

FRAZER
Melbourne (48)
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My dear Frazer,

I have been very hard at work all of the long vac. Somehow the putting of our results together has occupied much more time than I expected and during the past two months I have been at odd times hard at work on the illustrations. It is rather a thankless & monotonous business - drawing and describing implements etc. but to make the thing complete it must I suppose be done.

How about three weeks more work right to see the thing done & sent home complete to Macmillans.

Tomorrow we begin lectures once more and after having been grinding away all the long vac.

Save for two spells of seven days
each I feel rather like having a
rest than commencing work again.

Admitt has very nearly done
his work. At the present time he
is away up country acting as
a Commissioner which is in search
of a Federal Capital. From next
with a nasty accident a little
time ago but in letter again but I
think that his days of ethnologic
work are quite over.

This is merely a line to let
you see that I am still at work
but with my time so much occupied
that much letter writing is not
possible.

Kindest regards to Mrs. Dräger
I hope that you are both well &
wish that I could get home to
England for a time.

Yours very sincerely

W. Aldwin Shucroft.