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Dear Don Crabtree:

We have just had a weekend visit of Harriet Blitzer, now back from Greece. She told us all about what she had learned in your camp earlier in the summer. It was a most useful session for us all. I cannot resist sending you direct thanks, in which my wife warmly joins me. It seems to us that your own work, and the discipline you give to the students who come to you, is a very substantial contribution to knowledge.

Cordially,
Robert J. Braidwood

Dear Mr. Crabtree,

Perhaps Harriet didn't quite tell us all she had learned, but then we only had 9 hours together in which to concentrate on obsidian and flint matters and problems. She is having her log notebook duplicated for us and we also expect to have more sessions around Christmas, so that will be good.

Needless to say, we were most happy for Harriet to have had the experience but were also a bit regretful that we couldn't have had the same experience many years back.

Jane Mac Rae - who works with us on some of our flints - and I are very grateful to you for looking at the material we sent with Harriet. We do not know how to work flint and obsidian and so tend to have many questions. We were very happy to have your answers - the indefinite as well as the definite - through Harriet, and learned much in our session with her. We have found all your articles most helpful, needless to say, and look forward to the next one.

Many many thanks!

Sincerely,

Linda Bradwood

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