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Dear Benjie:

I am sorry to learn that you are going to lose Nelson Spratt, and I am afraid I can be of little help. One of my students, Mr. Byron Wenger, just got his degree, but I do not think he would fit too well in your Department. On the other hand if you happen to know of an opening for an embryologist and comparative anatomist, preferably in a midwestern or western university, I would appreciate it if you let me know. Mr. Wenger is trying to obtain a fellowship for a year to continue his training in biochemistry, but he would consider an attractive position.

What are your plans for the summer? I intend to stay here until the end of August, mainly to teach and to write my chapter in "The Book", and then to attend the Growth Conference.

Cordial greetings,

Yours,

Viktor Hamburger

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