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Dear Art:

Thank you for sending me the photostatic copies of correspondence in connection with the investigation of the chunk of metal and I appreciated having these to complete my file.

I am sending you herewith, for your own file, an advance copy of the article "More Mystery Added to Ottawa's Mysterious Chunk of Hardware" which appears in the latest issue of Topside, a copy of which is being mailed to you this week. Incidentally, due to my recent illness from which I have not yet fully recovered, I had to get Topside run off professionally by Gestetner, and I am now struggling somewhat slowly with the addressing of over 300 copies! On my doctor's advice, I am having to resign from my Government job on the expiry of my sick leave. I shall miss the extra money, but really it is a blessing in disguise, as I have been working under extremely heavy pressures over the past 3 years which I think led up to my illness. However, once I have had a good rest and regained my strength, I shall look forward to doing many things I have long been frustrated from doing due to office pressures. Going back to the enclosed article, I am enclosing an extra copy of the page of photographs illustrating the article. If ever you should consider writing an article on the metal, you have my permission to use any or all of these photographs, with due credit going to Topside. Or, if you need a few extra copies of this page of photos in connection with your investigations, let me know and I will send you some.

Referring to Dr. Millman's letter to you of Sept. 9, 1969, I am rather intrigued by his sentence - "I think I should mention here however that even with a complete examination and analysis of such a specimen it is not a foregone conclusion that we can give an absolutely definite yes or no concerning its terrestrial or extraterrestrial origin." In view of this, how come they are suddenly so certain that the metal is not of extra-terrestrial origin? I think Dr. Smith's report, if and when we get it, will bear some very careful scrutiny. I would appreciate receiving a copy of it when you finally receive it. Thanks, Art, and I look forward to co-operating with you on this and other matters of mutual interest.

Kind regards to you and Dot.

Sincerely,

Carol