

1960, July 19

Mr. J. R. Jackson,
Box 36,
Holliday, Texas.

Dear Mr. Jackson:

Thank you for answering so promptly about the location and date and circumstances of find of the little meteorite from near Holliday.

I am glad to have the corrected locality and wish you would mark it on the attached map and return it to me.

I think there is a good possibility of other meteorites being in the region even up to several miles away, but of course this is largely an educated guess. There is no reason to deny the possibility of an isolated single fall of even this small size. However, most of the small irons found have been associated with showers, and the iron showers in turn are generally associated with craters.

What I am driving at now is merely to get as accurate a record of where this was found as possible, so that if in the future further or other finds should occur, we could see how close together they were, etc.

This is quite a contrast in size to the last meteorite I got a few months ago--a 43 pound iron from Utah, found by a uranium hunter!

Yours sincerely,