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Dear Al,

Thanks, and thanks for the SAS, too.

Do I know that Newman! Though we never met.

He blocked 1965 publication of Whitewash by a false, prejudiced and inaccurate "peer" review of it.

He was then a former Newsweek correspondent, known to someone at that publishing house. He did not disclose to her that he was ^writing a book of his own.

That book is based upon the utterly incredible crap, that the cheap radio Oswald brought back from the USSR was his means of getting messages from ~~USSR~~ Cuba worked into regular radio entertainment or news broadcasts from there!

The cheapest of the commercial radios in the US were adequate for that because Cuba beamed high-powered broadcasts to the whole eastern part and across the south.

More, that radio he brought back, according to the FBI, did not work anyway!

I do not recall noticing that the dust jacket said nothing about him. I have the book somewhere or gave it to Dave Wrona.

It is awful right-wing sickness. Based as are most, on preconceptions, his including the political.

Thanks and best,

Harold