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Mr. Grote Reber
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Dear Grote:

Thanks for your note dated Bastille Day. I trust there is no particular significance to this.

Many of your predictions have certainly been borne out on our big dish ideas and, indeed, seem to apply to entirely too many of the things that are selected by public relations officers or referred to such characters early in the game. The light of publicity on inefficient operations certainly should be helpful. I think our major trouble, however, is that we seem to employ publicity prematurely about many things and too late find that we are stuck with something that has been built up on straight publicity basis.

Apparently Green Bank continues to get a rather substantial amount of your mail and is not too thoughtful about moving it on here on a reasonably immediate basis. Possibly Jennie will have a hard point to make in this connection and a suggestion.

If Newstead has not yet arrived in these parts I'm afraid I'll miss him, but one of the others may be around if he gets in touch. I leave for foreign shores this evening and am likely to be pretty scarce until the end of August.

Look forward to hearing from you as the winter snows disappear and plans for going ahead are able to materialize.

Best wishes,



Charles H. Schauer

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