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REPLY TO DISTRICT OFFICE

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Dear Marshall,

We are glad to hear from you, and especially glad to get the picture and to hear you are coming soon. We're looking forward to seeing you again.

I have lost contact with AID, so I don't know whether or not there is any hiring. Herman is recovering from an attack of Bell's palsy which hit him suddenly and which is annoying but in his case, fortunately not painful. It paralyzes some of the facial muscles and distorts the face. We haven't seen him for a week, but when last we did see him, he was coming along nicely. You know Herman, he didn't stop working. He has sold the "Hein" and his place on M St. He is now at his DuPont Circle restaurant. If you want to write him, I suppose Linda's Cafeteria, Du Pont Circle Bldg. will reach him. I do not know the exact address on Conn. Ave.

We are about the same. I have been writing, in which Lil has been more than invaluable. She keeps busy typing my notes and things like that when she isn't working on a draft, etc. This is another reason I'm glad you are coming here. I made notes on some of the fascinating things you told me but they do not do justice to the language you used, so I want to sit you down in front of a tape and have you retell the stories, especially about the trip to your school with the waterfowl stops on overloaded load, the story of the snake, and that ^{is} the Lebanese. Also, your first visit to a native village, where the chief sent a young woman for a chicken! In one of the books I'm working on, I want to include the entire story of the "Geese For Peace". Think about any other that might be interesting that I may have forgotten.

You never answered the letter about the sketches. If you still have that (was it Congolese) art, we know a man who said he could handle all of it, if it was all like the samples we showed him.

I'm really glad to get those pictures, though I regret the loss of the others in the State Dept. mail. Too bad these are not suitable for reproduction, ^{but} they we cherish them as souvenirs.

Herman's daughter has her master's degree except, I believe, for completing her thesis. She has grown into a fine young woman, for which Herman can at least share in the credit. For a man to raise a ~~wife~~ motherless daughter while working as he worked, lavishing every fine thing he could on her without her getting spoiled, is an eloquent tribute to both of them!

If you haven't had any recent word on the ducks and geese lately, how about writing some of the people you left them with for a report? Ask that Lebanese to have a picture taken, with his geese if he hasn't traded them away or eaten them, and his wife. Do it soon, will you, so you can get a reply by the time you come. I'd be quite interested in knowing if those to whom you gave them did share their progeny, as you asked.

Regards from both.