Finally Eyndhoven (Par. 14, f.) mentions *tiliarium* Joh. Hermann, 1804 (*Mem. Apt.* 42–43). This name was used not by Joh. Hermann (père), but by J. F. Hermann (fils) in a confused sense *before* Joh. Hermann wrote his note restricting the name *tiliarium* to the linden mite. Thus it is the name *tiliarium* J. F. Hermann (fils) 1804, which must be suppressed in the sense of Eyndhoven, and not *tiliarium* Joh. Hermann (père), 1804. The name proposed by the father appears in the inserted note on pp. 41–42, and clearly must be credited to the father.

Please see the full discussion of our path of reasoning in: Boudreaux and Dosse, 1963. Concerning the names of some common spider mites in: *Recent Advances in Acarology* **1** : 350–364. Comstock Publishing Associates, Ithaca, New York, U.S.A.

OBJECTION TO, AND REVISION OF, THE PROPOSAL RELATING TO *KROHNIA* LANGERHANS, 1880 (CHAETOGNATHA). Z.N.(S.) 1586

(see volume 20, pages 381–382)

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With reference to the application by R. Alvarado and I. Moreno (Museo Nacional de Ciencias Naturales, Madrid, Spain) for the validation of *Krohnia* Langerhans, 1880 Chaetognatha, under the plenary powers, I wish to register a firm objection.

The genus *Krohnia* Quatrefages, 1865, with type-species *Alciopa lepidota* Krohn, 1845, is a valid taxon. It is a recognised species of pelagic polychaete widely distributed in Tropical and Sub-Tropical waters of the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. As *Krohnia lepidota* (Krohn, 1845) it has been reported as a good species by Støp-Bowitz (1948), Dales (1957), Hartman (1959), Tebble (1960, 1962).

Fauvel (1923) was in error in rejecting *Krohnia* for *Callizonella* Apstein, (1891), which is a synonym of it.

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In view of the fact that *Krohnia* is now in use in Polychaeta, as Dr. Tebble (in a letter dated 8 Nov. 1963) has pointed out, we have considered the proposal submitted and published (*Bull. zool. Nomencl.* **20** : 381–382) as a case included under the Code (Arts. 53, 60 and 67(i)).

Considering the literature concerned with both the nominal genera *Eukrohnia* and *Krohnia* we have modified our first proposal and the new one is submitted as follows:

The International Commission is requested:

(1) to place the generic name *Eukrohnia* Ritter-Zahony, 1909 (gender : feminine), type-species by original designation, *Sagitta hamata* Möbius, 1875, on the Official List of Generic Names in Zoology;

(2) to place the specific name *hamata* Möbius, 1875, as published in the binomen *Sagitta hamata* (type-species of *Eukrohnia* Ritter-Zahony, 1909) on the Official List of Specific Names in Zoology;

(3) to place the generic name *Krohnia* Langerhans, 1880 (a junior homonym of *Krohnia* Quatrefages, 1865) on the Official Index of Rejected and Invalid Generic Names in Zoology.