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Dear Harold:

I got the index for Never Again yesterday. Betsy got a kick out of the fact that she is in the index and I am not. I just cannot believe that they left the Index out. Hope they put it in if they need to reprint it, which I feel they will.

I have been unable to find your book yet. I did find a recent book called Never Again, on the British role in World War II. 93 or 94, I think.

Book shelf life is funny. Yesterday I bought a book on Huey Long, a biography an old visiting prof from LSU, T. Harry Williams, wrote, a 1969 book. I have always meant to read it, and I thought I better buy it before I could not get it. Williams is dead now, but he was the expert on the Civil War and Huey Long. Nice guy.

I hope your book can get some publicity. I think it can be easily separated from Mailer's book, since his book is not on the JFK murder, but on Oswald. I thought the interview with June Oswald was interesting, but it is always strange to me the family really knows nothing, that you and Wrono and others actually know more than any of the people involved or their families.

I ran out of money yesterday, so I did not get McNamara's book. I note in the bibliography he does not mention John Newman's book. But he did note a Univ. of Kentucky press book on Vietnam. I do not know the guy who wrote it, maybe I'll look him up. I really don't have many contacts at UK. The history department is kind of an unfriendly place, with the exception of one guy I know a little. I was in the Honors Program, was fairly close with some of them, but when I went to law school they had some sort of reorganization that resulted in the firing of most of the folks I knew. We used to put on Greek tragedies on stage and other fun stuff.

After the book is on the shelves, I will contact Joe Elliott and see if he wants to have you on his show. He does the 9-12pm shift at night, but also Sunday morning. Most Sunday mornings is open line, but I will explain you cannot stay up past 6pm! He once had Jim Marrs, Jim Moore, and Burt Griffin on his show. I will point out to him that Marrs was on your Selections jacket with a kudo, maybe you can get some good out of that.

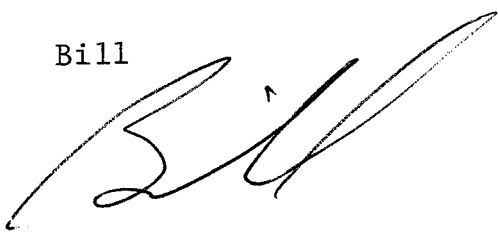
On the personal front, Betsy's father Dick is doing well. He seems to be making a good recovery. Betsy stayed up there for about a month.

I cashed a \$248 ticket on the Derby. Of course, I bet \$70 and spread it around on 12 of 19 horses, so I had to win to break even. Now if I can just get my brother Larry to give the money to me before he spends it. My bookie at the track.

I enclose an order that is no rush. I would have got these books when I was up there, but my suitcase was full.

Take care, I'll write again when I am allowed to use the typewriter.

Bill



Please send me:

2 copies of Transcript Whitewash

5 copies Whitewash II



PS Dal Mc Guirk from New Zealand wrote me a very nice letter. He said he wishes he could meet you in person. I'm going to tell him that you are just like your letters! When I write him next, I'll see if he has read Meagher or Presumed Guilty. If not I'll send them to him.