

L. John W.B.
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My dear Sir William

I have read with much pleasure your article on the genus *Lecidophois* and see that you reverse the leaf scars from the position in which Lesqueriaux figured them.

The print of the young leaf-bases is certainly very misleading, they are so like *Lepidodendron*.

Your remark about using figures without giving credit to the au-

that remind me that ~~that~~
I have seen some, which
are familiar to me of old
as giving a zest to the
pages of Acadian Geology,
accredited by Schimper
to Zittel!

I was glad to hear
about a month ago
indirectly, that your
health was considerably
improved; I hope this
change continues and
that you will soon
be able to resume your
useful work on the geo-

Logg of Canada.

I am still working
at the Cambrian about
St. John and am arrang-
ing to make an excursion
next summer to Newfound-
land to study the Sub-
Cambrian measures there
There is a fine succession
of what I suppose to
be Etcheminian there,
and I hope to find in it
some traces of earlier
Palaeozoic faunas, not yet
described.

Hoping to hear of your
entire convalescence

I remain yours truly
G. F. Matthew

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