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Dear Mr. Monnig,

I have on hand a specimen of the medium octahedrite, Nazareth, Texas, found in 1968, and obtained through the American Meteorite Lab, which I thought you might be interested in. The specimen weighs 128.7 grams, and its original price was \$321.75. I can let you have it for \$300.00 if you are interested. I obtained it on a trade.

If you are interested in it, let me know, and I will send it to you insured, for your inspection. If it meets your satisfaction, then you can send me a check.

I suppose you are familiar with this highly unusual and rare specimen, but if not, I should tell you that its main feature is it exhibits cracks or tears which cut across grain boundaries, having evidently resulted from violent shock or impact. These were either a result of a pre-terrestrial parent body shock event, or possibly during atmospheric passage.

Very truly,

*Jim Mull*

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