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June 18, 1964

TELEPHONE: FAIRFAX 3-4101 TWX: HO-735

Mr. Oscar E. Monnig 29 Chelsea Drive Fort Worth, Texas 76115

> Re: 1 drum Ore s/s Letitia Lykes

Dear Mr. Monnig:

Thank you for your letter of June 16.

We wish to advise you that the only way we can determine the weight of a shipment is by looking at the invoice or the ocean bill of lading. Both these documents indicated that the weight of this shipment is 964 pounds. Of course, there may have been a mistake done somewhere and the actual weight of the shipment was not shown.

As far as the charges are concerned, we have collected what we were supposed to; namely, a C.O.D. charge for the foreign forwarder, Parry, Leon and Hayhoe, along with the ocean freight and our fees and pier charges. If you have not yet paid for the merchandise, we suggest that you contact your supplier about the method of making payment.

As far as we are concerned this shipment can be delivered to you upon clearance through Customs via Western-Gillette Motor Freight Line to a local museum in Fort Worth rather than to your residence. Please let us know the exact location of the museum.

Very truly yours,

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P.S. We have just received your letter of June 17, and we will attempt to have your shipment weighed at the time of pickup.