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4/19/93

Dear Gary,

Thanks for your 4/16 and the enclosures. Because I'll file it separately I've marked the Crenshaw response confidential with a citation to your letter. I'll read it later.

I tire easily these days and I'll take a nap after writing this. I'd intended writing you anyway about what will follow.

Glad to read the Bowren letter to Livinsgone. I'd head that he had her interviewed.

Her letter is scant comfort to him because it smashed High Trashes 1 and 2 a bit. He'll not be happy about that. It is correct, rather her recollections is correct about the back wound and its location. There was only one. Harry says 2. And it was not, as I'd heard the transcript of her interview states, 6 inches down from where the neck and back join. This was the reason for my caution intended for Crenshaw.

I've not heard from the assistant state's attorney who was taken ill just before our appointment. I presume ongoing cases take precedence on her return.

A friend who is a criminologist was here this past weekend. He went over the file of Harry copies I compiled for the prosecutor. It is his opinion that they reflect violation of Maryland law. He made copies and will go over them and select from them what reflects Harry's claim to be "the law" and his many formulations of his representing the Baltimore police and the FBI. He'll then give them to the proper person inside the police department.

The only internal investigation of which I know is of the police who worked for Harry. That was not any investigation of him.

I hope this leads them to investigate him with an eye toward prosecuting him. I think he needs treatment and since he has not gotten it voluntarily perhaps the judge might sentence him to it. Best thing that could happen to him!

Thanks and I hope you get your copier fixed soon! Some of the letters are at some points not legible.

If I should see the prosecutor before that happens, and it won't be the early part of this week, I may know which ones are and are not of interest to them. If any are.

Now that Harry is to have turned his manuscript in last week there is an additional reason why I should have all of his letters and, threats and boasts possible, as well as what he has said about his High Trash 3 which he regards as his masterpiece, the book to end all books. It is bound to startle the publisher. They may seek some opinions. Of his sources of whom I know he claims that Rothermel and Currington are. I believe they were both charged as thieves by Hunt's sons and thus can have motive attributed to them for the wild things Harry is saying. He has also referred to one retired CIA who is weak and confined from emphysema. Do you know which this is? And of any other sources?

Who could possibly have told him that the assassins escaped via a tunnel that went to Downtown Lincoln Mercury? With which he dragged poor Buck in! Thanks and best wishes,

Harry

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Dear Harold,

Thanks for your letter of April 13, 1993 regarding Harry Livingstone's interview of Diane Bowron. I am enclosing a copy of the interview for your information and comments.

For the record, Dr. Crenshaw and I are not interested in ANYTHING that Harry has to say. He has fabricated enough about me (and others) to cast doubt on all of his work. The Bowron material was sent to Crenshaw unsolicited and should be taken for what it is worth -- which is very little because of its source. Harry may have made-up the entire thing.

I am also enclosing, again for your information and comments, Dr. Crenshaw's rebuttal to the May '92 JAMA article. We have requested that they publish it in a future edition of the journal, but are not holding our breaths. Please keep this to yourself for the time being, or until such time that it is published.

Will try to keep you posted on further developments with Harry.

Sincerely yours,

J. Gary Shaw

Attachments: As noted