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Dear Howard,

Your 7/20 read several hours ago. Very interesting, valuable, but I'm rushed on other things, will again have to lay TIGER aside for reasons that will become clear, so I ask that when you get the bound Pentagon Papers (I now have), as you should if only for later convenience, being so much easier to handle than all that newsprint, you provide citations by p. nos to these things. If you hadn't considered, I suggest that any markings you have on news stories you transfer to book, and later, when you write, use news stories, cut up, instead of retyping. This can save you an enormous amount of time, much more than two copies of the book, for example, and the book can be handled so much ~~is~~ faster at any time.

I do not disagree with any of your interpretations, and your reminders, as where I have the O'Donnell quote, will be quite timesaving.

A friend is supposed to have saved the "initor stories ~~28xxxx~~ for me but I haven't heard from him or gotten them.

I'll be filing this somewhere in TIGER material, probably with the folder containing what I had written when I had to stop. Thanks and best, HW

Lil's progress is slow but encouraging, and her discomfort varies pretty much with her activity.