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Mr. Tom Alyea P.O. Box 4266 Tulsa, OK 74159 Dear Mr. Elyea,

It is both a surprise and a disappointment that you have not responded to my letter of about six weeks ago or made a print of the picture I requested available.

As you know, I asked for that picture for a book and as you know, ifter are no theories in my books. I want to present an actuality of an important detail in an important part of our history and you are exercising the right to suppress that.

I'm disappointed that you take this position, and I'm surprised that anyone who considers himself a journalist would.

I'm sorely tempted to include a footnote on the substitute I'll be forced to use along with the description given me of the one you can supply and the statement that you refused to do that.

This attitude toward out history comes with poor grace, I think, from one who had so little regard for it he did nothing to prevent the destruction of most of the was it five reels of film you and you alone were able to take at the scene of the crime, and as a result atl of that was just thrown away.

Regretfully,

Harold Weisberg

I do not think you have forgotten, but if you have, my interest is in a picture showing the rifle as it was found.