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Dear Mr Weisberg:

Thank you for your Sep 19. Enclosed the \$3 balance. I had your first two books several years ago but lost all my gear in a fire and am gradually replacing the important stuff. Let me know when the POST MORTEM is ready.

On the Altgens photo, it seems to me that it stands so well by itself that it should be used as a cutting tactical edge to work toward the strategic objective of informing the public. I am thinking toward ways to accomplish this. I speculate that in each urban area there would be enough interested people to mount an effort with posters, slides, and photos to make the effort, as I outlined in my first letter to you. SOMETHING HAS TO BE DONE! SOMEBODY HAS TO MOVE! Books do not reach enough people. You have to shove it in their faces and rub their noses in it. They do not and will not read, books or anything else except maybe pornography. How about a pornographic approach?

For some years after Dallas I thought the assassination the work of a small group of right wing nuts including Cubans, CIA, and military, minutemen, Etc. But I have come to suspect that the conspiracy has to include practically the whole of the right wing of the Republican Party and some of its southern redneck allies. Otherwise the coverup could not have been so effective. I would say that these people would not accept another period comparable to the FDR years, with 3 Kennedys likely to be in office for 24 years. And the Center has no cards to match theirs. It also seems that control of the executive is necessary for continuing and maintaining the coverup, so you can expect more assassinations if loss of control threatens.

I am going to try to get you clippings etc on the Norman Foster case. I note your inclination to have reservations about it and I am trying to figure how something like this could be dis- or misinformation device. Possibly presenting Oswald as a spook in Mexico important enough to be handling a satchel full of Washington gold would seem so unlikely as to discredit the whole idea of him as agent of any kind.

Keep punching

  
John Haviland

PS: There is local weekly here called Pacific Sun, published in Mill Valley. Indian Valley College teacher named Richard Raznikov has occasional conspiracy articles in it and reviewed your 4 books several months ago, with your address. I was going to send you clippings but can't find the paper. Raznikov had far out story about Watergate as CIA frameup to get Nixon out and Agnew in. Seems one Tom Pappas, Standard Oil-CIA character, offered Nixon campaign fund umpteen millions if Nixon would take Agnew as VP. Nixon eventually recognized source of his troubles as CIA and lowered boom on Agnew.