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Dear Gary,

For some reason, since Dallas my sleep hasn't been as good. I've forced myself to stay abed most mornings, but this morning it seemed futile. So, rather early, I drafted the new final chapter for the panel part of POST MORTEM. Here is the uncorrected page on which I refer to what Jaffe told you. It is the center paragraph. You will not that it avoids making any identification.

The preceding paragraph, which introduces it, also contains a reference that masks identification.

I don't think I ever told you, and I didn't remember it until I got the file out to summarize the small part I decided to use, but Fisher made a number of references to his work with frozen cadavers - after the report was completed and submitted.

From what I have from several people he must have had an enormous correspondence after the report was released. Considering the few number of copies distributed, I think this may be exceptional.

This chapter is only about 4,000 words.

It builds to what Fisher admitted to me, that he, personally, destroyed all copies of the report earlier than the agreed-to, final version. Tentative title is "More Pyromania", allusion to the burning by Humes, which is referred to. You have copies of this correspondence.

I don't go into Eardley until I use Fisher's use of his name, which further masks both Jaffes. Then I refer to the final chapter of Frame-Up on Eardley, which continues this effect.

Having just glanced at what I've written, I also note that I do not say the source of the source cited and not named is DJ. I hope you will agree that it is not possible to finger Jaffe the younger. There were too many involved, and he and I have never, ever, had any intercourse.

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