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Dear Ed:

Oh, happy day! I had already written you about getting the two pieces of the Tishomingo iron of 5½ pounds back in good shape, and today I mailed the official receipts.

I now have your very long and exceedingly apologetic letter of May 25. Don't feel at all bad or embarrassed about it because the incident is certainly not one I would taunt you with or hold over your head, and I can well understand how you literally hid it from yourself! Do thank Mrs. Scott and all others who helped you run down the quarry.

I will venture to correct your statement that you took no photograph of it because you did take two good views and send me a print of each--your letter of March 8, 1966. Maybe you didn't keep any copies in your photograph files for some reason.

As to ultimate disposition, we shall just have to wait. It's a pity neither you nor I can take it with us!

Most sincerely,

