

JL- Long and pleasant phone conversation with Howard Roffman last night. Some ~~fx~~ of his fellow students at Univ. ~~Fla.~~ Fla. (Gainesville) law school know of WW IV and have been talking but he does not know how they know. He is enjoying it tremendously (law studies) and apparently has earned professorial respect. One asked him how he came to think as he does, to approach problems as he does, saying it as a compliment. Howard paid me a nice compliment on this himself. He now thinks he may specialize to the degree he can in criminal law. He tries to get but can't always a total of three Florida papers a day. He says they are terrible on national news. He saw no story in WWIV in them. His call reminded me that Dick Bernabei was due here. I think his break ends the 18th. I've heard nothing from him. Bernabei is very good on ballistics. His family is in Trenton. He teaches classics at Queen's univ., Kingston, Ontario. Jerry phoned as I was loading up some firewood. He will send the talk-show list. I think we need some library work done, NYTimes and hopefully, Readers' Guide to Periodical Literature, which I haven't seen in years and do not remember clearly. I think we will want to know the years of Harold Hayes' editorship of Esquire and Huie's writing for it in those years. Any candidates? When Hayes left the Times probably had a story. About a year ago. Do you think so? I had just started to read the transcript of the Huie show when Howard called. it was bedtime when we stopped. HW 12/17/74