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my dear Dr. Pammel:-

Thank you for your good letter of some days ago, & certainly thank you for your efforts to secure the degree, & am sorry that it caused you so much trouble.

I do not care for it especially, from any other institution, & certainly will not seek it, if thrust upon me like the Spingarn medal & will take it of course.

I wanted it as a priceless heritage from your Dept. As I believe it inspires more boys and girls to delve into the mysteries of Nature and Nature's God than any other.

I am sending you a clipping which is self explanatory.

See "Who's Who in America" Page 2895 - Joel Elias Spingarn. Bishop Heust is simply one of the Committee on awards.

I have not as yet seen the "Bomb", & wish they would send me a copy. kindest regards to Mrs. Pammel.  
Sincerely yours, Geo. W. Carver.

P.S.

This medal is given annually for the most distinguished achievement by an American citizen of African descent.