

Muir Kirk M^d. Aug. 19th / 88

Wm. Brewster Esq^r
Yale College Museum

Dear Sir: Your
favor of the 17th inst came
duly to hand. I shall
pack the bone referred to,
and forward to Prof. Marsh
by Express, without delay.
Should it prove of no
pecuniary value, the College
is quite welcome to it.

I should ask no compensation
for the bone, had my occupa-
tion been at all remunerative
while engaged in the
retraction of Iron Ore
at this place.

Hoping the box may
reach its destination
safely. I am

Yours respectfully
A. M. Gilmore

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Mount Airy N.C. Aug. 25th 1888

Prof Ward
Tale College.

Dear Sir:

I forward
to your address, per
Express (Chgo paid) the box
of bones heretofore mentioned
By a recent ruling I
had to prepay charges.
I hope you may find
these fragments of rare
origin. Kindly address
me at Herndon Fairfax
Co. Va and oblige
Yours very respectfully
C. M. Gilman