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1961, Oct. 31.

Mr. Walter White,
Bonham High School,
Bonham, Texas

Dear Mr. White:

The carbonaceous chondrite that I first became familiar with thru having a sample of a few grams is listed as follows in some meteorite catalogs I have:

MIGHEI, Olviopol, Kherson, Ukraine.
Fell 1869, June 18, 8.30 a.m.
Synonyms: Elizabethpol; Migheja.
Stone. Carbonaceous chondrite

After the "usual light and sound phenomena", a stone, of over 8 kg. according to the total weight in collections, was seen to fall (Natura, London, 1890, vol. 41, p. 472). Described and partially analysed by S. Meunier (Comptes Rendus Acad. Sci. Paris, 1889, vol. 109, p. 976). 2 3/4 kg. in Odessa University.

Specimens in British Museum of Natural History: 147 gms., 87 gms; 12 grams.

By all means keep yours just as you have it, and do not try to glue it together in any way. I appreciated the opportunity of seeing it and the honor of handling it!

The pictures I took came out well and I'm having copies made for you. No more meteorites have come to light that I know of, tho I've been back each week-end. I'm mostly still canvassing people, but have put in some 2 to 3 hours of searching to no avail.

Sincerely,