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Dear John

Professor Curt Teichert of University of Melbourne, Australia, is going to be in this country. He is a well-known man with considerable geologic field experience in Australia. Possibly your local geological society might be interested in having him give a lecture on Australian geology. He is equipped with 250 lantern slides and is prepared to lecture on any Australian subjects, structure, stratigraphy, paleontology, oil possibilities, fossil and recent coral reefs in the Australian region (on which he has published several articles), general Gondwanaland paleogeography, sustatism, Paleozoic glaciations, and faunal migration. He time schedule is, as far as it is known at present: arrival in San Francisco, December 3, 1951; in Sccorro, New Mexico, part of January 1952; available for Texas in February to possibly August 1952.

Please let me know if your society is interested in a lecture by him.

Sincerely yours,

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