

1956, Feb. 2.

Mrs. Carl G. Hinrichs,
3101 Hawthorne Blvd.
St. Louis 4, Missouri.

Dear Mrs. Hinrichs:

Thank you for writing me. I feel pretty sure the seventeen small stones you found, all labeled, are at least a part of the collection of fragmentary samples of meteorites, and I will talk to you or write you later about these. I am wondering if I could possibly arrange to pick them up on my return trip and bring them home to list and compare with the list in book Mr. Hinrichs wrote about the meteorites--all on approval, of course, and then I could make you an offer on them.

At any rate I realize very well the force of your thoughts that this is too cold a time to be working around in an attic, and I won't even worry you as I come thru there Saturday. But I shall take the liberty of phoning you when I return on the afternoon of Sunday the 12th.

Don't feel obliged to do any more hunting in the next 10 days, for I think it is too cold. I'll just talk to you or see you on the 12th about the 17 little specimens you have located, and we'll see if we can figure out whether they are meteorites. Thanks, again.

Sincerely yours,