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Mr. Oscar E. Monnig
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Dear Mr. Monnig:

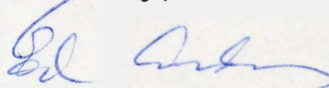
I hope you received the missent galley proofs which I sent you on Wednesday. There has been a recent change of staff at Pergamon which may account for the mistake.

For the past two months, Dr. Heymann and I have worked quite hard on our study of eucrites, he measuring and I writing. I have put a great deal of effort and emotion into this paper, and hope that the results are worth it. We have measured all but 4 of the known eucrites, and are hopeful of getting two of these. That leaves only Adalia (of which less than 1 g has been preserved) and Kirbyville.

I cannot say that Kirbyville would be crucial. Having measured most of the known eucrites, we have found many trends, correlations, and sub-groupings. Kirbyville may strengthen some of our trends, or it may prove to be a loner and a troublesome exception. I have got to know every meteorite measured, and have almost a personal relationship with it. If you think you can spare 60-100 mg of Kirbyville, I shall certainly be most grateful to you. I can also assure you that the eucrites are different enough so that one cannot say "if you have seen one, you have seen them all." But I cannot say in good conscience that Kirbyville is crucial to our paper. If you prefer not to give us any material, I shall not be hurt or indignant.

Best regards.

Sincerely,



Edward Anders