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Dear MB,

Perhaps the day will come when I can sit down and write a letter without begrudging the time it takes from work. I'm writing on three books. I have a contract with a publisher for one on Manchester. This was 25 % written when I decided to remove from WHITEWASH III the large amount of material dealing with the False Oswald and the NO story and make a separate book of it. I've got most of it written and this time I think I have a literary agent and may not have to publish it myself.

WHITEWASH III, which had grown to the point that every sale guaranteed me a financial loss, will not be too long delayed, I hope. I have continued working on it (the original reason for delay) and got some very good stuff. It will still be larger than I had promised.

All of this, together with the rather large number of media possibilities, has made out normally hectic life more so. My poor wife stays headached. I've been so busy I've had to turn down TV appearances and radio shows that I cannot do by phone.

As soon as I said "please tell the listeners the pages", I realized you'd think I was asking for them. It is kind of you to drop everything and send them. But I have that part already written. For your own information, add Kasck to that department. In a very quiet way, he was the NO agent in charge of the Oswald case after Fain retired. No affidavit. Also, the affidavits and assurances are meaningless. They had their fingers and syntax crossed.

When I wrote WHITEWASH I had not located Ruby's address, but what I sought to point out is that the Commission avoided giving it in the Report. You are right on Souhe and there is another who lived near there.... I had hoped you had the Times story on the wounds, not because I now need it but because I wanted it to keep as a matter of more complete record. But I feel for the immediate we are past that point. Things will be happening. I believe the NO thing is genuine, and I have reason for feeling this way. It is not unreasonable to expect Texas developments also.

It was very kind of you and Hal Verb to pitch in and help on that program. Morgan had been very good. My thanks to you all.

Sincerely,

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Dear Harold,

I talked with you briefly on
the program show in S. F. Sunday
You wanted the pages of the
FBI reports.

Volume XVII, page 741,
J. Edgar Hoover writes "9 additional"
affidavits — who, because of their
assignments, would have contact
with Oswald. They deny knowledge
that Oswald was informant.
Pages 742 — 752 — List the men.
— Shankler, Clark, Sgt. Carter
Brown, Howe, Mayson, Gunglitz
Synum — BUT no De Bruyn.

If you asked me about a a. N. Y
Times story in Jan 64 on president-
wounds. My clippings date back
to Nov 25, 1963 — but were not
thorough — at the start. Each
month I saw the importance of
saving everything. That was in the
game, I am sorry to say, I did
not cut & file all the stories.

In Whitman I — or
somehow — I got the impression you
did not have Rely's address. By
now you must — because of
the proximity to Boule.

Rely 4749 Homer
Boule 4740 Homer

I understand they had
some land, shared some prop
(over)

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Another coincidence never checked out - Ruf's my friend - confident wellis - fellow employee - lived in Irving Upad - very close to Mrs. Paire on 5th St. I was never called as a witness.

Busy as usual - would like to have a radio talk with you one night we could discuss in length our topic - such as FBI, innuendoes.

Sincerely,
Wai Brussell