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Dear Penn,

Hi! Seems like a long time between letters, but I guess we have both been busy-busy-busy. I don't remember any statement by J.E. Bradshaw but in this case please don't consider that as the last word. It is possible that there is something in the Exhibits and that I overlooked it. If I can track something down in the next few days, I will let you know at once.

Ruby's statements to the FBI are in C Ray Hall Exhibits, Volume XXII pages 37-63, Sorrels Exhibits in Volume XXI, see also CE 2003 page 271, CE 2025; see also testimony and Exhibits of Dean, Archer, Clardy, McMillon.

WHAT IS THIS about Dave Lifton being "gone" for a while????????
No, I knew nothing whatever--but look, just yesterday, which is the half-day every week when Carrie comes to clean my apartment, Carrie called me at the office to say, to my surprise, that a man named Dave or maybe she said Dave Lifton had phoned from California to "ask how I am" and when I wasn't in, he said, okay, maybe he would call again or he would write.

I was very puzzled because there was no reason for Dave to wonder how I am, in the sense that I might have been ill or in any difficulties of any kind. If I hadn't just gone busted by paying a phonebill of over \$70 plus a big cash gift for my new great-nephew (one week old today and first nephew of any description in my life), I might have called Dave last night. But I decided to be a little restrained for once and wait to receive his letter. Now, after your mention of Dave's being "gone", I am really worried. Please let me know what happened--was he "gone" physically, or arrested, or what? If I wasn't stuck with my own good resolutions, I would call you this minute.

Someone got a circular from RAMPARTS forecasting a "massive" article by Fred Cook on the Warren Report. Wonder what that means? I thought they had asked Dave Lifton to write his article because they were iffy about Cook's.

What's in Lubbock? Much love,