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Dear Chet:

I received the photographs and the pertinent comments from the various members of the "brain trust". I wish you would pass on to them, for me, the information that this study is for the purpose of more numerous and sundry things, including slumber -- which isn't too difficult on these real hot days. I just wish to goodness I could arrange things so that I could spend more time here. If there weren't so many folks who needed our missionary work, perhaps that could be arranged. I am sure that a few more trips, such as the "brain trust" made to Fairfield, Iowa, will narrow down my area of responsibility considerably.

It's surprising how long it has taken me to really get the feel of this thing. Many of the people I desired to contact during this summer I found on vacation. However, I'm sure that condition will be corrected in the near future. I plan to go to Searcy, Arkansas, to their Freedom Forum in October, and it's just possible that during that same time I could stop by and we could get our group started according to your suggestion.

My wife and I are looking forward very much to the visit that you and Sis plan to make in October and November. Please give us a sufficient amount of time to entertain you. Also, I presume you plan to use the guest room at the Foundation as home base while you are in this area. I think this time I have finally made sure of your getting SHIRTSLEEVE ECONOMICS. Please forgive me for not having attended to that situation sooner.

Greet the whole gang for us, and tell Lois I am anxiously looking forward to that letter from her.

Cordially,

JMR:js

James M. Rogers