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## Dear Trubee:

It is with the keenest regret that I accept your resignation, to take effect on 15 April 1952. I remember very well the conditions you set last Spring when you consented to take over the job as my Assistant Director for Personnel and I deeply appreciate the sacrifices you made to do so. I am especially sorry for your recent ill health and feel that we are more than a little responsible for it.

Yet my satisfaction in having been able to persuade you to take this assignment, even so briefly, is undeniable and I want to record my commendation and congratulations on a job surpassingly well done.

With thanks for the kind thoughts in your note, and my very best wishes for the future,

Sincerely,

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Walter B. Smith Director

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