

Dear Amos —

Your letter in Elliotts
today written last month
was so wise that although
I had an opportunity
to thank you briefly in
Washington I wanted
to do so again and
explain a little bit what
has happened since then.

General Watson
sailed to us at the
time of the inauguration
as to the advisability of

8/11/67 attempting to get a transfer at that time so he decided to let it drift for a while.

Also I think the question had arisen in his mind that as his years service is presumably over in October and the work in Texas probably wouldn't begin for some time it might not be wise to attempt to make a change.

However, I believe he does feel that the

period of service is very apt to be extended so I think he will now really attempt to be moved.

This letter is for the purpose of thanking you on behalf of both of ~~us~~ us. You wouldn't believe it but Elliott can't handle any personal correspondence in his office.

I'll be down to Texas in March and

Elliott will be flying
down for an occasional
weekend - so we both
look forward to seeing
you.

Most sincerely
R. H.

February 19th.