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Dear Max,

I got your message this afternoon and  
had to reply.

The answer is that, as last year's  
experience was pretty disastrous (only two  
students actually turned up!), I've  
decided not to arrange anything this year.  
Instead, I'm advising beginners to buy tapes  
and to go and stay with a local family,  
obtaining names to send perhaps from  
Omnium Cultural or Inso-Rosa Juntas.

However, I am very interested to see  
that you're interested: if you could  
more or less guarantee a certain number of  
students each year, this would certainly  
encourage me to try again. I've got  
13 'beginners' each this year and  
hope to have around 10 each in future.  
If I can get 3-5 to go on a course each  
summer and can find another 10 or 12

Here's a good prospect of getting some  
thing off the ground.

I'd be pleased to know what  
you think -

Yours ever,

Henry

Y. S. <sup>Best</sup> regards, too, to Frank.

Any chance of seeing you in Calabonier  
this summer?