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Harold,

Just a quick note to set your mind at ease on Mr. Pearl, who turns out to be quite real and semi-notable. (The other Jack Pearl is the comedian from far before my time "Vas you dere, Sharley?")

Jack Pearl/ Jacques Bain Pearl, bn. Sept. 12, 1923, lives at 915 Iris Dr. North hellmore, M.Y. agent is Scott Meredith, 580 5th Av. New York 10036. Served in army in WW II in Africa, Sicily and Italy doesn't say in what capacity. Wrote the old Gangbusters TV show. Between 1961-64 wrote a series of novels, bios and non-fiction, mostly military including "Blood and Guts." and "Dangerous Assassins (Monarch) 1964. He also wrote the quickie paperbacks from the movie scripts of Yellow Rolls, Royce/Our Man Flint/ Robin and 7 Hoods and funny Girl.

Have a brief letter from Rife telling me thanks and he is working on a report on his cases for me.

All the Pearl stuff is from Contemp/authors..P. 872 vol 5-8.

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Let 4: Mad to see the real Jack Pearl Stand . I'm an ingoramus about the more cultural aspects of medern US society as Yellow Rolls Royce, Our Mant Fling, Robin and 7 Hoods and Funny Girl. The one name that came to mind is that of what the Norh Vietnamese would not call a comedian, assuming there is one of that name. Thanks to you and Comtepm. Authors. However, the general comment about the story, discounting other such coincidences, remains and I think there are some provocative , aspects. We don't know who he knows, for example, tho may have given him idea... I do remember "Vas you dere, Sharlie" and almost puked when I heard people laugh at it. My stomach was a youth was more delicate than my present reputation might indicate.... Our Rife letters crossed, as you now know ... The State delayed and lied about when it responded to JER petition, 'in got a copy for the first time yesterday (somee is ludicrous, some confirms while pretending otherwise, and the while thing seems crazy in that in arguing it establishes thatethere are facts in dispute and would seen to be validating out asserting that an evidentiary hearing is necessary. Jim is bussing a copy to me that I'll get tonight by going to Greyhound and we'll get tageth together here tomorrow p,m. What may interest you is several in-jail killings in "ashville jail, where jame; James is only prisoner in administrative confinement. "e had been fighting to get out of it, despite my heavy leaning other way, and now he won't even leave the cell to see his local lawyer, according to what that gent told Bud who told Jim who told me. ... Not paranoia. I couldn't get him to consider his position and be careful and he insisted on being in general population when I warned against. You know, he even found Cleaver unpersuasive. Our water code on this was sould on ice, no caps. He got it quick when first I used ... Thabks for fine Bunt clips, and you need not apologize for cracks vs Chi Toady, which rather than being stupid seems to have been crooked in its uncritical theft! I've read. Helpful. I've other stuff unread from another source. if of value, will include. Thanks, H" 1/9/73