George Lardner, Newsroom Washington Post 1150 15 St., Nw Washington, D.C. 20071 Dear George.

Thanks for the uncorrected proofs copy of Mangold's book but like you I'd gotten the indexed and hardback copy.

But I am mystified by your also sending me the Warren Commission's 1/21/64 executive session transcript.

I published it in 1974. Of course if it is a copy from my file of those transcripts that you got without my knowing it, then thanks. But I am inclined to believe that it is your copy and if you'd like me to return it, I'll be glad to. I'll not take it to the basement to file until after I've had time to hear from you because I am having more difficulty moving around. Tentative diagnosis, sciatica and a bit uncomfortable.

Dave Snyder did phone. He is to call back today. He had something else to do. His and another call from a west-coast TV: man I did not know when he was in D.C. remind me again that I do need the return of the non-FOIA records you said you'd return.

I repeat, I made the copies of the POIA records for you, to keep. Of course if you do not want or need them I can have them as extra copies for someone else. but I did not ask for their return.

I particularly need the annotated copy of Garrison's book to be able to respond to questions about it. Snyder and this other fellow asked me questions and I had no recollection of what they referred to.

I've also gotten a copy of Elaine Dutka's LaTimes Stone story in which she indicates she spoke to you. If you do not have a copy and want it I'll send you a copy.

Please do get these things back to me. - need them.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg