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Dear Hap:

Your letters of April 5th and 12th arrived in good time with the Millen antenna bridge getting here on the 21st. This little gadget turned out even better than I expected and will be very useful in the country. Thanks very much for the quick action.

The valley mentioned in my letter of April 18th has now been found about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles west of Kempton which is 30 miles north of Hobart. I bought a car to make this operation feasible. Its quite a nice medium size auto made in this country near Melbourne and is called a Holden. I'll send a picture of it sometime. The farmer who owns the valley is very cooperative and has agreed to plant posts, cut trees, put gates in fences, make a culvert across creek, erect cattle barriers around equipment, etc. He seems to own about ten square miles of cattle and sheep land and runs quite an operation.

Another small bill has showed up for reprints of my article about last years experiments. Please have a check made out for sum of 29.10 dollars and sent to Journal of Geophysical Research, 5241 Broad Branch Road, N.W., Washington 15, D.C. A note should be enclosed with the check to tell who and what its for.

With my letter of the 18th I enclosed an accounting to show how the finances are going. Also I requested some additional funds be sent to me here to complete this years operations. This morning I inquired again at the bank and nothing had arrived. I don't need all of the 4000 dollars immediately. However my funds are beginning to get quite low and there are several current bills which need to be paid. If no money is yet on the way, I'd much appreciate having 2000 dollars sent promptly by cable in my favor for credit to my account in the National Bank of Australasia at Hobart. I'm sorry to bother you about this again but it now appears that my letter of the 18th has been making slow progress or some other delay has occurred. Aside from the money, other matters are going fairly well and I should be out of here by sometime in August.

A letter arrived from Emberson and I gather that the National Radio Astronomy Facility is having a rough time. Apparently they need better politicians and log rollers!

Best regards,