

1963, July 11.

Mr. Elvin R. Phipps,  
943 Lakeview,  
Emporia, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Phipps:

I had hoped to hear from you by now about the meteorites. I thought I had better remind you that I am leaving here next Tuesday, July 16th on the Rock Island Rocket for Minneapolis, and will probably not return till about July 24th. It would be better if the meteorite(s) was not sent to me in that interval because there will be no one at my home to receive it or get it from the express office.

I am still quite interested in obtaining them or in helping you get them shipped in any way I can. I thought of phoning you but didn't want to bother you. I am thinking of trying to phone you as I go thru Topeka but as I recall the train stops only a very few minutes and I might not have time.

I'd appreciate a note from you on the enclosed card and hope you can get a meteorite here shortly after the 25th.

Most sincerely yours,