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Dear Ed,

Glad to hear from you!

And thanks for the clips.

I got so tired working outside yesterday, bringing in firewood to save fuel oil, I let other things go before going to bed and read all.

Skolnick remains a question to me. Is he just crazy?

What is not a question is the harm he does.

This means another question: should I at long last do something?

If you think so, let me know how to get in touch with those who are suing him or put them in touch with me. I have a fat file and some tapes of his radio appearances.

I think this kind of stuff is the most germane in that kind of suit.

Things are about the same here except that I grow more tired with these endless days of such length. My work in all save commercial ways is quite productive.

My suits and threats of suit have been very successful. I've regularly forced the government to cough up the most sensational material.

All of this takes much work.

So did my part of the Ray case.

I was in the conclusions of a book in September and while working not less than 18 hours a day have not been able to get back to it.

I have brought out another book, the fourth of the Whitewash series. It was made possible by a successful suit in which I won by losing and got 90 Top Secret pages, quite sensational. It was also made possible by my young lawyer friend borrowing the money to pay the printer. So, we have even been selling the press copies and have this one debt down to \$2,400. I'm selling what I sell by radio broadcasts by phone, where the stations call me and pay the phone bill. I was able to attract their interest through news stories, major length on AP, UPI and WxPost syndicates. From the initial sales there was enough, with not making a bank payment, to get out a mailing. The return has been about 20%, which is fantastic. But there is a long road to go before we pay back first the bank and then the other costs.

And it takes a big hunk out of every day for me to wrap, address and mail the orders. I handle them all. What a way to write books!

Since then I've gotten enough for another fast book but I can't borrow more, I can't let this young lawyer who is my associate do it, so I'm giving that away.

Meanwhile, more suppressed evidence is in the mail to me.

The feds are not used to having the law used against them.

They don't like it. Or me.

Thanks and best regards,