

1960, June 13

Dr. E. P. Henderson,  
U.S. National Museum,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am most anxious to hear from you about the meteorite I shipped there a week ago, allegedly a new find from Utah, weighing some 43 pounds.

I am wondering if you are on vacation or absent on a trip in connection with your work. The owner of the meteorite is clamoring for me to pay him or return it, and I would greatly value your opinion on whether it is definitely distinguishable from Canyon Diablo.

I hope you can tell, and will be kind enough either to air mail your opinion or phone me at my residence some night, Walnut 7-2250, collect.

Sincerely,