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Dear Ms. Schaller:

In answer to your inquiry about the "Hawkins Meteorite", I can not add much substantial. Included are some letters about this meteorite that are dated between your copies of the early 70's and recent times. I'm afraid the bottom line is this stone will forever remain a mystery. Oscar Monnig was a veritable "bulldog" on getting information on any Texas meteorite so I'm of the opinion that nobody can come up with the origin (other than the implied name "Turkey")

It was not uncommon for meteorite hunters in the old days to be secretive about where a meteorite had been found. Often times that information was not thought significant.

Hopefully this is of some little help. Please give my warmest greetings to Margaret Huss. I have very fond memories of Glenn, Margaret and Mr. Nininger.

Cordially,

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