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Prof. O. C. Morsch,

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I had sent you from Laporte
Indiana a can of bones which I unearth from
a ruined footman on a mesa in Western New
Mexico last summer.

When I first began digging I hoped for rich de-
velopments, but I knew just enough about bones
for I was through to think that I had simply
stumbled upon some rat's nest. Yet there is no
corn within 50 miles of that section & — will tell
me if they are of any value to you and
accept the will for the deed.

Mr. James tells me you may expect you to make
a campaign here this winter; I trust it is
& glory both in your will & purpose & heroic
response your cause.

Accept the wishes of success of

Yours truly

Fred A. Clark

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