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Dear Cindy,

Your breezy letters of the 17th and 25th arrived. I enjoyed reading them, but haven't had time to answer. In the past month I've begun to feel the toll of the unrelenting years, the kind of life it has compelled, and I've had to slow down some. When nature gives notice we must heed. I'm trying to.

Thanks for the dope on the lawyers. It is enough for my immediate needs...The National Enquirer is as you describe, but on this subject it has generally, been more responsible than the respected journals. I have a friend on its staff. He is their expert in this field, and an Englishman. But I doubt very much that Ray has been speaking to the FBI. Hanes, Ray's first and racist lawyer, started the business of a Judas in King's camp. I also do not credit that.

Unless you prefer, why not stop "mistering" me?

Your excitement over your speech is justified. I am well aware of the problem of trying to say much on so enormous and complex a subject in 20 minutes! Writing about your speech is not silly. I'm glad you did both, make the speech and write about it. The concept of their people making their will known through elected representatives is excellent. The problem is the influences on these representatives who inevitably are so beholden to the few who finance them they are not, on too many issues, heed the popular voice. As, over the years, people have come to understand it and become possessed by futility, meanwhile the comforts of their lives proliferating, they have added complacency to the feeling of futility and increasingly fail to communicate. The alternatives we have are few and most unpleasant to consider. So, I think the essential responsibility of each concerned citizen remains first, to inform himself and then to seek to inform his fellows. It is much more difficult to accomplish an immediate result than ever before by writing legislators, but it remains a necessity, and it is a social, political and moral necessity to inform our fellow men. The day may come when enough of them will be impelled to do something or make a decision that can serve a purpose. Until then, they should know the facts anyway, should be motivated to look and learn for themselves. So, your speech, aside from a school function, is an exercise of democratic responsibilities not quite as common as I'd like it to be. My thanks for it.

The "addition" to the book is now about twice the length of the usual book of today and, while nearing completion, is not finished. I wish I could forecast publication. But it is my obligation to complete it and the work it encompasses. I do hope it will be possible for it to be published, for I cannot print it myself. We have gone too deeply in debt already. I think it a thorough and comprehensive work and important, but I cannot estimate how well I have done for I've not read a word of it and will not until all is on paper. When it is done I'll return to the other work already started and partly written, several other books. Meanwhile, I continue to accumulate information.

Keep your bright eyes and sharp mind open and let me know of anything you note that could be interesting. If I do not respond promptly, it is the pressure of time.

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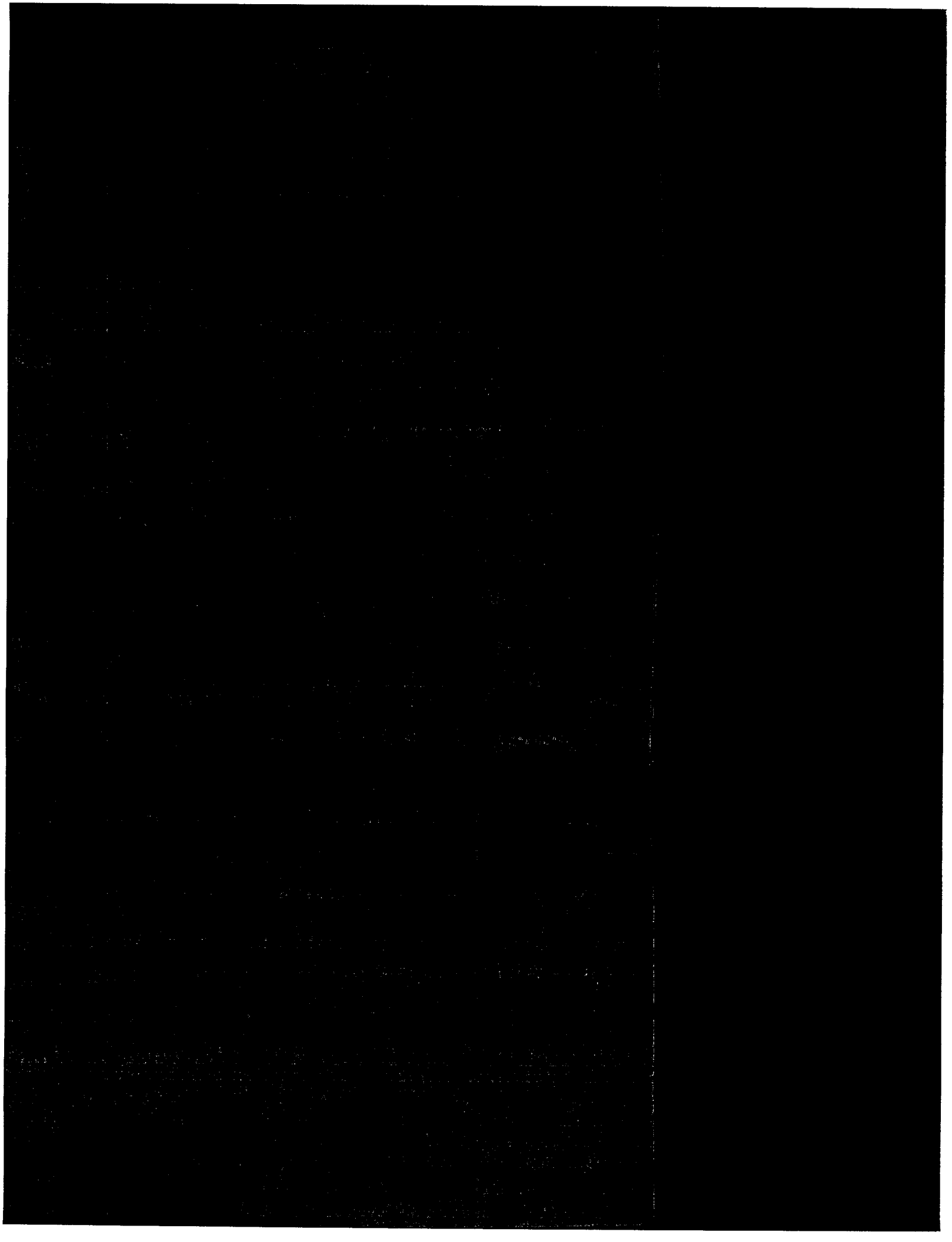
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It's probably a silly thing to write of but really, I was so thrilled by the result.

