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Dear Gary,

Brad wrote to thank me and to tell me about what seems to be a really great victory that perhaps is a ~~X~~ JAMAborie over those baddies, stinkers and liars. Congratulations!

Thoughtlessly I asked him to ask you to please send me copies of the crow that the paper and JAMA are eating to publish. Will you please do that? I do want to enjoy reading them but my real interest is archival. I want to have that in the archive on the subject at ~~Hood~~ Excel Hood College where all I have will be.

I did a lot of work for you on ~~that~~ those depositions transcripts and I put a paperclip at each of the innumerable points where I could see and help Brad going for the jugular. I'll take tomorrow off from work to watch a Redskins game. I'll then remove the several boxes of paperclips and then I'll give those transcripts to the college now, so that any students who want to can read them. They do teach a course there on the politics of assassination. I have one more seminar on it this year.

When I heard nothing from Brad after he got the mansucript I wondered if I had said in it what Crenshaw may not have liked. If so, it is not indispensble and I'll be glad to remove it. If the book is ever published. They've been stalling it for a year and a half. If I could find another publisher I would. But I cannot travel, I'm 81 now and in seriously impaired health, and I've been working as intensively as possible to use what time remains for me to perfect the record for our history to the degree I can. To give you an idea of how much work I've done in the last two years, besides NEVER AGAIN!, which is of about a quarter of a million words, I've done another that long, Case Open was butchered and I've done another of about 50,000 words. Besides several long articles that if I live long enough I'll expand into books. Each a different area of the subject. The original ms. of Case Open, with two chapters still to be computer retyped, ends on page 788! So, for an old man whose time is short I've been lucky it was not shorter and that I have been able to get all of this on paper for our future.

In think that for that future your great victory is quite important. Brad seems to have done a spectacularly good job for you. But as I wrote him in congratulating him, I had looked forward to the field day he would have had at trial.

Hope your health is holding up,

Harold