

Hot-Spring Ark.

Apr. 23, 1906.

Dear Professor Binns,

I have determined that this clay is not fit for stoneware and hence I can see no chance in my best line here. Is there any prospect of the Shawmut going ahead now, or further, have there been further developments in another stoneware proposition you mentioned last fall?

A Mr. Frank Rushton, a figure caster of Worcester is in town and it seems worked

there for you.

If you ever saw this country, knew where the clays are located as regards the R. R. and knew the clays as I do, you would wonder that my faith is small in the ultimate success of the schemes. Beside our own bunch, there are two others scheming, one headed by Keats and the other by a local chaf.

Yours very truly
Paul E. Cox.

Box 5-45

— Paid on box No.