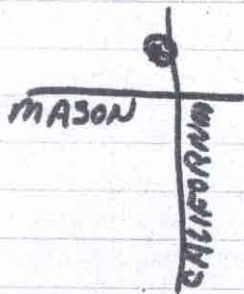


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Dear Jack,

You may remember that just before we left Hal Lipsett's when I was in San Francisco, I asked him a technical question. You said you had a friend with the phone company you'd ask for a do-it-yourself answer. I hope you haven't forgotten and that you can get the answer.

Recently, there have been several occasions when I've wished I were so set up.

If I'd known of what actions Garrison was about to take when I was out there, I could have given you a really current and inside show. His subpoena to Allen Dulles cites the document on pages 101-2 of Oswald in New Orleans. I earlier (but after finishing the book) conducted an investigation of that document and learned more about the key man in it.

His effort to get Hall and Howard to New Orleans to testify before the grand jury was frustrated by a zany judge. I found Hall in the hospital. I interviewed him on three days for not less than six hours, on tape. I also interviewed Howard. Talk about a switch (but not in public): I talked him into going to New Orleans voluntarily—and he did, with my surrogate, last week. They were due back in the LA area today.

The man who phoned in when I was doing a show with Jim Eason would make you an interesting program on homosexuals, if you would ever be interested in that. I had a subsequent phone conversation with him, off the air. Hal was going to check out his story that Clay Shew-Bertrand was at the Club Turkish Bath 11/22/63, which could be important, if true. His source's source was a Herb Caen column.

I will not be out there again 3/22 as I had expected. The debate I had with Wesley Liebeler, former Commission counsel, has been cancelled. I do not know why but I do suspect Liebeler had something to do with it. Alas, I cannot get out there unless my way is paid. This time KGO-TV had asked me, telling me to buy the ticket and bill it to them. They cancelled the show, never again communicating with me, and returning the bill to my travel agency.

Thanks for your kindnesses.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg