / PAÍS):

OBSERVAÇÕES: QUANDO O CONVIDADO VIER ACOMPANHADO DE DEPENDENTES, DEVERÃO SER FORNECIDAS, TAMBÉM COM RELAÇÃO A CADA UM, AS INFORMAÇÕES ACIMA SOLICITADAS

DISCRIMINAÇÃO DAS ATIVIDADES CIENTÍFICAS A SEREM DESENVOLVIDAS NO PAÍS:

IDENTIFICAÇÃO (NOME DA ENTIDADE INTERESSADA):

LOCAL

DATA

DIRIGENTE (CARIMBO E ASSINATURA)

PARA USO DO CNPq

FONTES DE RECURSOS (A SER PREENCHIDO PELA UNIDADE PAGADORA):

UNIDADE PAGADORA:

À CONTA DESTA UNIDADE CORRERÃO AS DESPESAS COM ☐ ESTADA, E ☐ TRANSPORTE INTERNACIONAL DO CONVIDADO, NO TRECHO SUPRACITADO.

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RESPONSÁVEL (CARIMBO E ASSINATURA)

CONCESSÃO DO VISTO (A SER PREENCHIDO PELA AAP):

O MINISTÉRIO DAS RELAÇÕES EXTERIORES, EM ____/____/____, INFORMOU HAVER AUTORIZADO O CONSULADO BRASILEIRO EM _____, A CONCEDER O VISTO SOLICITADO.

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THE ALEXANDER F. MORRISON PLANETARIUM

THE STEINHART AQUARIUM

Department of Botany

September 30, 1982

Dr. Robert M. King
Department of Botany
National Museum of Natural History
Smithsonian Institution
Washington, D.C. 20560

Dear Bob:

I finally come to answering your requests from September 1980.

1) Neomirandea araliaefolia

I spent some time seeking out individuals for these observations. As younger (if smaller is younger) plants it appears to be a sprawling epiphytic shrub often with pendent branches, larger (older) individuals become tree like and as the roots reach the earth the trunk becomes quite lignified often taking over the host tree and appearing to be free standing trees. Hillia, Clusia and Ficus have the same habit.

2) Pachythamnus crassirameus

This is a thick stemmed (almost succulent) shrub which occurs on bare exposed lime outcrops. It flowers leafless and is in leaf in the wet season. I marked a shrub and collected it in leaf.

3) Matudina corvi

This is a calciphile and always occurs on lime cliff faces getting a foothold in crevices or eroding pockets. The plant is a sprawling to erect shrub on these cliffs. There appears to be a second species in the Sierra Madre which occurs as a large shrub in steep ravines.

Have you been able to look through and determine that large lot of specimens sent to you after your visit here in summer of 1980? I am very curious to see the determinations on these plants.

I hope the information is of some use to you. Chromosome material was handled by J. Strother. I did not get chemical material (2 of them are very rare with few individuals). Maybe some of the duplicate sheets would suffice.

Yours sincerely,

Dennis E. Breedlove

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Curator

DEB/jj

July 28, 1983

Dr. Charles Brewer-Carias
Edificio Calipan, Oficina No. 10
Avenida Francisco de Miranda
Caracas, Venezuela

I have been informed that you are directing an expedition to the Cerro de la Neblina beginning in October of this year. The purpose of this letter is to request that I and my colleague, Dr. Earl Bishop be allowed to participate in this expedition.

I am very interested in the Cerro de la Neblina as the area contains a great number of genera and species of the family Compositae that are endemic there.

As I believe that Professor ~~Hahn~~ ^{W. Hahn} ~~is already in the area~~ ^{is already in the area} you are interested in obtaining biochemical material of some of the very rare and unusual genera and species of the tribe Mutisieae that grow there. This group is the poorest known biochemically in the Compositae.

We would like to participate on the scientific team as members from the Technische Universität Berlin, West Germany.

I look forward to your positive reply.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
Department of Botany

March 6, 1987

Mr. Marc Bronckart
rue Conoroz 20
4051 Neupre
Belgium

Dear Marc,

I want to tell you how pleased I was to meet you in Rio. It was very nice of you to show me around. I appreciate it.

I hope that you had a pleasant trip back to Europe. It was certainly a long trip. My work in Bolivia went well.

I expect to be in Europe this summer and will most likely go to Belgium. Perhaps I will see you.

Sincerely,

Robert M. King
~~Department~~ of Botany

R.M. King
Dpt. of Botany

Brussels, March 27

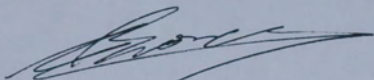
Dear Robert,

It is very nice to know your succeed in collecting your seeds. I hope they will grow fast and big.

It will be my pleasure to introduce you in some of the most typical place in Brussels.

Please let me know when you intend to be in Brussels so I can schedule my own trips.

Sincerely,



Bronckart M.

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May 27, 1983
304-457-3460

Dear Dr. King,

I am enclosing the *Erigeron* that you requested from me. If you need more material, or if this is not in the condition that you want, please let me know.

I am interested in the *Erigeron*'s identification. When I sent it to West Virginia University Herbarium, I labeled it *E. pulchellus* var. *Brauniae* Fernald. Dr. Core says "a specimen apparently matching var. *Brauniae*."

(5/18/73) *Strickland and Chase, A History of W. Va.*, 2nd Edition, page 956. Dr. Kossbach and Bill Grafton have reported it from along the New River and I have found it along seven or more W. Va. streams. Fernald reports *Brauniae* as found in Ky, & Gleason (1983) reports it local in Ky. (Here it is very prevalent in West Virginia! Also Jackson River in Va.)

If you will send me the name and address of your Penn. friend who has worked on *Erigerons*, I shall send him some specimens.

Thank you
Sincerely,
Eleanor Suck

So many
apparently
means
come,
don't!

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P.S. There are herbarium specimens of
Marshallia grandiflora from
Zygarts Valley River area near
Philippi, W. Va. along with other
locations listed in Strausbaugh
& Core.