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My dear Mary,

Thank you for your letter of the 14th and the press clippings on the blob, which I am forwarding to my friend Isabel, my consultant on para-normal phenomena and UFO's. The story of the two shipyard workers in the local press is essentially the same as the one that appeared in the Dallas Morning News. Subsequently, Hynek and Harder went out to do an on-the-spot investigation, as you will see from the enclosed clipping from the Bergen NJ Record. The salient passages are Hynek's statement--"Where they are coming from and why they were here is a matter of conjecture but the fact that they were here on this planet is beyond a reasonable doubt." And Harder's comment--"There was definitely something here that was not terrestrial, of the Earth."

I have not read Limbo of the Lost; I haven't even heard of it.

Is it a fact that Art Ford is Lincoln Lawrence? I did not get that impression from what you said earlier. And I may as well admit that I have still not forgiven you for the anxiety and disappointment you caused me during the summer, when I had everything set up to try to make your visit a perfect one. In any case, I am tantalized--as you must have known I would be--by your reference to Ford/Lawrence having stumbled onto something big and that you do not have "the key" as he does.

Are you going to come to Georgetown for the conference/seminar on 11/23-24/73? If so, I will probably see you then, as I am hoping to be able to attend.

Sincerely,

*Sylvia*