

Picknell Knobs, Indiana.

Mar. 18, 1897.

Prof. Robert Ridgway,
Washington D. C.

My Dear Sir:— Living in
your native County and State, and
after reading about you, I thought I
would write you.

I am collecting a few notes on
Birds and mammals, for the
Indiana Academy of Science for
our Biological Survey, also on
the History of Indiana Birds.

* Have you got any publications
of your Department, that would
aid me in the work, as I want
to do all the good that I
can for the noble cause.

Yours C.,

E. J. Chandler.