

Gettysburg, March 11th 1834.

Rev^d Dr. Robinson,
Rev^d Sir, }

At the last meeting of Trustees of Pennsylvania College, the chairman of the undersigned committee informed the Board of a conversation had with you during your passage through this place last year, on the subject of your accepting the joint station of Prof. of Bib. & Orient. Literatures in the Theol. Seminary, & President of Penna. College; and intimated his belief, that if your health were reestablished, you might perhaps have been induced to accept that appointment. Dr. Hazelin having left us, the vacancy in the Seminary has been necessarily filled, & very happily too by the election of the Rev^d Mr. Keaule, who is also Prof. in College. But the Board of Penna. College are anxious, if possible, to engage the whole time of some gentleman as President; & have directed the undersigned respectfully to inquire of you, whether you would be willing to accept that station. This communication has been delayed several months by the impression of the committee, derived from a source apparently authentic, that you had left this country for Europe; which, as they have more recently learned, was erroneous.

The undersigned would be happy indeed to receive an affirmative reply, if consistent with your engagements, & sense of duty; & have no doubt of your election; as we trust, the Board ^{will} then find themselves able to offer a reasonable salary.

As the next meeting of the Trustees will occur on the 16th
of April, an early reply would be the more grateful.

With sentiments of the highest respect,
we subscribe ourselves

Dear Sir,

Yours &c

J. S. Schmucker.

J. F. Macfarlane
Robert G. Harper.

Rev. J. Robinson,

Dear Sir,

I avail myself of this opportunity to tender
you my warmest thanks, for your valuable translation of Buttman's
Greek Grammar, which reached me safely several months since.
The belief above referred to, that you had again departed for the land
of the Reformation, is the cause why I did not acknowledge your kind-
ness at an earlier day. I shall shortly direct the printer to send
you a copy of a work on Popular Theology which I now have in the
Cottman press. Hoping that it may have pleased a kind Providence
to restore your health,

I remain affectionately

Your brother in X^{ty},

J. S. Schmucker.

Rev. Prof. Schumaker
Mar. 11. 1834

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Rev. Professor Robinson D. D.

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Boston, Mass.

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(P.M. 4 1/2 - K. is at Boston,
please forward this to him.)

