Collections of corn in the Andean Region.

The corn collections in the Andean Region of South America have been continued during the past year. We have found many different color patterns in the pericarp and aleurone. Several different orange, brown, pinto and variegated types have been added to the collection. All of these types are available to anyone who desires to study them.

To date, we have made the following number of collections from various countries in the Andean Region of South America:

Colombia	1,297	Peru	796
Venezuela	468	Bolivia	250
Equador	478	Chile	117

One of the collections was found growing in Peru about 60 meters above Lake Titicaca at 12,500 ft. above sea level. So far, this is the highest point at which we have found corn growing.

Several Tripsacums have been added to our collection. These collections are being grown at Medellin, Colombia. Dr. R. W. Pohl, Department of Botany, Iowa State College has agreed to identify the species upon receipt of the necessary plant specimens.

Besides the Andean Region there are collections from the following countries:

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Argentina	7	Trinidad	18
Haiti	15	Costa Rica	5
Italia	1	Brazil	3
Mexico	116	Puerto Rico	1
Cuba	62		
	201	Total	228

- U. J. Grant
- D. L. Smith