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Dear Mr. Magor:

Concerning Ottawa's 3000 lb. "chunk of metal", I wish to bring your readers up to date as to the current status of the mystery of the true nature of this artifact.

A sample of the metal has been in a federal government laboratory in Ottawa for well over one year. The only report received so far concerning the analyses conducted was a simple statement in a letter to the effect that it is "manganese steel, probably the ladle residues from several heats at a foundry". This statement was made one month after receipt of the metal by the laboratory. Fourteen months have since passed and I am still awaiting a copy of the official lab report specifying the analyses conducted, the findings, etc. The latest word is that this information will be published in a scientific publication. Just when this may happen was not stated.

In the meantime, several other independent analyses are also being conducted on other samples of the same artifact. When all these are complete, a comparison of all reports will be made.

Until then, rest assured that positive and very firm efforts are being made to settle this controversial matter. I will report again at a later date.

Very sincerely,

Arthur Bray

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