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	IGSN.PRR000092	Rock Sample	quartzite	Macdonald Peak	Sentinel Range	Ellsworth Mountains	Anderson, John J
	IGSN.PRR000354a	Rock Sample	limestone	Olsen Peak	Sentinel Range	Ellsworth Mountains	Craddock, Dr Campbell - University of Wisconsin at Madison
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