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Mr. Jack Duncan
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Dear Mr. Duncan:

Thank you for sending me the additional fragments belonging with that interesting specimen. I have a suspicion that the concretion came from the Wheelock member of the Cook Mountain Formation, which overlies the Stone City Formation.

Yes, I do have my collection here. It is extensive. The collecting I did at Stone City and on the Little Brazos River was done at my own expense and on my own time while I was teaching at A. & M. in 1925-1934. Therefore, it belongs to me alone. While I was at A. & M. I never received any support for my work from the College, nor was any one official interested in it. Ultimately, I hope to publish on some of the material. It is important material from the point of view of Tertiary stratigraphy. The monograph on the Stone City bivalves has been very well received and is quoted in the paleontological world literature in many places. I plan to return to the Belosopia and describe them fully. Any specimens you might be able to secure would be most welcome.

Were I not so old, I would be at Stone City and the other localities nearly every weekend. There is much to be learned there.

With best regards and good luck.

Sincerely

H. B. Stenzel

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