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Dear Mr. Faust:

We appreciate your letter dated 1.9.48 addressed to Messrs. Britten and Rose, which has just come to this office. From your letter we are very happy to see that you have been given the four volumes of the monumental work on Cactaceae which we published many years ago; it seems most appropriate that this work should have come into your possession, for I am sure that you will make the best possible use of it. As you may know, the publication has been out of print for quite some time, so it is becoming increasingly valuable both as a documentary evidence as well as from the rare book point of view.

Both the authors are no longer living, and as a matter of fact, we have no one who does this kind of work for us any more. Therefore, I am taking the liberty of referring your letter with the attached list and photographs to Mr. E. P. Killip, Head Curator, Department of Botany, U. S. National Museum, Washington 25, D. C., who, I am sure, will take an interest in your work and will no doubt write to you direct.

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. V. A. Grodsky
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cc: Mr. Killip