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Dr. Ehlmann:

For the past couple of years I have been working to catalog the photograph collection at the American Meteorite Laboratory here in Denver. During the course of my work I ran across a photo sent to Glenn Huss by Oscar Monnig in the early '70s. This photo was only as 'Hawkins meteorite.' Going through the correspondence between Glenn and Mr. Monnig, I found that Mr Monnig was attempting to purchase this stone from Mrs. Hawkins (copies of the correspondence are enclosed). During this negotiation, the specimen was on display at the Strecker Museum at Baylor University in Waco, TX. I have been in contact with an acquaintance at the museum and found that they do not have the meteorite (see enclosed letter). My question (after this long introduction) is: Do you know if Mr. Monnig was able to purchase said stone and, if so, do you happen to know what it's official name is? I would like to be able to correctly identify this photo if possible.

Thank you in advance for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Peggy Schaller

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