KENNEDY ASSASSINATION INQUIRY COMMITTEE G.P.O. BOX 2691, NYC, 10001

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Mr. Harold Weisberg Route 8 Frederick Maryland 21701

Dear Harold:

Enclosed you will find a copy of item 31; we are delighted to be of service:

How is everything going? You have a tremendous advantage over us city dwellers in being able to work outdoors that way. Nothing like a little scenery. fresh air etc., to keep us logical and working. I would like very much to be able to visit you for a weekend, and both read and talk a mile a minute. Unfortunately, however, Carol's car was completely wrecked in the accident we had, so right now I have no fast and cheap transportation accessible to me. Also, I have been very busy these last couple of weeks trying to put my career in order, so that I can get myself out of the financial hole all the Committee activity has put me in. Bight now I am trying hard to find work, and I am also exploring the possibility of large donations to the Committee, as that, too, could help the Committee's future, and also enable a return of money I have lent to our activities. And I also hope that in the near future it will be possible for myself and others to go on salary, so that our Committee activities may grow by leaps_ and bounds. But I hope that I may be able to visit you soon all the same, and I shall try to arrange for it.

I don't have anything that big on the King assassination, just a few little suppositions based on the modest facts gathered. Nothing earthshaking, unfortunately, but I'll bring you up-to-date on it as soon as we meet.

I think your idea of writing a three-volume book is excellent. Unless one is writing something so loaded with photographs and sensational, proven facts, etc., and for a big publisher at that, it is essential we publish for the limited market that our scholarly work is best suited to. This might prove to be a very good way to sell this work to a decent publisher - we shall see.

The three cases are moving along in a completely predictable way. Postponments, etc. Do you think that judge in Memphis would try to throw the book at any of us up here for anything any of us might print? It wouldn't surprise me!

The data on the Archives from Fensterwald is most helpful; I agree that putting Hal or someone down there for a couple of months would be most helpful. This is one of things I want to finance if I am ever able to get a foundation to bite. Of course, getting a good lawyer, as you mention, is also really the same problem. Where are the people who will help us bring our story to the rest of the world, and will the country accent it then? Considering the idiot choices the country has to vote for this Yovember, the people may well be able to accept a little truth at this point; but will the media, etc., allow that truth to get out? Therein lies the problem of "the temper of the times". As for our legal work, I'm working on Kupferman.

Take care, and I'll keep in touch. I do hope to see both of you soon. Sincerely.