

Dear Dal,

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Just before Lil returned with the mail Jerry called to say he has had disks of the original, I think unedited, Case Open made, one for you, one for Wrone. But absent-minded professor that he is he did not ask the woman who made them to determine whether it goes past page 788. That I have printed out and I've given it to Hook. As I think I told you, what was guttered out is or could be an important book, the Oswald brief for the first time with official fact only. Response to Posner's prosecution brief.

I do not understand these things but if I am correct. Jerry said the woman indicated with what machines the disk will be compatible. I think it was done on an IBM and I know Jerry told me when the woman at school first went to work on it that the copies were pale and she had to make adjustments. If you learn please let me know. That is, does it go past 788. If so I'll have to get a copy of that page from Jerry and determine where that is in the rough rough draft and then get that retyped. With both of the women retyping for me overlapped and without bringing anything for more than two weeks. I saw the one who is doing Waketh the Watchman last evening. She is in Jerry's class and I had my King seminar then. She said she has only the conclusions to do plus corrects some of which she'll pick up when she brings what she'd typed.

She's already told me this to is too much and she'll not be able to do any more after this. She is also asking around to see if she can get someone else who'd like that work. I am holding off asking the college placement office if it has a typist or will put a notice up.

You are correct, I prefer not to speculate or to spend time that way. To the degree I think that can be done responsible I've done that in Waketh the Watchman. But I have not done that as speculation and it isn't that. It is, as at a number of points in the ms. I make clear, a case of circumstantial evidence not presented as a solution. A lawyer friend you've not heard of, Bill Beichter, likes what he's read. The subtitle, if I've not told you, is Our Strangelovian Military and the JFK Assassination.

But I write an addition to that today. Only three pages. Something new relating to what is in the MS.

I'll have the original disks, Wrone will have what you have, and if you want to print it feel free, please. Dave is much too busy to think of that until after his Condition Red, a pun, is over and that won't be until after the first of the year.

I'm sorry Jerry is not in a position to tape these seminars because I reminisce and speak of what I've not yet written. His is a bright class and I have the impression that they'd rather have me reminisce and ramble with personal experiences and anecdotes that ask questions to get answers. I asked ^{one} who'd not asked a question why as she left. She smiled pleasantly and said she was listening or would rather listen. It is a real tribute to Jerry that I never get a foolish question. ...I've read xeroxed parts of The Wedge, by Mark Reichert. Miserably bad and dishonest if it goes on sale down there as with ^{an} hopf I think it probably will. Owned by Random House, Posner's publisher. ^{an} *Reichert*