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Dear Paul, Gary, Dick, Howard;

That enormous ego of Fisher's and the complacency into which he had been lulled or had lulled himself, his feeling of having gotten away with everything, made him careless in the letter he wrote me. Thanks to Paul, I hope the others of you now have copies. The number of copies of this letter means I have to ask him to extend the same courtesy.

Imagine the gell of those bastards, destroying their drafts (if not more) all over again!

I hope you do not find this letter too interperate for your tastes or my purposes. Under the circumstances, I think it quite reserved. The contempt that bum has for the intelligence of everyone else.

As I earlier indicated, this letter of his is quite helpful in many ways, as I presume you will readily see. I have not exhausted its possibilities by any means. To this point I want to make a record and confront those who he has dragged along with him what kind of record he is making for them what he is doing to their reputations.

I waited a week before replying to give each of them an opportunity for his own answer. To date not one has, so I presume they put Ma Bell to work. Suits me fine.

The only reason I didn't send Rolapps a copy is I have so few. Fisher will do it anyway. Besides, I would like R to have a chance to read that report first, as I suggested to him that he do when he phoned me. But I do not want you to be under any misapprehension: there is nothing inconsistent with Rolapps' letters in Fisher's. The things is, they may see a little competition as well as the need for hanging together. All the doctors have my first letter, Fisher's fooling around with it, and my nailing him for doing it - in their nemes. It is a pretty sad spectacle, a professional man, an expert in the law as it applies to evidence, pulling this kind of shyster trick.

The letter confirms the belief I have long held that Fisher wrote the panel report. As one of you earlier learned, he was the dominant man.

I would like no mention of any of this, for there remains much to do, this being just the beginning of this aspect. And it may wind up in court.

F has to be a man persuaded to evil, corrupt and contemptuous of law, man, society and his calling.

Sincerely,