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Dear Francois:

I guess our letters crossed in the mail for I had written to you about our attending the meetings in Chicago in Sept. This is still my plan but will confer with Swanson when he returns here on July 25th. After the meetings, we plan to use our camper and tour the New England states and, perhaps, even get down to Chapel Hill. I am wondering about your schedule and if we could leave here early and meet you somewhere or at some place after the meetings - Montreal, Saratoga Springs, Dolores or whatever you stops cover. When I get your schedule, will try to make plans so we can meet en route.

I think I told you in my last letter that I had had a hemetoma in my right arm in May and it was swollen, painful and black for some six weeks. Just got so I could use it in time for the field school on June 11th. All is well now and if I don't ever take aspirin again I should not have another hemmorrage. We had a very fine group of students this year and I can not believe how quickly they adapted to flintknapping. One, of course, is always outstanding but this year we had two outstanding students. - Jeff Rimmukanx Flennikan of Iowa State University and Are Tsirk of New York University. I expect great things from both of these men. I was telling Flennikan of my disappointment of not being in Idaho when you visit the states in Sept. and he suggested that perhaps you would be interested in visiting Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa and we could meet there and knock a few rocks. He is to write to me in regard to you expenses and honorarium if you would be interested in such a meeting. Do let me know and perhaps we can get together somewhere.

Leave next week for a short visit in Crawford, Nebraska at the Agenbroad site. Mrie and Vance Haynes will also be there and, perhaps, Art Jelineck. Hope so.

It is really hard to get caught up on correspondence with the Watergate going on all day on T.V. A fascinating story and today the Butterfield bombshell that all conversations in the oval office and executive offices were taped and of record. Hope this will soon be over so we can again hold up our heads as Americans.

Will be anxious to hear from you and hope we can get together.

Your friend,

Don