

Dear Bud,

6/14/76

Thanks for the RS letter exchange between Bennett and Kohn, two accomplished fakers. I'm glad Kohn's response was good and effective.

The article was well received, I suppose, but it was not as represented, was not original investigative reporting and I suspect some of the anonymous sources do not exist.

For your information, Bennett has been weeping in all the letters columns and responding with artful dodging the editors permit.

I note you've moved. If you have a store of printed supplies and want to salvage any I can probably get old letterheads made into jot pads and the envelopes reprinted with the old address blacked out (if you have such uses) much cheaper here. I've been using a teacher of printing crafts who moonlights in his own small plant. He is unmarried and it gives him something to do nights. His plant is at his home near here.

Jim told me you phoned him about my letter about my pictures. He has not told me what if anything is going to happen to get them back. I want them first of all for further study with other data I now have. I may also want to print them. As I think I told you they can't now be replaced, I went to New York and tried. This has now become a pretty costly business to me, aside from the unpleasantness. I think the transcript shows they are my property and that you said it in response to a McRae question. If this is the case I don't know why the court would have any objection to having copies made to replace the originals.

My other requests were not alone to protect my interest. I think they serve all. Including Jimmy, who is well on his way to blowing what little remains. I know the content of his newest ploy. Jim should have a copy tomorrow. No objection if you want a copy. A friend arranged them for me, that is, getting this and making copies.

Don Freed is still trying to steal everything, now Jimmy. He has written and received a response of which I know. I'm not sure it was in the letter to Jimmy but I am sure he is badmouthing you.

Bob has been feeding him stuff via Hagan.

I'm to get at long AP account of an interview with Bob. Even for him crazy. I presume you believe as he does, that Jimmy can lay it all out. Bob adds pleading Jimmy guilty in public.

He leads a charmed life not losing his license. He should.

Again thanks,