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Dear Sir.

I have been lately reading with great care and interest your paper in the Journal of the Anthropological Institute on navigation. Of course you have done much more since that was printed and I have been wondering whether you had published in other works the continuation of that study. Have you seen Schrenk's, Reisen und Forschungen in Amer-Land, St. Petersburg? It continues the bark canoe to the Giliak area opening into Okhotsk sea, and, what is more curious, the same form sharpened under the water exists today on the upper Columbia.



We are looking over all our ethnic types here and shall be glad to con-

sult your latest word,

I am very respectfully yrs

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