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Martons Hotel,
N. Yarra
10/8/79.

It may interest you,
venerable friend, that
I have sent (or rather
am about to send) my
third contribution to
wards the phytography
of Tasmania to the
local Royal Society.
Your honored name
and that of Mrs. Me
redith occur frequently
in the essay. The Lady
found many rare
Algae, four new to
science!

I am now working
on Gyperaceae, Rubiaceae
and allied plants
for the 7th volume
of the Flora of Australia.
If you could kindly
concoise any of such
to be collected in your
swampy and heathy
district, then most
likely varieties would
come to knowledge.

The works of the Ori-
vire power are so
wonderful and so
useful, that we never
can study them too
much. Trusting you
are well and happy
I remain your respectful
friend
Gordon M. Smith