

It appears to me that each member of the Anglo-Saxon families should endeavor to collect books + mss. dealing with the origin and rise of all the others. For example, I found down here a rare old work on the exchange -if one may so call it- of the early <sup>(British)</sup> colony of Surinam for the equally early (Dutch) colony of New Amsterdam, otherwise Manhattan or New York, as fixed by the treaty of Breda - and so it goes. ¶ This Station is certainly a wonderful place for the study of South American fauna and I expect to utilize the material I have gathered for the purpose. I am also collecting monkey heads for Professor Whitnell!

Hoping to see you in May and again congratulating you on the success of the drive

I remain,

Very sincerely yours

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