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DEAR AL:

MY ARRIVAL HERE TURNED OUT QUITE OPPORTUNE, ON THE DAY OF THE DEDICATION OF THE 85 FT. RADIO TELESCOPE. IT WAS NOT QUITE FINISHED, BUT WILL BE IN OPERATION SOON. THE FOUNDATIONS FOR 140 FT. TELESCOPE HAVE BEEN POURED. SEVERAL BUILDINGS ARE IN VARIOUS STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION. BY NEXT SUMMER QUITE A PRETENTIOUS OBSERVATORY SHOULD BE TAKING SHAPE.

WE DISCUSSED THE CHARCOAL I FOUND UNDER LAVA FLOWS ON MAUI. IF I RECALL THE MATTER CORRECTLY, YOU MENTIONED THAT RESEARCH CORPORATION HAD MADE A GRANT SOMEWHERE TO DEVELOP APPARATUS FOR RADIO CARBON DATING. IF SO, I WONDER IF IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE TO HAVE THEM DATE SOME OF MY CHARCOAL?

PLEASE GIVE ME THE ADDRESS OF BILL WOODS AS I WOULD LIKE TO KEEP IN TOUCH WITH HIM. ALSO REMEMBER ME TO YOUR FAMILY AND THANKS AGAIN FOR YOUR KIND HOSPITALITY. THE PICTURES I TOOK AT BIG PINE TURNED OUT VERY WELL. MY STEREO SHOTS OF THE 90 FT. DISH MAKE IT STAND OUT LIKE A SORE THUMB.

SINCERELY YOURS,

GROTE REBER

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