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Dear Al,

The two copies of PS you sent special delivery got here this am, and I wish there had been more. I sent one to Prostoev and took the other to Agriculture with me. I left it there. It will be the answer to the question "what kind of a magazine". The "Truck-Patch Trooper" piece is finished, just about. I went over it today and made some changes. It is being retyped and I'm supposed to get it with by-line Monday or Tuesday. However, I may have to spend some more time on it, though. I'll let you know if there will be any delay; I expect none. I think you'll like the piece, and there are many pictures, many more than you can possibly use. You will, of course, return those you don't use.

The have, by the way, some nice pictures you might be able to use on a scrap-campaign story. Pictures their men have taken over a period of time around the country, in various small and unknown towns, showing auto bodies hanging from trees, etc. Let me know if you are interested and I'll get you a set of prints. One of the shots shows the rear end of an auto body painted to look like a pretty girl's face.

When you get some more copies you can spare, send me about 5 more, that is, in addition to those send slow mail. Bob used to send me 25 at least, and I never had any left.

I hadn't a chance to read the book, but I looked through it, and it looked pretty good. Some of the things were complimented by some of the FSA people, too. See you. Harold