

Portraits Feb 19

[1851?]

My dear Gray

Your specimen of *Myriocephalus*
is very much like mine but
the leaves are ~~much~~ shorter the
heads smaller ~~the~~ and the scales
of the general involucre in my
plant have the lower linear
portion longer with a strong
green rib with the appendage of
^{the internal squamae have little or no}
the top like that in yours, ^{of this I should}
think all belong to the same
species - I have it from Krypt
and from Drummond's first
unnumbered collection I have
not Drummond's later numbered
sets, nor the other species you mention

I see another *Indica* plant
in I do hope it brings news

J. D. Hooker

Yours truly

George Bentham



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