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Dear Jim,

Thank you very much for taking the time to prepare the new jail layout. I do not know whether Inside the JFK Assassination Industry will bever be published but it is a long record for our history and I'll use that in what I wrote about the La Fontaines and the Post's using that crap. I've still not heard from them or from the book that was due by now and maybe won't appear.

I've just been told that after being sat in for almost two years my NEVER AGAIN! is scheduled now for April. (NEVER AGAIN! in the sense this should never happen to us again.) I think it may change your mind on some of this.

It may interest you to know that two retired FBI SAs have written me that after reading Case Open they now do not believe the official story.

I think it is likely that the Morning News story has been delayed because it was not acceptable and perhaps exceeded the terms of the agreement. Gary Shaw sent me a copy and I made suggestions for omissions and shortening. I've heard nothing from him since. He had promised to send me a copy of it and of what JAMA is to publish.

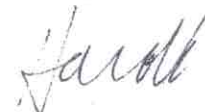
Poor Mary! What a load that woman has carried! and for so very long! It is also surprising that Back is hanging on as he has. Please give them our best.

I suppose she may have some reason for not getting the flu shots but since we began taking them more than 30 years ago neither of us got it. We have both just about recovered from respiratory infections that have been common around here. First time I've been sick in so long I can't remember the last/time. Probably about 20 years. Despite all that is wrong with me and makes me so weak!

We hope you can make it this spring. If you do and if when NEVER AGAIN! is published it does not include the afterword I wrote you may want to read it and if you'd like copy it. Rather long. and what I've also written, Senator Russell Dissents, about 40 pages. He and Cooper refused to agree with the single-bullet theory and were coned into believing that the language that was substituted incorporated their disagreement when it didn't. This no longer rests on Russell's word to me, that is, his disagreement. I now have it from his and Cooper's archives.

Thanks and our best to you all,

Sincerely,



January 13th. 1995

Dear Harold,

Received your letter and as always it was good to hear from you. Hope this finds both of you feeling OK. We had a good trip to Fairfax, but it was such a short trip we did not have time to visit any one. Maybe this spring we will have time to come and visit one day.

Mary and Buck are still not in the best of health, She has been down with the flu for the past two weeks. Oh, by the way I asked her about the Robert Kennedy quote, and she said she had never heard of it. and was not aware any such quote had been made.

I had a better drawing made of the 5th. floor jail and am sending you a copy. I have not seen or heard of the Morning News making any corrections for any thing they may have printed. Unless it came out while we were out of town. Not much going on down here at this time, maybe the interest is dying off somewhat.

Take care of yourselves,

Sincerely,

  
Jim Leavelle