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My dear Mr Watson

In my descrip-
tion of *Salix alba* - Var *vitellina*
strike out the words,

Var *Pameachiana* And, not
S. Pameachiana, Benth; is a form
of this with the old leaves ferruginous
pubescent beneath.

As the Rhode Island plant
so named by Andersson is sterile
it can not be a form of *vitellina*
of which we have only the ♀ - It
is most likely one of the *alba* x *hybrid*
hybrids - but need not be ^{specially} mentioned
in a work of the character of this
Manual -

Yours very truly
W. S. Webb

I have another little emendation to
make but alone in haste



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