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Mr. Paul Rothermel
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Dear Paul,

In the course of going over some of my files I noticed several of the "working papers", staff memos and things like that, as distinguished from investigative reports, etc., that perhaps you might be interested in.

These are poor copies, but they are better than the originals. I have overexposed them to make them more legible in copying them for you.

I added the marks in the margin on my original.

The October 7, 1964 memo is from the file identified by the Commission as "PC 1". That of 9/16/64 is from "REF 1".

It may interest you to know that these questions were being raised but five days before the presses rolled!

I must confess mystification over the Interior Department consultation with the Warren Commission "for advice and preparation of the merger report on the subject of the oil and gas industry in the United States."

On the subject of the arrests and the pictures, it is certain that there were arrests and that the names were recorded. The proof exists in the sheriff's files, printed by the Commission. The Commission files do not disclose the name, but they do disclose the displeasure of several lawyers that this was not duly reported.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg