

from the Benét Collection, some of which sold to J.P. Morgan

4590gms
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PRECIOUS STONES

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Peter Jones collection has a limestone (?) sandstone
"rounded" labeled "Sandia Mts" - false

10.098 lbs

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Dear Mr. Morning -

At this writing, the following Meteorite seems to be for sale. The price is still uncertain - the owner hasn't fixed it firmly. It is a slice from Gloreto Mountain, irregular in shape but roughly measuring at maximum $11\frac{1}{2} \times 7 \times \frac{3}{4}$.

Dr. Manson at AMNH has seen it and authenticates the locality. Curiously, it is the adjacent slice to theirs which is somewhat smaller. The weight is 4590 grams. About 60% of the surface of one side shows good Widmannstätten figures, but the whole surface has oxidized somewhat and Dr. Manson thought it should be repolished.

(over)

I don't know how interested you would be
in such a thing and whether you would
have to have it on approval. I don't
also know how long I'll have it, so
better get in touch with me right away
if interested. Right now it seems
\$1500.- will buy it.

P.S.

I tried to call today -

no answer.

Yours truly,
P. Dahl

Also has Meso-Mediterranean, Transylvanian, piece $1\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{4}$ thick
broke on one end, 1 polished surface offered \$50 - \$100.

The Toltec piece 1x1 polished.

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