

26th November,
1912.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd inst., giving further particulars regarding the Cape Astronomical Association.

As the objects of the Association are in every way worthy of support I shall be pleased to act in the capacity of honorary President and hope that your efforts will result in the formation of a society useful to its members and also to astronomical Science.

Will you kindly convey to your Committee my appreciation of the honour conferred on me?

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. S. Hough

H. M. Astronomer.

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