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Dr. J. W. Dawson.

Dear Sir,

I am very much obliged for the note sent. There are two species at Fredericksburg, of the pointed stem conifers, and one on the lower James. Your deductions are confirmed by the foliage and structure from other branches etc. I have found many globular or slight-ly oblong cones, about one centimetre in diameter, but the branches carrying them never grow so far, show any foliage or markings indicating where they belong, though they are often found under circumstances that strongly indicate that they belong to the pointed stem conifers. If I find any suited for microscopic study I will send them.

Yours truly

Louis Fountain

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