

SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA,

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Mr. Geo. E. Davenport,

Dear Sir:

I am preparing a flora of Western San Diego County and should like very much to have your judgement in regard to the disposition of some of the ferns - If you will be kind enough to answer the following questions, the favor will be appreciated.

1. Do you accept Maxon's Asplenium vespertinum as the name for our plant which has been called by local botanists A. Trichomanes incisum?
2. Do you regard the Californian Woodwardia as distinct from the eastern W. radicans?
3. What names do you accept for the old Aspidium munitum <sup>Polystichum Mill.</sup> and A. argutum <sup>Nephrodium maxim</sup>? Also for Cystopteris fragilis <sup>maxim</sup>?

If I can be of service to you by collecting or otherwise, please be free to command -

I believe you are acquainted through correspondence with my friends Mr. & Mrs. Brandegee & Mr. Daniel Cleveland -

Yours sincerely -  
Harley P. Chandler.



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