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Dear Dave (and everyone, best),

Hastily, but in complete confidence, I want you to know that the sequel to WHITEWASH is done and at the printer's. It is an entirely new book, with different content, more shocking, I think more important, and coming at an essential time. There will, when it is out, remain only the naming of those who pulled triggers. This one tells who did the whitewashing and how, with documents, pictures never before seen, etc.

The first printing is 10,000 copies. I will send you some from the first run off the bindery, with a release date. Until then, silence, please, with this exception: I'll also send some to Fine and Rosbrow. Tell them so they'll know, and please ask them to be silent until release.

I'm past the exhaustion point and about to start all over again with public appearances, radio, TV, colleges, specials (three hours to be taped in NYR 12/6), etc. coast to coast. I've often, to now, had to decline to fly to California for TV appearances when my expenses were promised. I'm doing that the middle of next month. This thing is now hot and WHITEWASH will make it hotter!

Jack McKinney said he wants me when I have the book. I'll be so pressed for time I may not be able to send him one fast enough. If he wants any, please give him what he wants and take credit for it. Of course, if I have any off the press in time to address individual envelopes, he'll get the first!

Best regards to all. When I'm to be in Phila. I'll let you know.

Good luck and thanks,