



*In 1894 Arctic explorer Commodore Robert E. Peary discovered this thirty-four-ton meteorite in Cape York, Greenland. Composed almost entirely of iron, it came from the core of a small planet that had fragmented in a collision with another planet about four and a half billion years ago. The meteorite is one of fifty treasures featured in the Museum's 125th-anniversary "Expedition" tours.*

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