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Dear Russ,

From the time I saw you my pace has been rough. I've not quite finished the very interesting reading matter. But, as the devil who loves scripture, I find several quite interesting things in it. I love it when the cops on the other side get before a friendly mike and just talk.

I would very much like to read more, if it is available, and any other things that relate to the parties of interest, for there is worthwhile reading there also.

The name of the woman who phoned me is not the same as that you dealt with. Also, she is otherwise employed.

Who owns WFLD-TV? I find their bias interesting, as I do the fact that they arranged for Gurvich's "lie-detector" test.

A radical right name Vallee was arrested in Chicago 11/2/63, charged with planning to kill JFK when he was there. There seems to have been nothing in the papers until 12/3, when it was reported. Now this is interesting for a number of reasons: the blotter is public and the policereporters usually check it. If they were asked to say nothing, I can understand that. But their silence, if they know of it, cannot be explained after 12:30 p.m. 11/22/63. At that moment it became the hottest kind of news, yet nothing appeared until 12/3. This indicates that someone with the power was holding it back and then decided to make it available. Who and why interest me. I am also interested in knowing if Vallee had any other connections when his former one with the Birchers. It would seem to me that he found them too tame. Of the groups that I may have reason to believe may have been involved in plans to kill the President, there are two of this political coloration (possibly more): the "Minutemen" and the National States Rights Party. Is either active in Chicago-area activity? Is there any way of checking to see if Vallee had any such connections. Did anything like this come up in the police scandal. I wish now that I had the news stories of that affair, if you recall it: the "Minutemen" call within the police department, aimed to the teeth. In this connection there is another group, I believe now limited to California, that is of interest. They call themselves the Rangers. They are more extreme than the "Minutemen."

Spoke to a few people in California about Cedro.

Excuse rush. In addition to all the other things that keep me busy, I'm also the housewife and the shipping department. My wife tore all the ligaments in her left ankle and has that leg in a cast. If you find out where Paul is and what he is doing, please let me know.

Sincerely,