

23. Letter from T. W. Rhys Davids, on RAS notepaper but sent from 'Banks tone', Dorset, to W. C. Peppé in Birdpore, undated but written on or after 8 August 1898. Peppé's negatives are being returned to him. The Daily Chronicle has carried a report of Peppé's article and the Century is to carry a 'surprisingly long account'. Is 'much worried with illness in the family'.

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Dear Mr. Peppé,

Your letter followed me down here. I have written to Miss Hughes to send the negatives to you, very carefully packed. There was a fair report [of your] article in the Daily Chronicle of the 7th August and I have at last succeeded in getting one of the monthlies to take a surprisingly long account with illustrations in an American review, The Century, so the negatives will not, as I hoped, be wanted.

I have been much worried with illness in the family.

Yours sincerely
TW Rhys Davids