

Dear Bill,

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reur 28, the 5 WWIIs are packaged ready to go in the morning and it may have been the Crossfire transcript you sent me that I used. I got a few of them from several, one a New England teacher. As you can see, I was very glad to have it.

I do not believe any major paper will consider an unrequested book review. But the ChiTrib can be needled about ignore<sup>ing</sup> the truth truth when it passed so much of Posner's untruthfulness on to its readers. Even I did a lengthy interview that I used and was cut out. So for all except perhaps the Lexington paper a letter is more likely to have a slight chance.

I remember Conan Cruise O'Brien as an Irish person at the UN. It would look bad if I were to send him the book as you suggest and I'm not certain that if he is sent one that WWII is the one to send him. Oh, I see you say to send that to you for him.

I still think the endorsement to him is presumptuous. And if you want to inform him, I can send you or say I'm sending it to him at your request a copy of Selections. You could refer to Case Open.

I suspect that if it is not now in your bookstores that is their decision because by now they should know about it. *Have you nudged them to stock it?*

Another call from Canada on it today.

Lil, who is doing OK after her fall, just returned from a flower-seeking expedition.

The deer ate all the wild clematis we'd transplanted but they are coming up from their roots. We wasted all the time spent to train them to grow to a pine tree and have that to do again because we planted them far <sup>enough</sup> along a way from the tree so they'll not attach to it naturally. And then the deer will eat them again.

And so it goes!

*Heard*