

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

United States Geological Survey,

DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,

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Prof. J. W. Dawson,

Dear Sir:

Your card referring to Hemalonotus DeKayi is received. Prof. Hall has a number of entire specimens & drawings lithographed for a volume on N. Y. Trilobites. I think the specimen you mention might be of service to him. I am now engaged in working up the results of our last field season in Central Nevada. Have upwards of 300 species of fossils, 130 Devonian, etc. Was sorry not to see you when you were at the American

as I was on the upper floor when we
are writing up a report on the
Eureka Mining District. Mr Arnold
Hague in charge. Besides the
very interesting Nevada collection
I have a few legs of trilobites
that are interesting.

Please
accept many thanks for your
kindness in writing to me of the
Trilobite & my regrets at not being
able at present to make use of it.

Respectfully & truly Yours
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