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Dear Mr. Stenzel ,

Your letter of May.8 arrived some days ago, accompanied of your package of publications , for which I send to you my best thanks . Your former sending arrived also in best conditions , and I have readed with the greatest ^{pleasure} your interesting works about Geology of Texas & paleontological studies .

According to O.heteroclitia & O.thiessae, which are , at least , similar , following your comparisons, it is an exemple more of the strength connections of the faunas of the lower Tertiary , in U.S.A & Europe . The diffusion of some species must have been very quick . There is , a.e . , a strength correlation between the nice fauna of Turrillite you have studied , with many forms of Oligocen & Miocen of western Europe .

In a few time , I hope I can send to you some abstracts of new works . My book with Dr R.Furon : Paleontologie du Bassin de Paris (Tertaire) will appear in next Spetember . As you know , I am very interested with questions of Economic Geology, and I just finish to write a study about the Recharge of Aquifers , that will be published in the book of the next Congress of Hygienist & Surveyors , end June , in Paris . I have learned very much in the last american works this question about , and I think the matter will interest french Geologists & Engineers, for which this subject is entirely new.

With my best thanks , I will always be ready to send to yo the material you could wish for your studies , I remain

Sincerely yours

