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DISCOVERY OF *BUDULAN* STONY-IRON METEORITE, USSR

Name: *BUDULAN*.

The place of fall or discovery: 15 km West from the village of Budulan, Buryat National District, Chita Region, USSR.

Date of fall or discovery: FOUND, in the summer of 1962.

Class and type: STONY-IRON, MESOCIDERITE.

Number of individual specimens: 1.

Total weight: Approximately 100 kg.

Circumstances of the fall or discovery: The meteorite was discovered by geologist N. N. Chaban by geological survey. It penetrated the soil about 3/4 its height. The meteorite was turned over to the Committee on Meteorites of the USSR Academy of Sciences (Moscow, USSR).

Source: Report of chief of a geological party E. A. Beliakov (Chita, USSR) X, 4, 1962.

DISCOVERY OF *MANITOUWABING* IRON METEORITE, CANADA

Name: *MANITOUWABING*.

The place of fall or discovery: South of Manitouwabing Lake, Ontario, Canada, $\phi = 45^{\circ} 26' 24''$ N, $\lambda = 79^{\circ} 52' 32''$ W.

Date of fall or discovery: FOUND, early in November, 1962; the meteorite fell not earlier than the summer of 1949.

Class and type: IRON, octahedrite coarse.

Number of individual specimens: 1.

Total weight: Over 39 kg.



Circumstances of the fall or discovery The meteorite was found by Mr. Ph. Johnson and identified by Dr. K. R. Dawson of the Geological Survey of Canada.
Source: Report of Dr. Peter M. Millman II, 20, 1963 and Dr. S. C. Robinson III, 7, 1963 (Ottawa, Canada).

NEW *CENTERVILLE* (*McMURCHIE*) STONY METEORITE, USA

Name: *CENTERVILLE* (*McMURCHIE*).
The place of fall or discovery: McMurchie ranch near Centerville, South Dakota, USA.
Date of fall or discovery: FALL, February 29, 1956, on the night.
Class and type: STONY.
Number of individual specimens: 1.
Total weight: 45.64 gr. (the main mass, plus the two fragments).
Circumstances of the fall or discovery: The meteorite came from the southwest at an approximate 45° angle with the horizon and at a moderately slow speed.
After penetrating the aluminum roof, it struck a corn planter stored in the shed and four small pieces were chipped off. Two of these were found.
The meteorite was turned over to the Museum of Geology of the South Dakota School of Mines and Technology (Rapid City, USA).
Source: Report of Dr. James C. Cobb (Upton, USA) II, 26, 1963 and the article by H. Martin. The McMurchie meteorite. Proc. S. D. Acad. Sci. XXXVII, 135, 1958.

NEW *BELMONT* STONY METEORITE, USA

Name: *BELMONT*.
The place of fall or discovery: Belmont, Lafayette County, Wisconsin, USA.
Date of fall or discovery: FOUND, in the spring of 1958.
Class and type: STONY, chondrite.
Number of individual specimens: 1.
Total weight: 25.3 kg.

Circumstances of the fall or discovery: The meteorite was plowed on.
Source: An Article: W. A. Broughton and Lincoln LaPaz. The Belmont Meteorite Investigations. Published Quarterly Wisconsin Academy Review, Fall, 1962, 155—157.

NEW *OSHKOSH* STONY METEORITE, USA

Name: *OSHKOSH*.
The place of fall or discovery: Oshkosh, Winnebago County, Wisconsin, USA.
Date of fall or discovery: FOUND, 1961.
Class and type: STONY.
Number of individual specimens: 1.
Total weight: 110 gr.
Circumstances of the fall or discovery: —
Source: Articles: Ralph N. Buckstaff. Meteorites and William F. Read. Wisconsin Meteorite Investigations. Published Quarterly Wisconsin Academy Review, Fall, 1962, 149—155.

REPORTS ON NEW METEORITES

An article by William F. Read. Wisconsin Meteorite Investigations. Published Quarterly Wisconsin Academy Review, Fall, 1962, 152—155, reports about a new iron meteorite, Calumet County, Wisconsin, USA and iron meteorite, Zenda, with a total weight of 3.6 kg, that found about 1957 a quarter mile northwest of Zenda, Wisconsin, USA.

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An article by William F. Read. A new find at the Smithville meteorite locality. Journ. of the Tennessee Academy of Science, vol. 38, No. 1, January, 1963, reports about a find in January 1962 seventh specimen of the iron meteorite Smithville, DeKalb County, Tennessee, USA, weighing approximately 2.924 kg. First specimen of this meteorite was found in 1840 (see: G. T. Prior. Catalogue of Meteorites. Second edition by Max H. Hey, London, 1953).



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CORRECTION

A letter from Dr. E. Jérémine (Paris, France) 11.20, 1963 reports that the right
side of stony meteorite fell in Nigeria of February 19, 1962 Dosso and not Docco, as
previously reported in the Meteoritical Bulletin, No. 25, December, 1962.

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