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Dear Sir,

A story in the New York Times of yesterday indicates that your house will publish a book by Judge Joe Brown on Dallas, Ruby and the Law. Perhaps I should bring to your attention a work for which I am seeking publication.

The assassination of President Kennedy is commanding the attention of scholars from many disciplines, whose numbers will increase with the passage of time. The Warren Commission, in its Report and 26 volumes of Hearings and Exhibits, has provided researchers with an immense body of data. It is undeniable, however, that the value of these reference works is greatly impaired by the lack of a subject index. My experience in using the Hearings and Exhibits has been one of frustration and loss of time. This led me to prepare notes which ultimately evolved into a detailed and comprehensive subject index. I am convinced that that index is an essential tool for the study of the investigation and the grasp of the complex, profuse, unorganized material in the Hearings and Exhibits.

I take the liberty of enclosing an outline of the subject index. It encompasses but extends substantially beyond the footnotes provided in the Report; and includes numerous subjects which are not singled out in the Report or covered at all.

If you wish, I will be pleased to provide further details.

Yours sincerely,

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