

Winston, N. C.,

March 14th., 1891.

My dear Sir : I omitted to say to you that in the event of my selection as Executive Commissioner of the Board of Managers of the World's Fair, that I would specially like to have associated with me, as Secretary of the Commission, Mr. T. K. Bruner, the present Secretary of the Department of Agriculture. He is very familiar with the work to be done and can render most signal service in the special department of minerals and the artistic disposition of them, his residence at the Capital and his present connection with the Board, of course, enable him to give his services at a less price than an officer not so eligible placed. But his chief recommendation is his fitness for the duties and his capacity for other parts of the work, derived from experience.

Yours truly,

Col Eliot Carr

P. M. Wilson