with the slim needle-like leaves attached, of what seem to be from six to seven different species; and it is worthy of notice, that they resemble in the group rather the coniferæ of the southern than those of the northern hemisphere.



CONIFERS?

One sprig in my collection seems scarcely distinguishable from that of the recent Altinga excelsa; another, from that of the recent Altinga Cunninghami. Lindley and Hutton figure in their fossil flora a minute branch of Dacrydium cupressinum, in order to show how nearly the twigs of a