HUNT OIL COMPANY 1401 ELM DALLAS, TEXAS 75202

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Mr. Harold Weisberg Coq d'Or Press Route 8 Frederick, Maryland 21701

Dear Harold:

I have recommended Bob Castorr to Mr. Hunt for his Washington representative. We do need someone, and I think he would be excellent for the job.

You mentioned Mary Farrell and Arch Kimbrough, and like you, I had never heard of them beofre. I have been so busy with personal matters that I have not taken much time to pursue the assassination. I have talked with a Mr. Peter Noyes, with CBS in Los Angeles. He is from our conversation competent and dedicated. At first, he was following through on Braden, whose real name is Eugene Bradley, but now he has backed off, saying that he talked with Intelligence in Los Angeles, and found them to be so knowledgeable about Braden that he doesn't think Braden is connected in any way.

He still invited me out to inspect his files, and I shall take mine when I go. $\,$

Paul M. Rothermel, Jr.

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Hear Faul.

Thenks for your letter of 8/8 and the mailing I got yesterday.

You didn't bree about how meny cots one got!

If Noyes is the man of whom Bud Feneterweld has spoken to no, he also has a high opinion of him. I know he spoke of a TPF Los Angeles man.

I have done nothing on the Bradley angle and, frankly, never believed it.

I have just completed the rough draft of my writing on the Ring case and the Ray trial. What Foremen did is beyond belief. What do yo people think of him? He should be brought to book, and I think it not impossible.

Fact is, that whole thing is simply incredible. It just doesn't seem possible so many wrong things could be done by so very many people. I don't think Rey is the marderer, and the evidence presented to consict him is shough to eccuit.

Excuse the haste.

Best regards,

Herold Weisberg