

April 6, [1963?]

Dear Howie,

I've talked to Tom about a new letter and his response was favorable. I suggested that I would draw up a letter framing the thinking behind a trip and emphasizing that the group would be mainly ~~organizers~~ movement organizers or those very close to New Left activism. Tom would then either rewrite the letter or add a cover letter, explaining something about the group and its purposes. I've already indicated to Paul Lauter that I might be doing this and he felt we should go ahead--even though it would ~~mean~~ mean a ~~very~~ different group from the one he had in mind (more organizers and less professionals).

I thought I might head straight to Boston from Antioch with the hope of getting to your place by Monday evening. Perhaps you could write a letter expressing your own thinking on the trip and then maybe we could ~~put~~ work Monday night on synthesizing our two efforts. Is all this possible? I've arranged with Tom to meet with him in Newark Tuesday morning (I thought I would spend Monday night at your place and take the shuttle to Newark in the Morning) and work on the final draft and then send it off to Belgium to a friend of Tom who would forward it on.

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What do you think? I try to call you ~~on~~ Sunday from Ohio to see if I should come on.

Mendy [Samstein]