

Apr 23

Dear Dr. Hilde

I have received your
of Apr 19 and by the way
Thank you for your
kind attention & very
yours.

As to name for "*Glyptodactylus*"
I rather like the name
Acanthodactyla which you
suggest and shall be glad
if you will write me and
send to me the characters
of the genus to be credited
to you, and what you
the present will seem
for the species as well,
May I ask you to
do the same for the
two forms of so-called
Saxidomus and for
either or both of what
your names *Saxothrix*
& *Saxidema* will do
very well, and if you

will kindly send me the
descriptions I shall
compare them with
the rest of the specimens
which I have here and
as to what I am
not very clear I had
~~thought of the name~~
I have I think specimens
representing still other
forms but shall name
them then. All which
I am trying to do and
seems to consist of simple
radially symmetrical like
Galathea-like but without
cup, symmetrical and pupal
with long hair = like
defensive specimens.

As to collecting the
specimens at the following
I shall be pleased that
you do so. After this
it may be best to collect
them and I shall
when the paper & drawings
are finished make up
a set either for you

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British Museum as
you may wish,

Thy friend

~~Richard Owen~~