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Dear Dick:

Thank you so much for the pieces of crysophase which is very fine and beautiful stone. So glad you liked the "do-dads". We both enjoyed our visit with you and Junius in Norman and hope this won't be our last chance to get together now that you are going to Hawaii.

Our lithic field school started yesterday and we really have a fine group this year. - Mr. and Mrs. Paul Katz from Univ. of Kansas, Hiroaki Kobayashi from Tohoku University, Ruthann Knudson from Univ. of Colorado, Christabel Lacy from Univ. of Nebraska, Payson Sheets from Univ. of Penn., Jim Green from I.S.U. and Guy Muto from I.S.U. Later we will have a visit by Bruce Bradley from Tucson and several other visitors. So we have quite a crew this year and a great exchange of ideas.

Marie called last P.M. She has been ill since her return from Europe but is well and going strong again. Said she had a letter from Francois and that Denise is very much improved and he was headed for Cansac and some chipping.

I'm enclosing a brochure from Yen Center U.S.A. and you can get just about anything you want in the way of obsidian if you specify the kind and size. Ed Barry is a friend of mine and will give you a good deal on the mire our material and the plain black should be less money.

We went to Glass Butte in June with Swanson and some I.S.U. students and found an amazing quarry and brought a dump truck load back of red and black obsidian. Hope the rock hounds don't find our spot.

Please give our regards to Junius and Peggy and all the fine people in the department. Do hope Junius will get to Panama and do some digging in the cave. Sounds great.

Don't let us lose touch.

Best wishes,

Don C. Rabtree

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