Real GDP(PIB) in Mexico, 1950-2000
(billions of 1996 US$)
Real GDP per capita in Mexico, 1950-2000
(1996 US$)
Log of Real GDP/Capita in Mexico, 1950-2000
Log of real GDP/capita in US, 1929-2002
I do not see how one can look at figures like these without seeing them as representing possibilities. Is there some action a government of India could take that would lead the Indian economy to grow like Indonesia’s or Egypt’s? If so, what, exactly? If not, what is it about the ‘nature of India’ that makes it so? The consequences for human welfare involved in questions like these are simply staggering: Once one starts thinking about them, it is hard to think about anything else.