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Dear Jerry,

We got your pretty card, but frankly, we didn't think you'd have time for even that little writing. Don't know that even at 58 I would have found it with so few days.

I have been accumulating things I thought might interest you. Perhaps I have overlooked some, but if I have you know your way through my files well enough to check when you are here again.

One development I regard as ~~important~~ important is not reflected in any of these enclosures. It will have to await your presence.

I was in DC several days ago, intended to call Paul and find out how Peg is, got busy, had several stops to make, forgot, so when you speak to them, as I presume you will soon, give them our best wishes and my assurance that I do look forward to a brass, just so long as I do not again have to do the holding. Once is too much, you lucky boy! But once you should do it! In my case, too, it was a nephew.

There is nothing new between me and O&D except that I have asked them for the balance of the advance. They have had time to respond and haven't, which is par, no worse-yet. And I do need it, as I wish they did were it not that they owe me \$88888.

As soon as I can clear my desk, I must return to rush writing that you will be able to read when you are here. If you find time, you might read both parts of PII, which you do have.

When you come, Robert may have a few microphones for tape recorders he was going to have different plugs attached to. I'd appreciate it if you bring them. I've heard nothing from him. I did, also, approach UPI in DC, which is as much as I can do until I get to NYC.

You'll be on some cloud for days after your return, so we'll understand.

Best,