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Dear Junius:

Thank you so much for the generous check. It certainly was not necessary, but is greatly appreciated and part will be spent to purchase exotic materials for experimental work. As far as you using my obsidian, you contributed much more in knowledge and good company than the small amount of material used. You are certainly welcome to come back - with Peggy - for a return visit any time you can get away. Dick and I really accomplished a lot in our short time together and I was amazed at the way he quickly picked up the pressure work. He is not only a fine fellow but an outstanding archaeologist and I am continually impressed at the methodical way he carries out his work and experiments.

Dick did a fine job of editing the little paper on wooden flakers, for which I am most grateful. Wish I had him around to help all the time. We will hold the paper in abeyance until Dick sends the data we discussed. Then Swanson will publish it either in Tebiwa or Science.

I hope you will agree with the lithic collection Dick and I picked out for the exhibit. If we overlooked any specific type or any exotic types, please let me know and will send them to you.

I do wish we had had more time together so I could have shown both of you some of our sites and our more beautiful country up North. Your next visits will just have to be longer.

Thank you again, Junius, not only for the pleasure of your visit but also for the extreme honor of having an exhibit in your fine Museum.

Now I must prepare for the flintknapping school which we have decided will be in the month of July at the campground of Shoshone Falls nearby. Do hope it will be a success and that one ^{student} will be chosen from New York. Lucy Lewis of Columbia has applied and I have recommended her to Earl, but he will have the final say.

Please give our regards to your family and we will be looking forward to February and another visit to the Museum.

Yours very truly,

Don E. Crabtree

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