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in Nicaragua Canal

United States Senate,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

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of coal, or iron, or cotton
manufacturing, we now
lead the world in all these
basic industries and we
have only opened the fly leaf
of the great book of our future.

You are in the right field &
will win satisfactory success.

I think your father is with
you. Will you remember me
to him in the sort of regard that
comes from many years of
friendship, of which I am very
proud. Sincerely yours

July 14. 1898. Jno. D. Morgan

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Mr. F. M. Jackson
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