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Mr. R. H. Walker, President,
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My dear Senator Walker:

Mr. Robinson asked me to reply to your letter of July 14, addressed to Mr. D. E. Lilienthal.


The field work of the TVA-CWA county survey to which you refer was stopped at the termination of the CWA program on May 1. The material is being compiled for the counties which were completed.

Work was started in a number of other counties. Our next task is to complete the collection of information in those counties in which it is partly done already.

The Pollard study of trade balance in Grainger County was a private affair which Mr. Pollard carried out on his own initiative and presented at one of the agriculture and industry conferences which have been sponsored by the University of Tennessee. We agree with you that it would be desirable for every county in the Valley area to have similar data available concerning its trade balance.

In the event that we find it possible to put more men in the field for the collection of agricultural and industrial data, we would anticipate that Limestone County, Alabama, would be in line for early attention.

Very truly yours,


Neil Bass, Assistant to
H. A. Morgan, Director

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