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Mr. Peter Ailes  
The New York "Times"  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Pete,

Having heard nothing from you, I presume Harrison Salisbury does not want to read the manuscript of COUP D'ETAT, hence I haven't sent it.

I understand you did much of the Times coverage on the Malcolm X murder. I would very much appreciate copies of the stories, if it is possible. I might want to be able to use a few excerpts. I would, whether or not this is so, want them for the completeness of my files.

In a week I leave for three, speaking and working on the west coast and working in New Orleans.

Thanks for anything you can do.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg