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Dear D White

I should have acknowledged your parcel & letter earlier but for pressure of other work.

Your *Neurplus* is evidently a help of *flexuosus* of *Bonaparte* but with the dark lines between the nerves clear evidence of his *N. eximialis* and traces of the denticles on the margin seen in the same species. Both of these species are as you know recognized specimens as shown in the Pennsylvania Report and I have catalogued the price you show *Secta* (Canadian July p. 482)

The peculiar characters of your specimen you will see referred to by Bonaparte *Fig 70* 234 plate, and also of Renault *Atlas de Societe Indusuelle Pl XXVI* 1890. Both of these authors think that they indicate

Minute accumulations of the  
margin of the leaves about  
being flattened out fine  
dark lines, frequently ex-  
plains them by a thickened  
parenchyma compressed between  
the veins of *Fundulus*  
no explanation. The same  
by definite characters of fine  
upward but it is to be  
observed that frequent  
by *Isis* P 239 describes elongated  
x bundles especially present as  
x cracks in the ribs of the  
veins of *N. flexuosa*; and  
this fine cancellate that  
such vessels of *N. aciculata*  
Nearer the margin than in  
*N. flexuosa* might give the  
appearance in fine specimens,  
I think I have seen similar  
appearances in specimens of  
*Nemiptera* but have not time  
at present to look up these  
specimens

In the mean time  
the references above given contain  
all I know in the matter

Copy to  
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