

High Commission
P.O. Box 601
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My dear Fisher,

Herewith belated
congratulations on the
award of the Darwin
Medal. You join the
select ranks of those
fellows who are double
medallists. One disadvan-
-tage of life out here is
that the few things that
do not come by air-

mail arrive anything up to
6 weeks late - two months
at so at the Christmas
period. I only got the
R.S. stuff quite recently.

There are, however, minor
inconveniences; the compensations
are more than adequate;
climate, food, scenery etc.

We are making steady
progress with the new Agric.
& Forestry Research Organisation
& I have been able to
recruit some useful

men for it. Building
is a slow business however,
especially when one has
1000 acres of wattle
which has to be cleared
& surveyed before the
lay-out can be planned

Kindest regards to you

Yours sincerely

Becken