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METEORITES

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Mr. Oscar E. Monnig,  
312 W. Leuda St.,  
Fort Worth, Texas.

Dear Mr. Monnig:

Congratulations again! I'm almost as happy over your find as if I had been the lucky one. Please convey my compliments to Mr. Brown:

From your description I think it must be a carbonaceous chondrite. Your suggestion regarding a prompt analysis is good. I suggest that you send the fragments to Dr. W.F. Foshag, U.S. National Museum, Washington, D.C. at once for analysis. I am writing him. I will make not announcement of the find until I have instructions from you.

Please, may I have a sample of this find when more is found? By all means keep up an intensive search. I can't overemphasize the importance of this. We are still recovering fragments from the 1933 fall. You just have to keep the people prodded into looking. Itinerant workmen arrive. Neighbors return from vacation or visits. And you dare not count on one neighbor telling another. He may not - often doesn't.

My new find near Lubbock is proving to be an entirely new type of aerolite - a most interesting one. We are not wanting any publicity either. Success to you.

Sincerely,



H.H. Nininger

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P.S. I think there will be no charge for the analysis.

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