Middletown N.J. Jan 16th, 1870

Prof. A. C. Marke

Sir,

I have been informed that you recently visited this county. I very much regret that you were unable to call upon me so that I might acknowledge your kind-ness in sending me the catalogues &c. It also gave you a tooth and vertebra which I have been keeping some time with the intention of sending to you. If you judge from the rough sketches over leaf that they are worth your recurring, please direct me how to send them to you. My time has been so much occupied during the last fall & present winter that...
I have not been able to make any extensive visit among the owners of shark jaws. Among my immediate acquaintances that I frequently see I have not heard of any discoveries of the kind you wish.

The sketches are of the actual size of the bones. The hatched parts of the vertebrae are where the original surface has been broken off.

Your Obt. Serv.

Geo. F. Murray

Geo. O. Murray, Middleb. N.Y.

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