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Dear Mr. Watson:-

I am going to avail myself of your kind offer to compare some of Pringle's grasses with those in your herbarium. I have sent nearly all the species and any notes or observations which you may append to the sheets will be highly valued. Examples of the *Panicum* & *Paspalum* I have sent to Prof. Hackel & I now soon expect to hear from him.

The species which I desire especially to note are

- ✓ 2610 *Tripsacum*
- ✓ 2363 *Panicum*
- ✓ 2423 "*Panicum Pringlei* Vasey."
- 2608 *Pennisetum*
- ✓ 2375 *Aristida*

✓ 2346 236 & 255 which I think all one species. From the peculiar lateral leaf-like prolongations of the ligule I have proposed to name this *Muhlenbergia trifoliolata*. It is allied to *M. distichophylla* but quite distinct according to my specimens of the latter.

All the *Muhlenbergias*.

The three species of *Sporobolus*

- ✓ 2321 *Epicampes* = 518 E. Palmer 1886.
- 2624 *Eragrostis*.
- 2607 *Bromus* -
- ✓ 2525 *Brachypodium*.

I fully realise that I am asking a good deal of you. If you find time



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