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Dear Francois and Denise:

It looks like I will see you in Urbana in December. Just wrote to Chuck Bareis and told him I would arrive there on Dec. 2nd. He wants me to get there a little early to do some sort of T.V. work. Can't you come early too and participate. Need your expertise if I am to give a demonstration.

Evelyn is still under treatment but I think feeling better and the time of the workshop is between treatments so, if possible, she will come along with me. Hope we can all get together there.

Swanson was down Saturday and said he had written to you about coming to Idaho, but did not get the details. Talked with Marie on Sunday and she had Louis Leakey there as a guest as he was giving lectures in Boulder. Just returned from a trip to Univ. of Wash. in Seattle and Wash State at Pullman. Saw lots of collections and some of the material Daugherty is excavating at Ozette. Really fabulous. All your good friends at Pullman send their regards and said they have some money on hand to try and get you there - both of us - for a seminar. Hope it works out. Think they plan on this Spring.

Got my article returned from Scribners as they have decided not to publish the dictionary of prehistory. I expect yours also was returned. Got a clearance from them to publish it wherever we want so think Swanson plans to publish it as a special paper. If they ever get cooking at I.S.U., should have about four publications out shortly.

Have been corresponding with G.F. Will and expect by now he has paid you a visit. He wants to know about burins and you certainly are the one to tell him about it.

Do hope Denise is continuing to improve and that we will get our wives back on their feet soon. It is really slow for both of us.

Sent some obsidian to Urbana so we could do a little work together. Will really be looking forward to seeing you and discussing the bladmaking techniques of Seibel. Tixier writes that he also has discovered a new punch technique of making blades which he promises to write about.

Our very best to you, Denise and Arnaud and also Georges and Marie.

your friend,

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