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Principal J. W. Dawson

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Dear Sir

I take the liberty of sending, by same mail with this, for examination, a small section and a fragment of a fossil found in Kentucky. I am not now sure of the Geological position, but as I am informed, it is somewhere near the top of the Lower Silurian or bottom of Upper Silurian. I will find out definitely in regard to this. Please retain the section and fragment.

The discoverer of this fossil says specimens are found from one to 16 inches in diameter. Can it be Cozoon? or closely allied to that Genus?

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I propose to describe and figure
It for publication in the Journ. of the Geol.
Soc. of Nat. Hist.

If you will be so kind as to
give me your opinion of this fossil you
greatly oblige

Your obedient Servt

U. P. James

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