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Dear Dr. Watson,

I have no doubt now that Fendler's 1646 is the *Echinolæna polystachya* W.R.K. The glumes on my specimens vary from being as hispid as yours to having snipe papillæ with no hispid elongation - and this on the same plant.

I find that my specimen of true *Echinolæna* is *E. hirta*, Desv. which may be the same as *E. scabra* W.R.K. as Bend. & W.R.K. seem to intimate ("Species 1" re.)

I am very much obliged for your sketches and other information which have helped me very much.

Sincerely,
Yours,
Wm. M. Aubrey



Canby, William Marriott. 1890. "Canby, William M. Oct. 25, 1890 [to S. Watson]." *William Marriot Canby letters to Asa Gray*

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