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Dear Art:

It was so nice to again see you at the INQUA meet and I just wish there had been more time there to talk. We enjoyed the meet very much and each time we attend one of these gatherings, I come away enlightened and enriched by the association.

Am now spending some time in Pocatello doing some of the filming. Earl has secured a high-speed camera (takes 44,000 frames per second) and we are experimenting with some slow speed shots to actually determine the bending and tearing of the material as flakes are removed. Our viewing of the removal of blades from the Polyhedral core has been quite a revelation to me, as I find things happening that I was not aware of before. This will be invaluable to me in writing the handbook.

Just returned from a meet with Fred Wendorf in Dallas where I attended the meeting of the Texas Archaeological Society. They seemed to enjoy the demonstration very much and the meeting there was very enlightening for me. I was able to see Fred's Nubian material which helped resolve a few points for me.

Evelyn said she promised to send you a copy of Francois drawing of Salutrian man doing the pressure flaking. This man has a sense of humor that is hard to duplicate and a detailed study of this drawing will hand you many laughs. Sorry the copy is not better, but it is the best the thermofax would do.

Hope that in the near future we will have the pleasure of seeing you again and, as always, gaining so much from my conversations with you.

Sincerely,

Don E. Crabtree

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