8/7/69

Dear Gary,

I'm going to bed early for me. It is going on ten and after this I'm going to sleep on the final Ray chapter of the COUP addition. Tomorrow I'd like to be able to write it and then begin reading and correcting for Lil's retyping, if that is not too much. I'll not overload myself.

So it is ten because I've had a phone call.

There are enclosures you will understand I will want you to say not a word about.

Because you should understand what the content of what I'm working on is you should understand my ellipsis. I have the signed contracts and copies of a number of original letters. Every lawyer involved on both sides has more than earned disbarrment, there have been violations of the canons on both sides. A fair amount of money had to have changed hands, and the one person guaranteed not to get a cent, ever, is the one who should have, the prime property. Yet there was no immediately-obvious source of the money that I believe had to have changed hands nor any promising prospect.

Huie's book was due for May 15 publication. As of three days ago it had not been delivered. This could mean that what he did submit was rejected.

The Look articles by the three buzzards had to have been written before the minitrial. Everybody was caught with his Manchester down.

Are you beginning to get the magnitude of the scandal I have and why I want you to say nothing to anyone under any circumstances?

Aside from this, the evidence presented was phoney, deliberately misrepresented and misinterpreted and what canon five requires not to have been ignored was ignored.

If you have not bought the second Village Square, don't because Hal has written he got one for me. What you loaned me to copy I have given him to Bud, who was here today, because he wants copies. He'll make for both and return to you except Monroe book, which I have. I loaned him Crafard memo without having read it. He'll copy and return.

His legal opinion is in support of my interpretations of the law and legalities and proprieties.

How I wish there could be someone here to read and edit what I have written!

Best,