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Dear Doc:-

Hurt am I that you should suggest sarcasm could drip from this pen.

Perhaps we employed what is known as a flank attack and the results were excellent. Little did I think a barb could get under your rhinoceros skin. You are getting soft,

Have had word from the coast regarding B. L. Clark. Hope the old boy pulls through, but removal of cancer of the stomach sounds serious.

I don't know anything about Lonsdale and thought he would be much more acceptable than the alternative you feared. Hope the salary situation works out favorably.

However, I am afraid the academic life calls for some financial sacrifice. You can't have everything. Now be a good boy and think kindly of me.

With best wishes,

Hubert L. Lonsdale