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Dear Don,

During some housekeeping here I found various things you have made which have not been catalogued such as the wooden flaker products. Once I started to rectify this oversight the material you made and used in the stone technology exhibit turned up. Dick had simply stored the lot in his office without segregating some of the originals from our collections. Some of these items you probably loaned us so it may be that you want them back. The two most elaborate are shown on the enclosed zerox.

By this do not think that I want to dispose of them. All the others, cores, etc. are to be catalogued with the record of which unit of the display they used with, in case someone ever tries to reassemble a comparable show.

The surgical tools will be added to the D.C. collection available in case I need them sometime.

Here at the museum we are having a very quiet summer - with almost everyone away either on fieldwork or vacation.

Wish you could stop by to brighten our lives.

All the best,
As ever,

Junius B. Bird

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