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Dear George,

I'm at a loss to understand the delay. I've been asked about the Garrison book three times this past week and I no longer have a clear recollection of it. I'd like to have it and at the least the Sciambra memo as soon as possible.

As you know, I have no copy of the book. The one you have is Dave Wrone's that I annotated for him.

I've read Mangold's book through the first Nosenko chapter. I'm also annotating it.

It may interest you to compare what it says in the notes rather than the text about whether or not the KGB suspected Oswald was a sleeper agent with what is said about those identical FBI reports in the first if not still the only previous book to draw upon them. and as I recall other things Mangold does not refer to.

I used up what would have been four blank pages at the end of Post Mortem.

If I did not include a citation to what the Commission had about Oswald's politics and avoided mentioning in its report, you can find it through the index to my first book. It quotes and cites his writings.

As I recall those FBI reports Mangold cites to the HSCA when I got them years earlier at the Archives included a bit of that. Mangold didn't.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg

