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My dear Mr. Powell:

On my return from the country this afternoon I found the package of Gongora flowers on my desk. I was really overjoyed to get these. Another fascicle of best thanks is yours. I entered the specimens in your department of my herbarium. I took the liberty of separating them, as it would lead to difficulties if I should keep them on one sheet. When the specimens preserved in formalin arrive, Mrs. Ames will make drawings. In the meantime it would help if you find time to tell me how you distinguish the species in your Garden.

I am delighted to learn of Dr. Strömgren's visit to you. I find him a very inspiring man.

Vol VII of Orchidaceae was forwarded to you promptly. In fact your copy went out with the first half dozen that were sent abroad. I hope you will find in it some food for thought and at least discover something to cherish in the drawings Mrs. Ames made for us.

I am anxious to receive more material from you before I go abroad. By visualizing your specimens I hope to be able to check up Dr. Schlechter's determinations.

Yours faithfully,

*Oakes Ames*



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