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life. I do not believe that much came of this conversation, except perhaps a statement that the distances to the next location of living beings may be very great and that, indeed, as far as our galaxy is concerned, we are living somewhere in the sticks, far removed from the metropolitan area of the galactic center.

I can fully confirm that the question was brought up by Fermi, in Fuller Lodge, at lunch, probably before 1950.

Hoping that this is the information you wanted.

With best regards,



Edward Teller

P.S. Good of you to ask a question I can answer. These days it happens all too rarely.