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Dear Howard,

Enclosed is my latest effort at the "overview" chapter, in very rough and tenuous shape. I do not like to let it go this way but Deanne's letter this morning requested I send the draft along in time for it to reach you before I do. She could not be aware, of course, of its current condition.

However, it is probably wise to send it along so that you can react to form and style before further expenditure of time is made. I do not plan to work on it further until we have talked. I shall spend the rest of my time this week reviewing the new papers which just arrived and working on some of the other chores you have assigned.

I plan to leave here Thursday the 26th in order to get in a couple of days with my daughter in Greensboro. Sunday will find me in Washington. The reservation at the Sheraton-Charlton is fine.

Sincerely,


John P. Wheeler

PS I failed above to express my agreement with Deanne's report that you had decided against the paper on "civil service." I agree fully. I do not know what might be said in such a paper that would not get you deeply into the detail of a merit system. Unless you simply suggested the alternative of what is in the Model State Constitution.

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