

30th January, 1952.

My dear Gray,

Thanks for your letter of January 28th. As I judge at present, I should be very glad to join your committee on toxicity tests, I presume as a member of the committee.

In considering the replacement for Catchside, who was in fact Reader in Cytogenetics (without limitation to Plant Cytogenetics) I had thought that perhaps your own department would be interested since quite a few capable cytologists have worked impartially in both kingdoms. Is it already an agreed

matter that this appointment concerns only the Department of Botany and is not connected with the general educational facilities of the university?

Yours sincerely,