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Dear busy both,

There is a little news. We'll file the first of the planned suits, the one I told you about, in about two weeks. Plan a press conference for it. Whether or not it will be covered is another matter, and reported if covered still another.

One trial, and hopes.

Meanwhile, something I'd prefer not to go into detail about, but perhaps you'll understand when I tell you that the brother of a man I have been in touch with is going to consider a change in counsel, to a friend of mine and on my recommendation. They'll size each other up next week.

And then we'll see.

Just heard of Shaw's suit against Garrison et al on the ABC news.

And with it the reassuring knowledge that the Army's precautions are so close to perfect 1,000 people have been exposed to deadly nerve gas for 17 years without detection.

I'll think about the Shaw suit when I go to bed in a few minutes. But I wonder about the timing, before Garrison is to try him for perjury. I can prove perjury with which he is not charged. But that is one I'll not be mixed up in. I'm in too much now.

One of the truly ridiculous aspects of the Shaw action is his going after Garrison's financial backers, I presume on the theory they provided the funds he used against Shaw. There was no expenditure of money on Shaw. He never did any real investigating. And none of which I know on Shaw. Kafka, where are you now that we need you so much!

Best,