

30th April 1965

Greetings Jennie:

Thank you for your letter of 23rd with enclosures which arrived on 28th. I have no need for catalog about lit wire or one from Telefunken in german. I remember now, the charcoal sent to Isotopes was all consumed in the tests. I'll keep my P&L stock. Thanks.

The RC fall 1964 quarterly bulletin arrived on 26th. I found the discussion about Brown-Hasen fund interesting. Unfortunately, my stuff just doesn't seem to have any commercial value.

The aerial fotos you sent on 9th March arrived on 23rd April. The land appears very sandy and devoid of surface plants. The sparse trees appear to be stunted pines, probably part of an afforestation project. No sign of human habitation is visible. The region seems to be a well drained, desolate, worthless place, ideal for radio astronomy. In order to make topographic contours, overlapping fotos will be needed. Please try to secure contact prints of the series GS-VAPP2 dated 4/16/61. These are about 9"x9" and cost 75cents each here. The exposure numbers I need are 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136. I will also need some measurement of scale, such as the focal length of camera.

The NAS report on Ground Based Astronomy arrived on 22nd. It is a good report but unimaginative. Fortunately, all the world is not dependent upon that committee. Some of the contents confirms my opinion that Geoffrey Keller should be removed from NSF and charged with dissipation of federal funds.

My articles about cosmic rays and archeology have gone. However, I have some misgivings about the latter. Isotopes gave me five obviously bad dates out of eleven. This is a poor batting average. One date was so bad they couldn't believe it themselves. I decided to spend a bit more money and give Geochron a crack at two more samples. These were sent off recently. You should receive a bill in about two months. If Geochrons results are good, I've a notion to tell Isotopes we want our money back, or I will publish their bad dates. That ought to make them pull their socks up!

Please write for literature and prices as follows:

Series "O" catalog on oscillographs, Esterline Angus Co., P.O. Box 24000L, Indianapolis, Ind., 46224.

Catalog on Oscille/riter, Texas Instrument Co., P.O. Box 66027, Houston, Texas, 77006.

Model 2300 oscillograph, Brush Instruments Co., 37th & Perkins Road, Cleveland 14, Ohio

High speed recorders, Graphic Controls Corp., 189 Van Rensselaer St., Buffalo, N.Y., 14210.

~~Light beam recording and direct writing oscillographs~~

Light beam recording and direct writing oscillographs,
Sanborn Co., 175 Wyman St., Waltham, Mass.

Alfax handbook and flying spot recorder, Alden Research
Center, Westboro, Mass.

Cosmic static observations were good from 24th
March thru 24th April. Unfortunately, there has been
a relapse the last few days. However, conditions should
continue to improve as winter comes on.

Best regards,

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