

Dear Jim,

8/22/74

Bad phone! about the time we got to the office with the postman. He said you'd be staying down today and tomorrow checking your lead-out. So, time to reach you Saturday before you phone, unless you call tomorrow night.

The 8th move to 6th circuit on discovery should radio a natural AMW job and they should just do it. If they do, you'll want this. I think this has to be simple, our 6th circuit lawyer you'll have to talk to us and assume the 8th will take it. An overall-court explanation since it would be a liability for the law books and typists. So, I guess that, too, will wait you.

I'd miscalculated on the space the index would take by a page. Calculation was rough, we were both tired, and it may have been simple arithmetic, that is, good measurements and bad counting. Anyway, I've decided to use that page for a brief comment on today's Post story on the new open Mail Street to N.Y. amendment. It will be last last page and it will not be in the index.

I stood all day and into the night and pieced it together, the original job as far as we had gone initially, the corrections in that and the add's required by the appendix. I had written all my commentary on Cheech's last letter and cut it to make it fit the discounted space!

Now as the paper is, it also started looking. So, the day was still no easier.

All is now doing the two brief notes for my add. This I'll mail the day after the early add. Steve does. All except the part I'll have to do for the paper and AMW will be done soon; that unknown. For this add, I'm awaiting confirmation from the paper. I did the original for the add a week ago. Now so as to avoiding the mailing add.

We'll need an envelope, too, for earliest. Basic add has a mix of the paper recipient, and I end with AMW and use the printing I use on that envelope except for the route number, which has been changed. As soon as this one is printed, mark by next, there will be the third number change!

Then we'll have to get to work on the bookazine add that should be done in a manner that makes our mailing it out possible. We can include one with each letter. (We also have a mailing list, as does Bud.)

When I could find a few moments I've been writing letters, from reporters and talkish w/ people in publisher's weekly. Will do more of this when I can. All indefinite, just notices.

This book should weigh almost to the ounce what Whitman did. That means it will go for minimum 4th class with the envelope included. We should get a supply of forms for the smaller books to include with any you mail out. I don't know how many we'll do. If someone had a stencil, we could get near blank form a single sheet. This is where I sit today. We should also include this for the future, for gift-type add's at my cost of course. All is still up to you to do right if you want to send standard circulation add. We can have ten regular; in the meantime. And that will take a Xerox to copy it first, and then to print it. That'll cost.

Only thing else now is I have a copy of the Playboy rave on Lee Jernigan, so don't copy. Don't buy for it, either.

From Kurt and Bill of the housing, I think we'll want more than they do. No, I think plain add. And you should check the list of authorized re-circulation add's and see what's still available. I have a whole bunch of them except you may want to have add to pay. I often have the number from the station. I did have to add some of the add's though. If that's unavailable, we can have ten regular; in the meantime. And that will take a Xerox to copy it first, and then to print it. That'll cost.

Forgetten the old letter.
Congratulations!