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Dr. H. B. Stenzel
Bureau of Economic Geology
The Little Campus
The University of Texas

Dear Dr. Stenzel:

As you know we have acquired the two conchology items listed at the foot of this note. I want to include a brief commentary on them in a forthcoming Library publication, and I should appreciate it if you would let me have some statement as to their status in the literature of this subject and as to their value here on the University campus. If you care to make any comment on our holdings in this general field of study, I should appreciate having that too, but I hope you will not go to any considerable trouble to comply with either of these requests.

With thanks I am,

Yours sincerely

Donald Coney
Librarian

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Journal de conchyliologie, v.1, 12-15, 17, 24-38, 70. H. Gunthorp. \$60.

Manual of conchology. ser. 1, v.5,6,8-17; ser. 2, v.1-28. Philadelphia Academy of Natural Science of Philadelphia.

Recent acquisitions of the library include books on ^{Malacology} ~~Conchology~~.
^{Malacology} ~~Conchology~~ is the study of ~~conchs, shells,~~ in mollusks, either
living or fossils. This field of study is not new to Texas.