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Dear Bob:

I thank you for your letter of the 14th and especially so for its frank utterances. I am inclined to think you are about right, and eventually, it will prove a grand failure. I would much like to see the experiment given a fair trial, with the white-man's hands entirely off. The result would, at least, settle the matter so far as North Carolina is concerned.

I wish you to understand