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Halifax, England

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My dear Walter

As you are off to New Zealand I am writing this to await your return. I hope your tour does not mean that your health is not so good again, but if such be the case may you derive every benefit from the trip.

In consequence of the possibility of your not being in Hobart when this arrives I have written to

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Mr Hurst asking him to use his good offices with your government to make a small contribution towards the 2nd edition by giving me say 600 copies of the map plain with printing - I would then have the rest done here. I do not know what the Government's budget is but as I have not asked much perhaps they & may be induced to grant my request.

The making of the map must have cost you a great amount of labour. I will certainly mention Mr Hurst's name on the map & I am glad you are agree

to my proposal to associate your name & Dr Clarke on the title page; I think it only right that some such acknowledgement should be made.

Thanks too for the few lines of either Wooreddy or Manalagana.

It really is sad to dwell on their fates.

With every wish for your good health, yours very truly

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