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Dear Sylvia,

Your book is a milestone in the literature. It is far and away the best done. We in Philadelphia wish it the wide success it and the people deserve.

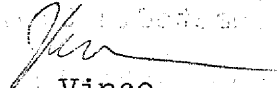
In Philadelphia we are at work exploring the assassination data in terms of the model of a Federal governmental power struggle. See what fun you can have in tracing the bullet wound in the front of the neck in terms of how the government should have reacted in terms of a conspiracy if they were innocent of implication as planners before the fact. Think of the Siebert and O'Neil and the F.B.I. Report in these terms. Think of the F.B.I. holding two opposite propositions as true with respect to three shots and no weaving hit. Think of the Federal government not seeking the Connally clothing for 6 weeks. Think of the Feds pinning the job on Oswald and Oswald alone in the face of all the eye witness, technical evidence, photographic evidence, etc. indicating a conspiracy. Think of their failure to cut off transportation. Think of their failure to consider the Paines as the suspects they must have been considered filling vital aspects of a conspiracy which no conspirators could have left to chance. Think of the Dallas police initial reports of conspiracy replete with supporting affidavits.

In brief, think of the hundreds of items of evidence of conspiracy which were ignored by Washington at the same time they were over reacting in a quick effort to frame Oswald and in an excruciatingly hasty effort to preclude accomplices. The model works. The twist gives us a little different look at all the evidence. It lifts it from the polemic with the Warren Report. The Warren Report is no help to them because it came ten months too late to explain the governmental action and failure to react.

Well, we are churning up the stuff. It comes from the most unexpected sources. Ford is of great help.

Sylvia, thank you for your great contribution. We love you.

Keep loving,


Vince