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Mr. Robert Beall
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11 Blvd. Victor Hugo
Algiers, Algeria

Dear Sir:

A package containing three lots of fossils collected by you in North Africa has been received here in good condition.

I wish to thank you for sending me this material, which is very valuable for comparison with our local fauna. You are probably aware that The University of Texas, in common with many other American universities, has very little comparative foreign material. Such comparative material is of great importance in stratigraphy and paleontology, and your kindness in sending this material is greatly appreciated.

I wonder what I could do in return to help you?

Very truly yours,

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