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Dear Harold,

Enclosed is a tape of Lane on the Roy Fox show last night (6-6-77). I had my mother call to try to lead him into a discussion of Jim. She did get him to make some remarks but I don't know if they will be useful to you. He also made some comments about "some guy named Weisberg." I'm still far behind in filing my clippings - those enclosed are the most recent, the ones from the top of the pile. As I wade through the rest I'll send them.

Anything new RE: Zebra Books interest in your King book? I see they've just come out with Fensterwald's book.

Re: Homestead politics. We didn't do too bad in the election. Our candidate for tax collector won as did one of our candidates for council. We were really happy about the council victory because the woman who won had run 3 times before - she is very outspoken about Homestead corruption. Her son, who lost in his bid for controller by only 11 votes, just graduated from law school last week & he & his mother have caused a lot of trouble for the local machine. All in all, our ticket did very well. We really weren't organized until about 2 weeks before the election & almost everyone was running for their first time. We have a good group of dedicated people now & we're already meeting to plan strategy for November. Under a recent Supreme Court ruling, people who did not run in

The primary can still get on the November ballot, so we're expecting the "machine" to run some candidates against our people who won in the primary. We got away this time with just a few fist fights & a lot of harassment, but we're expecting more dirty tricks as November gets closer. We really scared them this time - they're not accustomed to losing or to having to work to get reelected. It cost them a lot more this time to buy votes & we know it hurt. Now that we're organized, we'll just keep pounding away at them. I'm going to be running for committeewoman, possibly for council if the present councilman from my district ~~as~~ resigns ^{as} he is supposed to be thinking of doing.

Things are still very busy at work. We've been working overtime trying to get the Addendum to the Cross-Complaint together. We're supposed to have it finished next week & there's still a lot to do. I have a lot I'd like to tell you about what I'm doing at work - I really feel I'm learning a lot. If ever things ease up a bit in the near future I'm going to take a drive down.

Take care & say hi to Lil.

Best,
Karen