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Dear Sid,

As you must have imagined, I have been kept quite busy trying to catch up on back work since my return from IDS. I haven't forgotten about the the summary of our work here that you asked for and it is in preparation. However, I wanted to be sure that I knew where your next address would be, since you said that you would be leaving England on Nov. 30.

We are working very hard to obtain government funds, since at the present, as I had told you, we are all working only with our salaries. It looks like we will get the funds, we hope soon, but maybe we will have to wait until March. However, the group's spirit is very high and there is a very fine "dispreoccupation" with salaries and a real desire to do some serious research.

Within the next few days you should be receiving a resumé of our work here and then you can see better how you would be able to help us. However, if I don't get it to you before the 30th of November, be sure and send me your new address.

I'll try and give you concrete proposals as soon as I can, i.e., salary, room and board etc. Let us know if you're still interested and what your plans are.

Sincerely,
Victor Valla
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P.S. Pio Lobo has his application in for the seminar at Trinidad. Hope he gets the chance to go, since the seminar would benefit from his being there, not to speak of the further experience we would gain.

V.V.