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Prof. Watson Cambridge.

My dear Prof.

I am the more disposed to make the correction you propose in considering Hypnum pallidum as a mere variety, that I have always asserted the fact, against Austin & James who both sent me under that name a number of specimens all clearly referable to the common and variable H. reptans. But as I have not taken to the microscope again and have not seen Schimper's specimens, I had no right to eliminate the species, though now satisfied that it has been ^{rightly} done by Lindberg. I am much obliged for the correction, more and more admiring the depth and care of your researches. When you call yourself stupid for having missed the correction of one letter, what name will you apply to me who have been and am still blundering along ^{and making} mistakes without number. I think you will find more to say in the Pleuronotus.

Very sincerely yours

A. Senguerus



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