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Dear Hal,

It has been so long since I've heard from you that I hope all is still OK with you. We are holding our own. More or less, at least.

Despite all the takings of time for many medical problems, the most time-consuming of which is kidney dialysis, I'm writing again. With three days each week beginning with the taking of five hours for that treatment, and often the rest of that day and sometime some of the next, I also cannot work with the continuity of thought we need. But I'm writing and despite my much greater weakness, it is like a good medicine for me.

It has been suggested to me that I do a manuscript on Fetzer's second trash. I'll be getting a copy. I know you keep files on some of these things and have, from time to time, sent me copies. I have to check now to see if I have a file because my files have been robbed at least five times, at least three times while I was in the hospital and the so-called nursing home. Some has been quite recent and reflects a knowledge of what I was doing, where what I was using was kept (and that is gone) and when neither of us would be home. I have the Fetzer file (which nobody in his right mind would bother with) but among the files I learned recently, when I sought to use them, was my Senator Russell file, a fat one. At least some of this thievery was for Lifton, and it is not impossible that more is for him.

I'll appreciate anything you can send me and I'd like to repay your costs.

Thanks and hope you are OK,

Hal