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My dear Busbey:

*I enclose what - may seem a request -*  
*request; but*  
I have a fair prospect of a very profitable engagement for next year. Nothing is concluded but there seems to be no *which I see no other way of securing without his =* closing my identity which I do not like to do. reasonable doubt that it will be when the "missing link" which you

are requested to forge, has been supplied. *As my present work will be a =*  
*book done sometime in early Spring and "The Dargone's*

The purpose seems to be to secure a strong lead in the Congressional fight of next year. *Month" hardly ready before Fall, then, such an*  
*engagement suits very*

*wishes to a "J" and forward to*

Respectfully,