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Dear Oscar,

Thank you for your letter of April 1. I have double-checked with regard to any other meteorites which you thought might be here and we have found none. I don't remember in recent years seeing any others. All of the meteorites have been continuously locked behind glass, so I do feel confident that there hasn't been a loss.

We will go ahead and prepare a crate and will send the La Villa meteorite to Mr. Huss in Colorado. It will take a little time to prepare this and if you would like to indicate to Mr. Huss that he should receive this in the next week or two, we would appreciate it very much.

With all my best personal regards, I am

Most sincerely.

Professor Paul R. Engle Director Observatory and Astro-Science Department

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