July 18, 1911.

Dear Dr. Robinson: -

I think you will be interested in learning, if you do not already know it, that I have received an appointment as "Forest Pathologist" in the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, and that I have already resigned my position at Brown. The Civil Service Commission reports that I obtained 96% in my examination, which I think is very good, considering the fact that "general education" counted for 50% of the examination, and that I am not a college graduate.

I wish to thank you most cordially for your faithfulness as a member of the Botanical Visiting Committee. It must often have caused you considerable inconvenience to come down to Providence so regularly. You may be sure that I appreciate your kindness in the matter.

I leave this evening for New York, but my permanent address will be as above for some time to come, I think.

Wishing you a very pleasant summer, I remain

Very cordially yours,

J. Franklin Collins.



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