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Mrs. Sylvia Meagher  
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Dear Mrs. Meagher,

Thank you for yours of the 11th, received yesterday.

Our relative newness or isolation may account for the space Forum devotes to Garrison. Whether there is any substance to Garrison's doings or not, it seems to be what's happening. We are now trying to plug into other activities to receive word of what is going on elsewhere. One man who has worked with photographs is sending us some material which we hope to use in Forum, for instance.

Your views on space limitations are the same as mine. I did a review of your book a while back, but all that was printed were a couple of paragraphs urging that people rush out and buy it immediately. The size and format vary considerably with the money available. Needless to say, we hope it expands. As to having you consent to any condensation before printing, I had intended to do that, anyway. It is really the only way to assure accuracy of editing.

I do appreciate your frankness in expressing your doubts about the mental powers of Garrison buffs, but I should assure you that there is a wide variety of opinions on Garrison around here. Since there is not much information readily and widely available in Washington, many have no opinion.

I have, of course, read Epstein's New Yorker article. I have requested our editor to cite the Forum readership to it in the next issue.

I also read your article and letter in the last TMO. Both were very interesting.

By the way, Epstein's article mentions that Oswald attended the Powers trial in Moscow. I find this puzzling, since it is the first such assertion I know of that was not bald speculation. If I remember correctly, the audience at the trial was there by invitation only, and was composed almost entirely of CPSU apparatchiks who could be expected to hiss the villain.

Thank you again, and I hope to hear from you. I feel that the critics have so much in common, regardless of differences, that despite one's opinion of Garrison, cooperation is still possible and desirable.

Sincerely yours,

  
George E. Rennar

ps. Here I am chattering about cooperation, without trying to offer anything. For the past seven or eight years, a steady interest of mine has been the extreme Right. I have accumulated approximately forty boxes full of literature and correspondence from these groups and individuals, and documentation on them. Almost all of it is domestic.

Since there is a distinct possibility of the complicity of some of these creatures in the murder of the President, I am more than willing to place my material at the disposal of serious critics like yourself. So if there is anything in which you are interested, please let me know.

Most of my accumulation is now in the University of Washington Library, on indefinite loan. I have unrestricted access, so there should be no untoward delay in getting anything.

Until the gnomes who run the place prepare an inventory, I do not have a comprehensive list of my holdings. But if there is anything specific which you desire, do not hesitate to tell me.