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Dear Sylvia,

Thanks for your letter of the 23rd, and for the Livingstone article. I'm enclosing my newsletter of 9/1, plus item 3, an earlier (and more obviously ~~xx~~ bad) article of Livingstone's. I hear that he was on the radio in N.Y., and comes off as a real wild man.

I'm also enclosing, just for your files, Gary ~~ox~~ Owens' index to Vol. X, which I didn't know he was doing until I got it in the mail yesterday. An unfortunate overlap. He says he hopes to do more indexing, but doesn't expect finding time to be easy; he says he'll keep me posted on his progress. I'll ask him to keep you posted directly, if he starts any other volumes. (His address - in case you've started something new - is History Dept., Huron College, London, Ontario N6G 1H3, Canada.)

I've sent all your indexes to Jones Harris, as requested. In the future, I would prefer to send you an ~~ix~~ extra copy for him, since I'm not eager to deal with someone who thinks I'm a CIA agent! (And he might prefer that too.)

Our manuscript, unfortunately, is not in sendable form yet, but we do want you to see it as soon as possible. We're of course hoping that Russ made it through the hurricane without too much trouble; you may have heard that ~~Onke~~ Ponce got hit pretty bad. (Russ works there, and his wife is in school there; they live some miles away.)

Both halves of the Livingstone story - his article, and his photo peddling - could turn into a real mess. Definitely a can of worms. Groden? Groden who? I sure hope he's innocent.

With best regards,

*Paul*

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