Alice Springs 30th April 1898

My dear Spencer,

This mail leaves here tomorrow for the first time. We leave the new for the lastly contracted Coaches are to leave here and go to Oodnadatta simultaneously and at 14.30 Band exchange mails to return to their respective starting points. Wells has, I am, good to-day. I doubt this end of the Contract to a good man so that as I have a chance of getting our mails regularly. We shall recur replies to our letters mostly. The finds services which includes...
I am delighted to hear from you and hope you will receive this letter in a

kind manner. I hope you will enjoy your stay in New York and make the best of it.

We are all finding the weather quite pleasant and enjoying ourselves very much. I have been doing a lot of reading and writing lately, and I think I am making good progress.

I hope you are also enjoying your stay in New York and that you are finding the weather to your liking. Please write and let me know how you are getting along.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
and I am far from confident about being successful. If I make really good progress it might be an inducement for you to come up and spend times in my Bachelor's Quarters during vacations? I think I told you in my last letter that I intended taking the boys down at the end of the Winter. I shall return her and graft during the summer. Then if the Lord will only inspire the Government Dept. to approve my Protector (the present head of the Dept. is only as Sub Protector and never been Advertiser) I shall be a happy man in South Australia. If only some of our leading men...
Politician or Scientist. Look at the nature of the Dept. would now have reached its present low level at one time. The position correct with it as a colony of 1870 for axiom: the Protector was greater. Considerable powers. As the nature became less troublesome interest in them gradually died out. The dept. dwindled until now it is merely a 'clerical establishment for recording issues of blankets at home'.

What splendid word you I could do if I held such a position everything would then be possible. There is not a corner of the Colony that we could not do useful work in. I don't think I am of an envious nature but I do envy others.
Quarried and in the same area as the find of the first part of the 18th century. Thomas is the name of the owner of the land. A large collection of artifacts has been discovered there. It is believed that the area was a center of trade and commerce for many years. The artifacts include tools, weapons, and pottery. This find is significant as it provides insights into the daily life of the ancient inhabitants of the area. The find is being studied further, and more information will be shared in the future.
Take a keen interest in the subject. Did you see the review of Prof. Morrin's book? And I must
cling about it. Sunday night some
new HAND who has a very fine
melodious Baritone voice is too
good to miss. My best
respects to Frenel and to Mrs.
Dunbar. Yours of the
cheerful moment. I have
received your long
written and printed. I
will write at once.

I shall be in your town
before this reaches you. You can
imagine how anxious I am to get it.
Please send me to Messrs. Howard at
Boston. The weather
is very warm.

Yours ever,

[Signature]