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Dear Dr. Thompson:

Thank you for your reply of September 11.

I enclose copies of two letters and charts of Dr. Luis W. Alvarez, who seems interested in your looking over his data.

When I observed that he alluded to Frame 313 in his letter of August 15, I thought that he or his secretary had made an error, and that Frame 318 was intended. Alvarez sent back a photocopy of my letter with the following handwritten comment at the bottom:

"Dear Dr. Menaker:

There is no change to make — I am not in any way responsible for Mr. Wy(c)koff's statements.

Sincerely, Luis W. Alvarez."

His letter of September 20 explains why he refers to Frame 313. (I'd like to see Wyckoff's graphs. Did W. try to please CBS News?)

Is his observed "jiggle" at 241 referrable to the shot you postulate at about 236? I suppose we cannot say until interested scientists will move from their stance of observing data to one of performing experiments to get new data to compare with the observed data of November 22, 1963. I have also said this to Alvarez (with regard to the various unanswered questions in this puzzle).

Hoping that you and Dr. Alvarez enter into communication with each other (something that can start with your comments to him regarding the enclosed charts), I am

Sincerely yours,

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