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Dear Richard:

Thank you very much for your letter of Sept. 4th regarding applying for our summer field school in lithic technology.

As you probably know, Dr. Earl Swanson died on Easter Sunday and as a result of his loss of leadership I resigned from Idaho State Univ. on July 1st. I am still acting as research associate but, due to some recent surgery, am not taking any active part at the present time.

However, I have no hesitation in recommending that you work with Mr. Jeff Flenniken of Washington State University, Pullman, Washington. He is one of our former summer field school students and a brilliant flintknapper and technologist. He now has charge of the lithic lab at W.S.U. and I hope to be working with Jeff and Dr. Daugherty in the near future. I have also suggest<sup>ed</sup> that they apply to N.S.F. for a grant to hold the summer field schools. Jeff would hold the schools and I will lend what support is needed, but really this man does not need my help.

I am sending a copy of your letter and my reply to Jeff and am sure you will hear from him in the near future or perhaps you would like to write direct to him or Dr. Richard Daugherty, Washington State University, Laboratory of Anthropology, Pullman, Washington 99163

It is a pleasure to know of your interest in lithic technology and I do hope we will have the pleasure of meeting in the near future.

Sincerely,

Don E. Crabtree

cc-Jeff Flenniken

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