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Dear Robert,

So fat a package! Thanks very much for it and what it represents.

It is by the chair in which I sit for the few moments I rest. That is when I read. I'll do it little by little, with gratitude.

On the books, I knew Jake Cohen's was in the works but not that it was out. He is a learned fink, what if the Hitler day was called a Judenrat. Not called, spat. The Hartogs book ghosted by Freeman is a reprint. The hardback is a bumper of a decade ago.

The Enquirer story was about not a personnel file but a ~~personnel~~ profilefile. On the face it was not completed. Even as a profile, although I'm sure it was.

I have no reason to believe deM was connected to anything and every reason to believe that nuts and exploited and more sinister types drove the sick man to it.

Sprague was very bad. All that is wrong is his responsibility. He was determined from the first not to investigate either crime as a crime and above all to say not a word against the Warren Commission. Meaning also the man who gave him his start, Specter.

The so-called Oswald letter is NOT to "H.L." Hunt. If real and to a Hunt. When I received it in 8/75 I wrote to the return address. There was no response. My letter was not returned.

Keshaw is a no-good or he'd not be in the case now. Interestingly Ray has refused to fire Lesar or me. We are both maintaining distance, though.

FOIA is keeping me too busy. I long to write and have not been able to.

I seem to be okay but I do not have the physical stamina I did when I was a young man of 62.

Hope you latch onto what you are looking for. Until you do the best preparation is practise, work. Keep at it.

Successuly I hope,

Sincerely,

June 17, 1977

Dear Mr. Weisberg,

Excuse my not writing for so long, but since my graduation a year ago, I've been quite busy writing scripts and seeing various people in the attempt to advance my own career. I am making some progress. However, I have not forgotten about you and my interest in the Kennedy and King assassinations has not subsided.

Included are articles from December up to the present (including Ray's jail break). Quite a bit of material to digest here and I hope you find it useful. Aside from newspaper clippings, I have included the SKEPTIC magazine on King, some NEW TIMES articles on the congressional committee and Sprague and the McCALL article calling for a reopening of the JFK investigation.

I finally saw THE TWO KENNEDY'S documentary and found it both shoddy and embarrassing. According to this film, almost everyone was involved in the conspiracies.

I see Mark Lane has finally jumped onto the King bandwagon. His book, CODE NAME ZEERA is out and he was all over the news when Ray escaped. I also have seen Fensterwald's book COINCIDENCE OR CONSPIRACY. There are a couple of other books out: THE TWO ASSASSINS by Renactus Hartogs M.D. and Ph.D. and Lucy Freeman. BETRAYAL by Jacob Cohen (a professor at Brandeis). These last two, I have not seen or read.

The National Enquirer recently printed another "exclusive" (it is included) which shows a 201 file kept by the C.I.A. on Oswald thereby proving he was an employee of the C.I.A. Let me know what you think about that one after you read it.

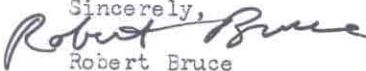
What did you make of the big DeMohrenschildt suicide several months ago? That Dutch journalist Oltmans seemed to lack credibility. It gave a bit of a boost for the Congressional Committee, which I have lost total faith in. Gonzales was a kook and things don't look any better now. I assume you too have no faith in them. Although I'll tell you, I don't think Sprague was that bad. I think it's the congressmen who are running the investigation into the ground, and now we have CBS and some conservative columnists, trying to prove that JFK's killing was a retaliation by Castro.

Speaking of news of the past, did you know about the so called Oswald letter to HL Hunt?

Is Jim Lesar still Ray's attorney? I hear an awful lot about this fellow Kershaw. What's he doing for Ray and why was Lesar let go?

What are you currently working on? Are you planning any books in the near future? Any results from your FOIA activities?

Well, I hope you find these articles of interest. I wish you well and I hope you are in good health (is your phlebitis problem cleared up now). Best to you. I will stay in touch.

Sincerely,

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