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Mr. Oscar E. Monnig 29 Chelsea Drive Fort Worth, Texas 76134

Dear Mr. Monnig:

I am sorry to be so long in answering your questions about the Barwise stone. I had misplaced my slides of the specimen and have only just located them.

As I compare the slide of the Turkey stone which you sent and the Barwise slide, I see that Barwise appears somewhat older on earth than Turkey and has a much browner coloration. From observing the weathering on Barwise and recently found Plainview stones, I would say that they are somewhat near the same age. However, Turkey looks younger and appears to have been in a different type of soil.

If I learn anything about any fresh-appearing stones being turned up in Texas, I will let you know.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Glenn I Huss

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