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Carl Tauchnitzstr. 27.

Dear Sir!

In Stuttgart I saw in the Königl. Naturaliencabinet two specimens of Trilobites with antennae and feet, which you had presented to the Museum.

Assuming that you may be in possession of more such interesting Trilobites with appendages I take the liberty of proposing you to exchange some of them for a series of my Peruvian Branchiosaurus. I could furnish you

a series comprising remains
of larval individuals with gills
up to more or less complete
remains of half and of full
grown individuals with scales,-
a series which would illustrate
the whole development of these
Permian Amphibians (A. Credner,
Zeitsch. f. deut. geol. Gesellsh. 1886
Pl. XVI.-XIX).

The thin limestone-bed, which
contained these Stegocephala being

worked out, there ~~is~~ is no hope
of getting more or better specimens
of *Branchiosaurus* than those I offer
you.

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The plates representing the Reptiles,
which you discribed, restored and
figured, which plates you had the kind-
ness to send me, adorn the walls of
my modest palaeontological Museum
and remind us of your work in vertebrate
Palaeontology.

Yours truly
A Herm. Credner