

Thelignya

After Poelt, and Clauzade & Roux

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[I have not seen a description of the genus; need to check Henssen & Jorgensen, 1990, for reference to one]

Epihymenium green; spores 8-10 x 5.5-7 μ m. Thallus granular-areolate-squamulose, the granules about 100-200 μ m high and wide, forming areoles 1-2 mm across. Thallus blackish, 1-2 mm wide, hyphae with rounded cells in a loose arrangement. Apothecia completely sunken, small, deep urn-form, perithecioid. Hymenium 60-120 μ m high. On soil or non-calcareous rocks. Greenland. Thelignya lignyota (Wahlenb. in Ach.) P. M. Jorg. & Henssen (Synonym: Porocyphus dispersus)

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