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Dear Henry:

Thanks for your recent letter. It was nice to hear from you but I was very sorry to learn that Peggy passed away. My deepest sympathy to you and your family on this great loss. I can understand that this has been a very sad time for you.

First, let me bring you up to date on the university repository for UFO literature collections. This has turned out to be a very slow process, so I have little to report. I am still trying to get agreement from Carleton U. They had a change of Head Librarians and a decision on the matter was stalled. However, rest assured that I am still pursuing the matter.

Now, on the matter of interviewing R.E. Meyer. I am sorry, but I must decline. I gave up investigation of cases quite some time ago. This may strike you as strange, but I came to the conclusion that endless pursuit of routine sighting cases is completely unproductive, particularly "lights in the sky", which is all this case is. We have thousands of "lights in the sky" cases, both day and night, but so what? One more, or a thousand more, will not bring us any closer to solving the mystery. Quite frankly, I have better things to do. The same applies to the RCMP case.

I am personally convinced that other approaches are required to solve this enigma, so I am working on another way of trying to get to the bottom of it. My own method may also prove fruitless in the end, but it has to be tried. I don't wish to make my work known at present for various reasons which could make my research more difficult than it already is. I am plugging away at it on my own, and will eventually see what comes of it, if anything.

So, although I no longer investigate individual cases, I still maintain my interest at a high level, collect and read as much of the new literature as I can, and pursue my research in my own way. Although I subscribe to the publications of various groups, including MUFON, I am not a member of any group. This is so that I can maintain full independence in my research. It is better this way, I can assure you.

I don't know if I have told you, but I am now retired.