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Seargent Pitt-Rivers,

I intended before leaving  
Westenham, now nearly a  
month since, to have returned  
to you the brochures you were  
so kind as to lend me, but  
unhappily they were by  
mistake wrapped up along  
with other books which I did  
not take with me to Margate  
& sent direct here, so that only  
now that I have returned

home am I able to let you have them back. Thank you very much for the loan of them. They overwhelm me with information, much of which I would gladly use had I at present space for it, but the facts of which I have need for my argument have to come in relatively small space. These, however, especially by the aid of your markings, I find ready to hand.

These two or three days I have been having read from The Times some account

of the proceedings of the Anthropological section of the British Association. They must have been extremely interesting to you as a specialist, considering that even to me as a ~~generalist~~<sup>generalist</sup> they are of much significance. You are, I presume, still prosecuting your explorations, and I suppose I cannot wish you anything better than extensive finds of old remains.

Very truly yours,  
Herbert Spencer