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Dear Pete:

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It is good to hear that my material was of use to you in your study of Athleta. The best wording for the figured specimens would be: "temporarily in collection of H. B. Stenzel, Houston, Texas." At this time I am not prepared to make a decision on the final disposal of my collection. Frankly, I don't know where it should go ultimately.

As to the boxes of U.S.G.S. publications, please keep them accessible. I shall be in Austin on Monday, October 30th, arriving at 6 p.m. by air. I am taking a French paleontologist-stratigrapher of Royal Dutch Shell over the Tertiary section of Texas, Mississippi, and Alabama. We shall pick up a rent car in Austin and use it to return to Houston via Lettig and other Tertiary localities. We can take the boxes with us.

By the way, it would be a good idea to let me read your manuscript before it goes to press. I might save you some mistakes.

Best regards,

H. B. Stenzel

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