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Since the writing of the original report, my informant, Goff Smith, of Baker, Oregon has been contacting relatives in an attempt to trace the present whereabouts of the specimen described in the parent report. As yet no success has been experienced in this respect; however the effort has resulted in the disclosure of two pertinent bits of additional information as follows:

(1.) Smith reports that a cousin, a painter by the name of Caldwell, now residing in Hermiston, says that other fragments, possibly as many as three, were found subsequent to the recovery of the one mentioned in the parent report.

(2.) The fall took place on the evening of July 13, 1911 rather than during 1910 as stated in the parent report. This date, and especially the 1911 portion, is regarded by Smith as being positive, hence the correction should be noted in connection with efforts to track down press reports.

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