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## Collection Overview

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## Administrative Information

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## Historical Note

Robert Merrill King (1930-2007) was a Research Associate with the Department of Botany, National Museum of Natural History, from 1971 to 1972. King's botanical studies concerned Compositae.

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## Introduction

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## Descriptive Entry

These papers consist of incoming correspondence from botanists, directors of herbaria, colleagues, and friends concerning the identification and determination of botanical specimens; specimen collecting; purchasing specimens, especially from Southeast Asia and Mexico; nomenclature concerning African specimens; publications; scientific activities; and personal matters.

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## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Botanists  
Botany

Types of Materials:

Manuscripts

Names:

King, Robert Merrill  
United States National Museum. Department of Botany

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## Container Listing

### Series 1: Incoming Correspondence, 1962-1971.

#### Box 1

Box 1 of 1 Folder 1 Correspondence from Lloyd H. Shinnars concerning the publication of his magazine *SIDA*; plants collected by him for the Southern Methodist University Herbarium; his writings; and personal matters (1965-1970)

Box 1 of 1 Folder 2 Correspondence to Robert Merrill King regarding botanical specimens from Mexico and Southeast Asia (1962-1964). Correspondents include:

Note:

- Berlyn, Graeme P.
- Broder, R. E.
- Bryan, E. H., Jr.
- Bunting, George S.
- Clark, R. B.
- Clausen, R. F.
- Constance, Lincoln
- Correll, Donovan S.
- Forman, L. L.
- Hale, Mason E.
- Hunt, P. F.
- Irwin, Howard S.
- Jacobs, M.
- Kern, J. H.
- Maguire, Bassett
- Martinez (?), Maximino
- Mason, Herbert L.
- McClure, F. A.
- Moore, Harold E., Jr.
- Nicolson, Dan H.
- Norlindh, Tycho
- Ownbey, Gerald B.
- Parker, Kattie
- Poore, M. E. D.
- Potzta, Eva
- Read, Robert W.
- Raven, Peter H.
- Sherff, Earl Edward
- Stern, William L.
- Stone, Benjamin C.
- Stoutamire, Warren P.
- Van Steenis, C. F. G.
- Walker, Egbert Hamilton
- Wieringa, W.
- Yuncker, Truman G.
- Wild, H. (1971). In regard to nomenclature of African specimens.

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