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Mr. Grote Reber In care of National Radio Astronomy Observatory P. O. Box 2 Green Bank. West Virginia

Dear Grote:

As Mrs. Goldfischer has told you, I have been out of the office for all of this week until today. I am happy to find that you and she seem to be in harmony in respect of your travel schedule and I shall not interfere.

I had a note from Harlan Smith at Yale. I guess he's sent you a similar one to say that there may be some antiquities in New Haven in the wireless field that will be of interest to you. I suggested to Ed Lilley and the people at Rensselaer that you are interested in museum pieces from the early days of radio.

Regarding your most recent letter, that of July 25th, I gather the schedule is in hand, since Mrs. G. is sending your tickets in the envelope in which I am getting a free ride for this note. As to Elmer Klahn at Rocky Point, I gather she has taken care of that. As far as the prospect of spending some time with Hap and other folks in the office here is concerned, it is our sore loss that we shan!t be privileged -- Bill Hinkley, Hap Schauer, Sam Smith and I will all be absent during most of the period from around the 8th of August through the end of that month. We are having a meeting of our Advisory Committee out of town, and most people involved are trying to combine this with some vacation.

I can well understand that Green Bank may be getting a bit stuffy. I hope the erection of your telescope is going well and that the use they plan to put it to meets with your approval.

Regarding Florida, you have received the original of Thomas Carr's letter of July 28th. Alex Smith will be in Washington, D. C. He had hoped they might get you to visit in the fall, but I dared not suggest such a thing in view of your plans to go back "down under."

-2-July 29, 1960 Mr. Grote Reber Very best regards to you from all of us here. I sincerely hope that we will see you before you leave. I'm sorry that the static heat pump matter was left unresolved. I hope your trip proves to be a smashing success. I am sure it will. Best personal good wishes. Sincerely, AK:1g