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Dear Dr. Coan:

In reference to your recent article on the Mitridae in the Veliger, I wish to call your attention to Lapparia T. A. Conrad, 1855. For information see: Stenzel, H. B., and Turner, F. E., 1940, The gastropod genera Cryptachorda and Lapparia in the Eocene of the Gulf Coastal Plain: Univ. Texas Pub. 3945, pt. 2, p. 795-822; pls. 43-45, June 1940, and Stenzel and Turner, Type invertebrate fossils of North America: Univ. Texas Bur. Economic Geology, card nos. 32-40.

The kind of taxonomic compilation which you are doing on the Mitridae is rather important at this stage of our science. I wish you good luck.

Sincerely yours,

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