

Dallas Researches

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Dear Gary,

I'm sorry to hear from Peggy that Buck is not as well as he was. + hope he improves!

She and I were interrupted by a car coming up our lane. I'd written you and her but after we spoke did not mail it. +nstead told her.

I'd written Harry I wanted no more contact of any kind but when he phoned yesterday I took the call to hear what he had to say and give him hell over me. He hung up instead of telling me why he is spending time investigating me when he claims to be on the verge of braking the case open with his current "investigation." He indicted I think falsely, that his source on my correspondence with Rothermel was a critic who has copies of Garrison's records.

Whether or not he lied he told me that he has former and current FBI SAs helping him and an unidentified judge.

I believe it is not impossible that the Baltimore FBI suggested that he speak to Dallas and wrote Dallas about him. Could that account for his contact with "Bookstool? (Who has yet to respond to my asking him how he got a picture of me Fred "ewcomb took of me in his back yard 3/68. The Dallas FBI did not give it to me in response to my FOIPA request for all its records on me.

I think you now have less cause for concern about what Harry can or will do other than badmouth and that should not influence you as it has. Nobody pays any attention to what he says anyway. He is not going to be able to hurt you unless you let him do that by over-reacting.

A dear friend and a fine person is counsel to Carroll & Graf. I think that what Harry told me about him and says in his letter to Gary Shaw will lead him not to be involved because it is a lie. In his interest I'm sending him Harry's letter to Gary with this lie. That also lets them know their co-defendant's word can't be taken on anything!

I asked Peggy, to whom a copy, to ask Mark Zaid to phone me not yesterday but today in time for us to finish talking before 7 p.m. I'm up too early, yesterday before 1 a.m. He phoned me about 6 last night and I told him to call back today. To use some words you should have picked up, he is a yenta who wants to be a macher and a maven. I think he called Harry leading to Harry's all to me.

But please try to relax. Harry can't do a thing to you that you do not let him do. He has no basis for anything and while it is not the kind of slander we like it is something that you ^{ought} not let get to you now. He is all mouth and barnyard waste.

Best to you both,

Harold