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Dear [illegible],

[illegible] your letter [illegible] the "threat", where I've filed it, I would add only [illegible] it [illegible] necessary to [illegible] to ascertain who might have written it and whether his intentions might have included execution. I finally made a tentative decision (the second) about [illegible] it, [illegible] left the area, and there is nothing save for intellectual stimulation [illegible]. It is interesting and I may some day use as a novel.

[illegible] the final part of [illegible], [illegible] is retyping, [illegible] must [illegible] time to [illegible] and tone down the second, marked [illegible].

[illegible] no high commercial hopes, I think [illegible] the most potent thing yet. I'll [illegible] money when [illegible] Xerox copies, so no promises yet. In fact, I am always pressed [illegible], but now more so.

If, [illegible] doubt, you heard from the Wash Post, I suggested the call because I [illegible] detected a working of the Department of Disinformation in an Attica story fed [illegible] "authoritative sources" alleging [illegible] of a dumdum on one of the prisoners. I [illegible] friend I trust.

Hurriedly,