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My dear Balfour,

I have sent you a copy of "The Arunta" which Macmillan have taken an unceasing interest in printing. It represents a good deal of hard work, and I think some new material is uncertain. Anyhow it is a relief to have it done since it can get my hands. I have been busy with another book to be called "Wanderings in Wild Australia," which will replace "Across Australia." The second volume contains many experiences in the far north. It will, or should, be done before the end of the month. Am just off to Amsterdam for a few days to see Ripley. I shall be back in January and will help to see you before returning to Australia. I hope you had a good time with the Arunta.

Kinds regards & family to Mr Balfour.

With my regards,
W. Balfour Spencer.
Mrs. Keilard regards to yourself. Mr. Balfour. I am newsley
W. Keilard yours.

Today I chanced with Edg Pentington who perhaps you may not know has a very fair appreciation of your work. We were quite agreed in regard to this.