

8/21/90

Dear Robert,

Thanks for your note and the enclosures. As you'll see in part, I've been following the White fabrications. I'm glad to have the clippings for the file I'm keeping for history. (You forgot to identify the papers.)

Hope you enjoy writing for "The Fanelli Boys." If it is on I've not heard of it. If not, let me know when and we'll take it in. With boys I should not have the trouble I had hearing what you wrote for "The Golden Girls."

We are OK, thanks.

Gooden, to answer your question, has always gone for the nuttinesses on the assassinations.

Yes, the Reds are doing well, lucky you. The Orioles are a disappointment but they've been decimated by injuries and I think they are too young to handle that.

We have the Orioles' Class A team here in town, second year, and they are setting a national attendance record for that class nationally. Superior to almost all Class AA attendance figures, and even ~~much~~ better than quite a few at Triple A. Several of the kids playing here earlier in the season are with the Os and doing rather well. I do not think their last year was a fluke. This one is. Those who are not hitting, which is the major problem, are established hitters, not rookies.

But as you say, their future looks good.

Your Pete Rose's son is with the local team, unless he's been promoted to AA. Last I heard he was doing OK.

Thanks and best wishes,

Harold

August 18, 1990

Dear Harold,

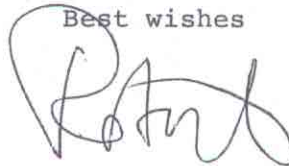
Hope this letter finds you in good health. I've been swamped at work and haven't had a chance to get this stuff to you until now. I've started a new writing job on a new show called "The Fanelli Boys" and it takes alot of time and energy to get things off the ground.

I'm sending you a few articles dealing with Robert Kennedy's assassination. Also a very laughable one from the scandal sheets claiming JFK is still alive. And then three articles dealing with this Ricky White who claims his father was a CIA man who got hired as a Dallas cop in Sept. 1963 and shot JFK. I also heard this radio talk show on KFI in L.A. (the host is a guy called Tom Lykus). White was on with his story and Robert Grodin was also on giving credence to the tale. I find it hard to believe from what I heard. I can't figure why Grodin is so quick to back these guys. What do you make of it?

Other than that, I've been following baseball. The Reds have made a marked improvement over last year. There have been some touch and go momments, but I think they will take their division. Baltimore isn't out of it, but I think last year was a fluke and then really need a couple of season to put it together. But there's no question they have the makings of a good team.

Hope all is well with you. And if you get a chance drop me a line.

Best wishes

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Robert Bruce". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name and address.

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