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My dear Mr. Davenport,

Your letter enclosing the *Botrychia* came safely, and would have been answered long ago if I had not wanted to photograph the buds first. I tried it on Saturday, but it was so dark and stormy that nothing but spoiled plates resulted. However, I'll try it soon again and let you see the result.

Thank you very much for your kindness in lending me the bud and sending so many species for my herbarium. I had no Imania from America, and no boreale.

Perhaps you may like to have the enclosed specimen of simplex from Maryland. The spot where it grew is now a garden. Mr. Egerton who discovered it, as mentioned in the appendix of Gray's Manual, says he submitted it to Dr. Underwood. I have the only other specimen he had, all the others being sent out in exchange.

Yours sincerely,

C. R. Waters.

By the way, I am not a "professor" here, but only an "assistant", though my title is "doctor". I don't want more than belongs to me.



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