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Carl G. Hinrichs, 77-year-old retired chemist who was assaulted by three teen-aged boys three weeks ago while walking in the 3700 block of South Broadway. died at St. Anthony's Hospital last night.

Hinrichs was taken to City hol Hospital suffering multiple cuts and bruises after being assaulted shortly after midnight Jan. 22, He was transferred to St. Anthony's four days later. He lived at 3101 Hawthorne bl.

## South of St. Louis

A meteor described as a very bright green with an orange tail, was reported seen passing south of St. Louis about 7:30 p. m. yesterday.

Edwin E. Friton, regional director of the American Meteor Society, said he received two reports of the meteor from persons acquainted with such things. He said witnesses said the meteor was reported passing west at a slow rate of speed. 2-12-55

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Dear Oscar:

In going over our newspaper Saturday morning I noted the two items which would probably be of interest to you and clipped them out and I am attaching them hereto. This is the first I had seen about Mr. Hinrichs and it certainly is a terrible situation when a man has something like that happen to him. It will probably now be possible for you to purchase his collection at a reasonable figure if you are still interested and if you want me to contact 💒 at a little later date, I will be happy to do so, for you.

### the family

I had a letter from Otto last week and he informed me that the building is coming along nicely and that you had also completed the lease for Waco which I was glad to hear and also that the store business in Fort Worth was very good.

We had an increase of twenty percent in 1954 over 1953 and this January was about thirty percent over last January. If it just keeps on going we will be very happy.

Everyone is fine and Gene seems to be improving right along and hope that all the folks in Fort Worth are also enjoyidg good health.

With kindest personal regards and looking forward to seeing you next month, I am.

Sincerely

JTM:bh

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