

7/17/67

Dear Sylvia,

I have to go to Phila 7/26 for, of all things, an appointment with a New Orleans lawyer. By the strange geography of modern transportation, although we are but 40 miles from the Baltimore airport, where I could have met him, it will take me but an hour longer to get to Philadelphia.

So, I'll be on Jack McKinney's show that night.

I've also asked "fairness doctrine" time of the Ed Harvey Show, daytime on the same station, to answer Roberts. Because this is so close, they can easily say they are booked, as indeed they might be. Or that they do not follow another local show, as is often the case. But I have asked, and I'd like to know of anyplace of which you know that Roberts has appeared so I can make the same demand. I've sent you my correspondence with CBS. Now I want to needle them about it.

I'll call Vince from Phila and invite him there. Last time he was quite tired and could not stay. We spoke for perhaps two minutes.

If you do not get the N.O. papers I can make a copy of the Kuchel story and another on the conviction for contempt of Cancellor. By the way, I had his story the afternoon of 4/28 from three local newsmen none of whom would use it because he refused to swear to it. They were given it by one of the lawyers for the other side, a pretty open revelation of its source and inspiration. I suppose they'll not be coming through for a while.

Spoke to Penn the other morning--got him out of bed, believe it or not, to get him to try and get me the Lovelsdy address. Jones and Dick have found a picture Dick tells me is within 10 minutes of the assassination with her Billy in just the shirt she described to me! They have no listed phone and I stupidly did not ask the calling number when she phoned me reverse. I'll have to wait for the bill before I can call her. Thanks for calling Billings, for I could not get through to him until just about the minute Willis walked in. This happened while we were talking. I have told him about his new Lovelsdy development and they will seek to get the shirt and/or a picture of him in it from her. They can do and can afford to do what we cannot. They are already doing other things along this line.

I'm working on the appendix of the New Orleans book. I've heard nothing from Arallex about it and have written and asked. It is already well over 200 pages of documents and may be only half done. I'll complete the pasting up by the end of the week and will know, I hope. The remains of WHITEWASH III make more than 300 pp of appendix and I think I'll make a separate book of the autopsy and related parts, tentatively entitled DUBIOUS INQUEST: KENNEDY AUTOPSY WHITEWASH. I have some new and pretty hot things for it. Time-where will it come from? And I'd started and laid aside a reply to AP. I've challenged them in writing and could not even get an allegation they were accurate from them. As soon as my new photocopy machine arrives (a new second-hand one, that is) I'll start making some visuals, their writing vs the text of the testimony. I found my copy of the Doyle report and I'll use that, too. I've actually been thinking of a pamphlet on the coordinated schmeer, of just this sort. Back to work,  
best regards,