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Dear Mr. Bayliss,

Thanks for your letter of the 2d.

I'll send the book special handling to speed it up.

My present concern is not that the phoney story come apart. I believe that is inevitable.

I see two questions,

when and
how.

Of these I regard the second as more important. There can be still more whitewashing and covering up.

An enormous amount of what is now being said and written is false.

This deceives people and is counter-productive.

So, I am always anxious for publications to update the dependable, to forget the undependable, and not to be subject to the charge that what is printed is old stuff.

Most often there is nothing wrong with this old stuff. But somehow, especially when there is an unwillingness to believe, it is an effective argument.

Warren always said he had seen nothing new. He also saw to it that nothing reached him. I, for example, tried after one of those speeches.

But the truth is he'd seen too much in the old.

I do hope your stories are helpful.

Best wishes,

Harold Weisberg

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Dear Mr. Weisburg:

Thank you for your informative words over the telephone the other day on the Kennedy Assassination research.

Meanwhile, I have been in contact with other interested parties around the country and, to a man, they spoke most highly and appreciatively of your Trojan work.

Could you send a copy of your Whitewash IV to me at POST and bill us for all expenses involved? I am anxious to find out your conclusions in more detail.

With my regards,



John Bayliss

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