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Mr. Don Crabtree Route 1, Box 39 Kimberly Idaho 83341

Dear Don,

My acknowledgement of your letter of April 1 and the surprise package of a Kimberly point (not a Kimberley Point) but dammed close. I trust it was made entirely by authentic techniques.

I have had my nose down to the grindstone and have about one-fourth of the book in tidy order but still a long way to go. It has been a very pleasant experience living in rural surroundings high on the Santa Lucia Mountains, with only a weekly visit over mountain roads to Paso Robles for stores. We are most comfortably situated with all modern conveniences that electricity can supply.

I had an interesting trip to Pullman and we saw a little of the work going on there in the way of attempts to reproduce ways of making implements. Reald Fryxell Daugherty, and Henry Irwin seem to be behind it all.

We return to L.A. in mid June and will be looking for an apartment there for the summer. Our address for the summer had better be c/o Professor J.B.Birdsell Corral Canyon, Malibu, Calif. 90265.

When are you coming out to Australia to see work at first hand? It had better be soon. May to September are the best times to work in the north where aborigines still live.

Warmest regards to yourself and Evelyn from both Dorothy and myself.

Yours sincerely,

Norman B. Tindale.