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Dear Don,

Sorry to be late with a few suggestions for the NC-VA CEA
1980 meeting.

1. Time of meeting. Friday, October 10, the first day of our
fall break, is a better day for me than Saturday, October 11. If
many colleges have a break then, let's have the meeting on Friday this
year. If we want the meeting on Friday every year, let's discuss
it in the business meeting this year.

2. I favor papers on North Carolina and Virginia writers and a
panel of writers. I would like to see a program on this subject every
few years, in fact. We can aim for a program on professional issues
next year.

As for the panel, Daphne Athas, Box 785, Chapel Hill, is another
possibility. Could Reynolds Price somehow be included? As chair,
if Rubin isn't available; as luncheon speaker? as authority on NC
literature ~~if Rubin isn't available~~ instead of Walser, maybe; or just
as panel member. Maybe a panel of Rubin, Price, Mary Lee Settle,
Peter Taylor.

Sincerely,

Sarah I. Davis