Beaumont "Enterprise" files, examined 1947 February:

under date of Waco, Texas, Oct. 1, 1917 (paper of Oct. 2):

METEOR, BIG AS AUTO, FALLS AT HILLSBORO

A meteor weighing several tons fell tonight and completely buried itself on the farm of Harry James, 2 miles S of Hillsboro, Texas. Many persons saw the meteor, which was the size of an ordinary automobile, falling thru the air and there was much excitement in the vicinity. The phenomena was visible in Cleburne, 50 miles distant.

(There was no item locally in the Beaumont papers about the meteor being seen there.)