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Mr. Don Stanley, Editor
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Dear Don Stanley,

My wife and I agree that of all that has been written about any of my work over these many years nobody has understood it as well and conveyed it as faithfully, understandably and attractively as James D. White in the Sun's current Quarterly.

We can't think of anything as nice to come-home-from-the-doctor to, as we both did.

I'm more than merely pleased that in today's heavy mail I was most curious about your return address on the envelope. (Your competitor for my interest was a semi-capitulation by the CIA in one of my instances for release of the suppressed.)

It is particularly gratifying because Mr. White did not impose any concepts of his own. He conveyed to your readers what an enormous amount of work convinced me is fact. Too, often reviewers tend to impose their own, often ill-informed and paralytic beliefs, on the writings of others. In this field in particular.

We are happy to express our appreciation and respect to you both.

Most of the writing on this and related subjects rips off people's minds.

There is what for all practical purposes is a new book I commend to you and if he willing Mr. White.

Fairleigh Dickinson University Press did nothing with Howard Roffman's really fine Presumed Guilty. They didn't print enough copies to break even and just never got around to filling mail orders.

A.S. Barnes has come out with a hardback reprint. It is in its second printing despite virtually total indifference from the major media of all forms.

The book and Howard are this good: nobody can read it and dream he wrote it when he was in high school. (He's finished his second year at the University of Florida law school.) And Arlen Specter, formerly Philadelphia's District Attorney and more recently candidate for Senator from Pennsylvania, feared to debate him when invited to the Princeton Institute for Advanced Studies.

For whatever my opinion is worth to you, aside from the Vintage reprint of Sylvia Heagher's Accessories After the Fact it is the only other work I can honestly commend to you.

Again our thanks.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg

P.S. If you receive any mail on this review, the post office has renumbered us for the third time. We are now Route 12. We haven't moved but it will expedite mail to use the new number.