

SPENCER F. BAIRD,  
Commissioner.

United States Commission, Fish and Fisheries,

Washington, D. C. April 24, 1850.  
Dear Captain,

Yours of the 22<sup>d</sup> is to hand.  
The best way to stock the Letort-Spring  
with Trout, is to start a hatchery on the  
Barnecks grounds, where you can  
hatch eggs, & in time get the young  
fish. If you will get the work, entitled  
"Domesticated Trout & How to Grow them",  
to be had of the author, Livingston Stone,  
Charlestown, New Hampshire, you will  
see what an admirable field of interest you  
can open to the Indians. The expense would be  
trifling, as the boys can do all the work.

Yours Truly,

Capt. R. H. Pratt, U.S.A. }  
Carlisle }  
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Commissioner

United States Commission, Fish and Fisheries

Washington D.C. April 24, 1880

Dear Captain,

Yours of the 22d is to hand. The best way to stock the Letort Spring with trout, is to start a hatchery on the Bursack's grounds, where you can hatch eggs, and in time get the young fish. If you will get the work, entitled "Domesticated Trout and How to Grow Them", to be had of the author, Livingston Stone, Charlestown, New Hampshire, you will see what an admirable field of interest you can open to the Indians. The expense would be nothing, as the boys could do all the work.

Yours truly.

Spencer W Baird

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