

11/26/72 Howard, Burning up the books, I take it. Good. That's what they are for. Your silence I attribute less to being busy, which I assume, than enjoying it, also an assumption, which should keep you even busier...A triviality on Cyril; in several recently-obtained stories there is an emphasis on his belief that had it been left to Marshall he'd have seen nothing, but these fine people who have been helping him leaned on Marshall. A Mrs. Tomerance is one (richbitch) and we know Ned bragged about it. However, we also know that before Lattimer saw anything it was certain that at some point Marshall would use other, Cyril then seeming certain. Which makes the emphasis more interesting, if it is nothing but typical Cyril, more so if it is not...Graham left the Times, is with CBS...My real purpose in this short, before bed note is to ask your Xmas plans. I think you said you'd like to come then. Fine. We have none for going anywhere...Nothing new worth reporting. Ray habeas corpus papers being retyped prior to filing. After that, a batch of his papers are to be turned over. Lesar and I will go over them, making notes. I expect we'll both be out of it then. I expect to be and he gives every indication of the same. We've been had and we've had it. Best, HW