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Dear Bud,

Bearing on certain cautions I gave you without apparent effect, this is an excerpt from one who has for some years been close to Fred Newcomb and trusts him as I do not:

Fred Newcomb dropped over...He had little to report about activities... except to state that he was doubtful of that Bobby Kennedy group and, indeed, said that he had learned that the alleged beating of Dryer's wife was a phoney story but would not tell why he believed this to be the case.

For my money, Fred is more of the far-out ones and a charter member of that particular clique. If he has doubts.....

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