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Dear Mr. Aronson,

Thanks for your prompt reply and the references. I shall not be able to use them now. There just isn't time. Because this will arrive in your absence, I hope someone will open and read it. I want to remind you that you that what I said of the content of my forthcoming book was for you information only. I do want to prevent any inadvertent use of it.

I am satisfied for the officially-inspired skepticism to continue. I have just finished writing about that. The truth just hasn't dawned because there is no analysis. I'd rather have it come out in a meaningful context.

I will call when I get to New York, but at that time I will have completed the book. I then hope to get it out of my mind to finish the next one, already begun and laid aside for this, and to then get back on WHITEWASH III, which I think will be unusually important.

It will answer many questions and in its own way will address what I so much fear, the potential of a Reichstag-fire situation in the awful mess.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg

P.S. The brother of the Canadian this past week told a reporter friend that his brother was not a banker but a lawyer and had not been in OSS.

James Aronson, editor

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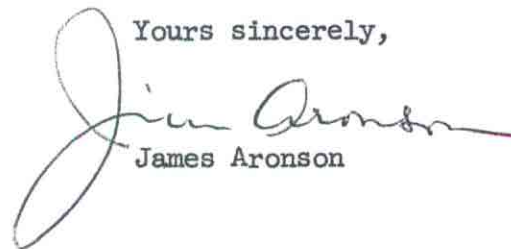
Dear Mr. Weisberg:

This will acknowledge your letter of March 18 with its fascinating comments. I will do my best to help you, although I will be away from the office between March 24 and April 3. We plan a follow-up story and your letter will be useful for guidance.

It is amazing how many people remain skeptical of the New Orleans business in spite of everything that has happened. I am sure you noted Shaw's going into the hospital. I would suggest you write directly to Phyllis Rosner, Via dei Giornalisti 55, Rome, Italy, saying that I gave you her address and also to Gianfranco Corsini, Paese Sera, via dei Taurini 19, Rome, Italy. He is an old friend.

We don't have much material on a lot of the people you mention, but our library files may yield certain information in some of your categories. When you come to New York, please do call. It might be useful for you to spend a day or part of a day with our librarian.

Yours sincerely,



James Aronson