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Dear Ancel:

After a couple of days adapting to the huge time change and the harbor odors, and a shakedown period till the Fukomotos were comfortable with me and me with the food (eat with relish the fresh tempura, sukiyaki, fish soups, gave up on the raw fish, sea urchins, etc!) things go famously. They have at least 20 staff in the field and work with much noise and good humor. They are finally working on an editing procedure, and we will have pretty good comparable material with a little more editing at home. They have paid little attention to forms and criteria and procedure, but are now reporting CHD by separate manifestations and I'm hopeful. Six days seems to be enough here and I will take 4 to work over forms in Kurume with Toshima. Then I have a lecture tour 26 Tokyo, 27 Nagoya, 28 Osaka, 29-30 Expo (Osaka International Hotel), and return for another day or so in Tokyo. If I get off early I may finally stop to see Permanente a day on the way home, arriving around 5 June.

Ohno has developed modest programming skills and I am hopeful, always, that there can be 2-3 months of true collaboration this summer. In addition to CVD we might develop some models and trial runs on the 10 year data from Finland.

Things have developed pretty well for Geneva, barring other major disaster we will go. By now you have seen the stupid printers errors in the monograph. Thoroughly disgusting and I wondered if you would take a hard line and refuse payment unless the reprints are redone, or go along with the patchwork.

Regards,

