

1938, Dec. 11.

Mr. Will Chandler,
Allen, Tex.

Dear Mr. Chandler:

I want to thank you for the courteous reception you gave us when we visited you several Sunday's ago. I enjoyed talking to you and getting the facts about the meteorite. And the pecans were good, too!

I have reported this meteorite to the Society for Research on Meteorites, of which I am a charter member; at their annual convention, a list of all meteorites which have been discovered recently is always presented. I am also listing it in a Catalog of Texas Meteorites which is being issued soon at Austin.

You can keep this letter as a sort of receipt for the rock. I had it at the College at Denton one night last week, showing it to a group before whom I was making a talk on Meteorites, and they were all pleased to see a meteorite which had been found so near "home".

I am working on some photographs of it and will write an article for publication about it in the scientific magazines, as we always do in the case of every meteorite. As I told you when I was there, I expect to put some items in the newspapers about it before long.

Please remember that we hope eventually to have this for our permanent collection and if you should for any reason decide to dispose of it, kindly give us "first chance". In the meantime, I am holding it subject to your wishes, and thank you for the chance to work on it and study it. Any time you are in Ft. Worth, look me up. On weekdays I am ordinarily at the wholesale store of the Monnig Dry Goods Co., 1621 Main, phone 2-5181. I will be glad to show you our collection at any time.

Yours sincerely,