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Dear Bill:

So glad to receive your letter today saying that you could come on the 8th or 9th and will be looking forward to a visit with you. Your plans for controlled experimental work would add much to the understanding and behavior of lithic materials. I have done a little work in this line and the possibilities are great. Am currently experementing with a fluting devise to determine the exact angles and amount of pressure.

Earl called to say he had talked with you but did not, at that time, give a definite date for your visit. However, in the meantime, Elmo Sackett called to say that he had heard from Earl and that you would be here the 8th and 9th to view the film. Elmo is the chap who did the filming and he will be available those days but will leave for the East the 11th of August.

I hope that after we have finished at Pocatello that you can return with me to my home so that we can examine some material and actually do a few experiments. There is better plane service out of Twin Falls and better connections that from Pocatello. Do hope you can arrange this.

Would it be possible for you to bring alone a handfull of flakes from Equador for I really would like to study them. Am currently writing a paper on the technological traits of flakes and this would be of immense help.

Hope to seeyou soon, and if you need to call me - my telephone is Twin Falls, Idaho 733-3275. Kimberly is just a supberb of Twin.

With best wishes,

Don E. Crabtree

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