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Dear Fryx;

Evelyn and I want to thank you and your wife for a most delightful evening at your lovely home. The food and company were excellent and one could not ask for more charming hosts.

I, too, feel that my time at Pullman was entirely too brief. Your department has so many diversified interests which, fortunately, are related to my rock knocking. I hope we can all get together real soon.

I do hope that you will have time to complete your paper on the theory of rock fracture. I would certainly like the chance to read the paper and give whatever comments I can. You may be interested to know that Ed Wilmsen had me send him two bags of obsidian - one of angular material and the other water worn cobbles - which will be sent back and forth between Kimberly and Ann Arbor to check the U.S. Post's low velocity impact metamorphism. The results should be interesting.

I am sorry that I could not find the cartoon of the *Synthetoceras tricornatus* but am sending a partial copy of Stirton's article.

Again, many thanks for a most enjoyable and instructive visit to Pullman.

With best wishes,

Don E. Crabtree

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