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Col. Wilfrid Bovey, Director
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Montreal, Canada

Dear Col. Bovey:

This is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 5th inviting me to deliver the annual Somerville lecture at McGill University on April 23rd at 8:15 P.M.; subject "Fish Life in Our Inland Waters, with Special Reference to Trout Fishing", and to say that I will be very glad to accept the invitation.

I have one film showing the development of trout from the egg to yearlings which would fit into such a talk very nicely.

I can occupy an hour with the talk and the film, if agreeable to you, or make it somewhat shorter, and open the meeting for asking questions. I will leave it to you to decide just how long I shall talk and whether you want to arrange to open the meeting for asking questions. I find that many people get much more out of it if they are permitted to ask some questions.

I will arrange to come on the train which leaves Hartford at 11 P.M. the night of April 22nd, due to arrive in Montreal the following morning at 8:05 o'clock, and will take the sleeper back the evening of the 23rd if I have time to get it after the lecture, as I assume will be possible. Would like to remain over for the day trip, but I am extremely busy at this season of the year.

Anticipating the pleasure of meeting you and appreciating the honor implied in the invitation,

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. W. Titcomb", written in dark ink.

JWT:JFB