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Dear Signor Tacchini,

In answer to your letter of July 31, I beg to congratulate you most heartily on having at last met the reward of your long & persevering labours in Spectroscopic & other Astronomy; & I trust you will never find an open field for carrying into effect all your long cherished schemes for the improvement of science & advance of knowledge, in
you

your dearth ~~of~~ Directorship
of the Central Office of Meteorology
-logy & the Observatory of the
College Romano, & wishing
you a long & successful
career there, I remain

Yours very truly

Piaggi Supt