C. F. HODGE,
Physiology and Neurology.

CLARK UNIVERSITY,
WORCESTER, MASS. Oct. 20, -99.

My dear Professor Ingersoll:-

It gives me great pleasure to mail you two negatives of my little boy and his cedar bird. His delight in his pet has done more than anything else to open up the new ideal of bird study for children which I have tried to outline in the leaflet.

Why must science be so cockey anyway? why not make the most and the best of all the values in nature?

I shall need to have the negatives back as soon as you done with them.

Sincerely yours,
C. F. Hodge.

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CLARENCE HODGE

EWING, ILLINOIS, 3-14-1917.

Mr. Robert Ridgeway,
U.S. National Museum,
Washington, D.C.

My Dear Sir:- As the member of Bird-Lore's Adisory Council for Southern Illinois, I would inquire of you concerning the list of Southern Illinois Birds. Have you such a list? If not, whom should I write to get it? From May 1916 to March 1917 I have observed about 80 kinds of birds. I am sure this is but a small number of the large list in our midst. Anything on bird life in Southern Illinois would be to my notice.

Kindly yours.
Clarence Hodge.