

With many thanks for  
the book I am

Yours very sincerely  
Edward B Tylor


2573

University Museum,  
Oxford.

Nov 4 1888

Dear General Pitt Rivers

I have been  
reading Collier's Art  
Primer which you were  
so good as to send me,  
and am glad to see him  
breaking ground in a

National theory of Art  
very different to what  
used to prevail, I see  
he gives the  as a  
Peruvian form. Your  
remark about somewhat  
similar form in the Linn  
property has drawn attention  
to the desirability of getting  
a Mexican specimen. As

Gilbert has been here for  
a day or two I have  
asked him to pick up  
some Mexican pottery showing  
it. There are good Mexican  
figures as you know in the  
Museum, but not vases.  
The packages have duly  
arrived & doubtless Balfour  
has acknowledged them.