

Durham N. C.

June 25<sup>th</sup> 1894.

Hon. Elias Carr.

Raleigh N. C.

My dear Governor:

I have pleasure in presenting to you, Mr. N. H. Bussey of New York, who is an artist of reputation and skill. He has been engaged here, for some time, in painting portraits, and can take engagements for such work in Raleigh. He is a painter of great merit, having made admirable pictures of some of our prominent citizens.

He is, too, an accomplished and elegant gentleman, and I take great pleasure in commending him to you.

Mr. Bussey has spent some years in Europe and has exhibited pictures at the Paris Salon. His skill is not confined to portraits, as his work will show you. I will appreciate such time and attention as you may give him.

I am, Very truly yours,  
W. W. Fuller