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Dear Jarry:

At the time the Editorial Board of our new JOURNAL was selected, no definite policy with regard to the rotation of its members had been decided. Since then the Publisher has requested that a rotational system be instituted as soon as possible to preclude any future misunderstanding.

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It was decided that it would not be fair to ask an individual to serve more than five years as a member of the Board because of the sacrifice of time involved. In order to get the rotation policy under way and not have everyone's term cease at the same time, some terms, chosen arbitrarily by lot, will end in three years (December 31, 1961), other in four years (December 31, 1962), and still others in five years (December 31, 1963). According to this arrangement, your term happens to expire on December 31, 1963. We sincerely hope that you will consent to serve for this period of time without inconvenience.

We are all deeply grateful to you for the help you rendered in getting the JOURNAL off to such an auspicious start. We hope that through your continuing support we can eventually expand the journal in volume without any sacrifice in quality. To this end, it will be very helpful if you will use your influence wherever possible to have high quality papers submitted to the JOURNAL. Since we have no backlog of papers, this means fairly prompt publication after acceptance. Remember that you are anxious to receive manuscripts dealing with basic as well as applied aspects of insect pathology, especially when the latter deals with fundamental aspects of applied research. Number 1 of the JOURNAL is expected to appear in April. Currently we still need manuscripts for Number 2 which is scheduled for some time in July.

Again, let me thank you for the support you are giving our new venture. At any time we shall appreciate hearing from you and receiving any suggestions you may have with regard to the JOURNAL.

With all best wishes,

Sincerely,



Edward A. Steinhaus
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