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Dear Sir:

Thanks for your letter of Sep. 18. The Tishomingo specimen arrived in perfect deondition, well pasked; thanks.

I infer from your comments that you made a deal with the original finder for someof this material. I have not had time to go seehim again as I had planned, due to a rush of business and a long vacation.

I will be plessed to get eo pies of any of your published reports but it will be a struggle to understand them in this day of such rapidly advancing knowledge and incressed technicalities!!!

Sincerely.