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CHAMBERS OF ROGER J. MINER CIRCUIT JUDGE

September 1, 1993

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Dear Jeffrey:

It was great to hear from you, and Jackie and I very much appreciate those wonderful souvenirs of Atlanta. It appears that much excitement is being generated by the forthcoming Games.

We were very happy that you and Kathleen could come up for the Annual Clerks' Brunch. You both are looking well and seem to be very happy working and playing in the great Peach State.

Many thanks for the cite to <u>Corfield v. Coryell</u>. I certainly wish that I had it <u>before</u> I wrote the Seton Hall piece. On the other hand, it may be a good basis for another article.

Speaking of articles, the September-October issue of Judicature will include an article of mine entitled "Federal Court Reform Should Start at the Top." It is based on a speech that I gave at a luncheon of the American Judicature Society, and the enclosed clipping from the <u>New York Law Journal</u> will give you the "flavor" of the speech.

Also enclosed is a clipping from the <u>New York Post</u> describing the visit to "Avalon" of our friend, columnist Cindy Adams. Some of the historical references are not entirely correct, but you may enjoy the column anyway. The final anecdote is absolutely true.

Jackie joins me in sending our very best to you and Kathleen. Please stay in touch!

Sincerely,

"The Judge