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Mr. Clayton Fritchey  
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Dear Mr. Fritchey-

Can Garrison be stopped? Yes, of course:

1. By governmental agencies which suppress and withhold vital evidence in the name of "national security".
2. By Governors of states who refuse to extradite key witnesses, one of whom is an admitted CIA operative.
3. By 2 subpoenaed FBI agents who are protected from ~~telling what they know~~ by the cloak of "executive immunity".
4. By the news media and the press who have not studied the 26 volumes of hearings, exhibits and reports, but who, nevertheless, have set themselves up as authorities on the assassination to this nation and to the world.
5. By people like you who are so busy trying to stop Mr. Garrison that you haven't bothered to inform yourselves of what any schoolboy would know, if he saw even half of the Warren Commission's published evidence.

If Mr. Garrison does not have a valid case, why try to stop him? Why not let him present his case for all to see, make a fool of himself before the court of world opinion? (If you are so concerned about the rights of the accused, where were your cries of outrage when Lee Harvey Oswald was a suspect in two murders and was held and interrogated for twelve hours without benefit of legal representation or any tapes or records of his interrogations?)

The answer is so obvious. The brainwashed American people have finally lost their innocence and are no longer impressed

by the pressure tactics to bury the truth. Methinks that you, NBC, CBS, Newsweek and all the rest of the self-righteous propoganda merchants protest too much. You're overplaying your hand. You may well succeed in stopping Garrison because the power and the wealth and the techniques are all on your side - but you'll never stop the truth from ultimately emerging because too many of us are going to continue to work until it does. This country is not going to be worth fighting and working for until it does,

Very truly yours,

Maggie Field.