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Prof. O. C. Marsh,

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Dear Sir:

I received your telegram last night. The way to reach the matter which you refer to is to have the appropriation made in the shape of an amendment in the Senate, and then have it agreed to by a conference committee, which it very likely will be, I should judge. I think it would be well for you to write Senator Platt, if you have not already written him, and perhaps Senator Hawley also, and call their attention to it. Senator Platt will pay more attention to a communication from you on the subject than he would from me, as you are known to be an authority in the scientific world, and Mr. Platt would accept your judgment as conclusive.

Yours truly,

Lewis Sperry