

Dear Jim,

2/14/31

When I sent you the memo on the discovery material in 226 I asked that you get it before Pratt by whatever means possible, either by me executing a simple affidavit in which I attest to its as an exhibit or by a Notice of Filing. The Bresson letter and the very worthwhile copies of HSCA/Archives correspondence Mark provided make this even more important and important that we do it as rapidly as possible because of the outrage to which Bresson's name is affixed. What I have written him is enclosed. Those power-and and hate-dominated people have gone too far. I've given them 20 days in an excess of caution, so there can be no complaint that I didn't make all possible effort.

I've just skimmed what Mark provided and it is quite significant in terms of my memo and in terms of affirming all my allegations. It also is important as it relates to the Archives, which refused to weigh the specimens for me but already had those weights. I will be writing you a memo with copies of what Mark provided as attachments.

Whether or not we get them to stop horsing around I want to get all of this before Pratt. The Mark records also confirm the fact that the NAA does not cause the destruction of the specimens submitted to radiation. It therefore is apparent that the destruction, if those samples were destroyed, were for other purposes, as I reasoned in the memo.

They've gone much too far and I want to get it before Pratt as fast as possible because of the influence it can have on all that follows and because of its historical and legal importance.

As a matter of official definition, the spectro plates and the specimens are "records," as the definitions I quoted and attached state - regardless of form or physical characteristics.

Also as I stated in the affidavit to which I attached a "pulled" bullet as an exhibit, Gallagher's deposition testimony was not truthful. Guinn did exactly what I said Gallagher should have done with exactly that bullet, the unfired one, I think CE 141. Mark provided the record. (It is important to ask if he has others because I may find uses for ~~some~~ other than he might anticipate.)

Hastily,