Love
Andy

Paul
Lester
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July 25, 1969

Friday

London, England

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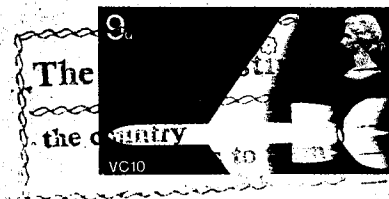
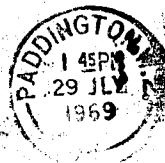
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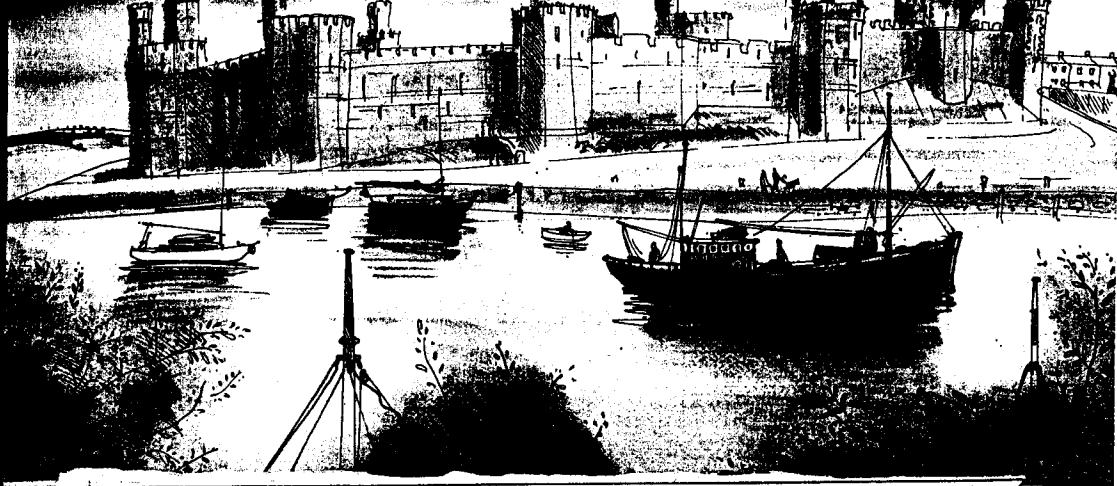
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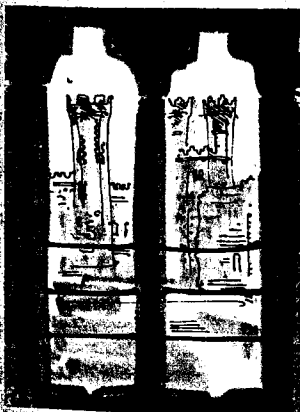
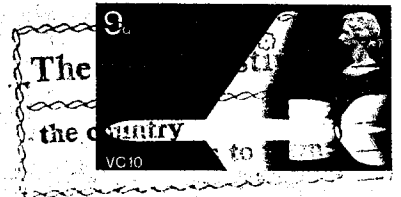
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Mr. Harold Weisberg
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July 17th, 1969

Thursday

London, England

Dear Mr. Weisberg -

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in the telephone book and I'm pretty sure
of Calcutt and Roger Frisby's addresses
because they alluded to law but under Maw
there were just several of them listed.

Here are the ones I got though. names

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I read John Pilger's column quite frequently. It's very good — too good for the paper he

writes for.

That's fine about not identifying me. The more I read the more I realize how things really are. It's a bit disillusioning to say the least. Do let me know ^{when} the book comes out. I'd like to read it. The whole business seemed to be so hushed up I'd like to know what was really going on.

If I can do anything else, you only have to ask. I'd be more than willing.

My best to you

Cindy

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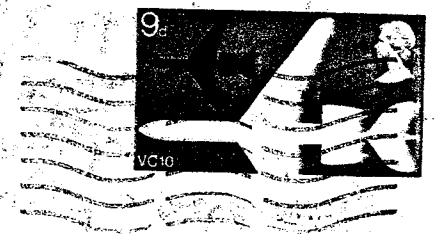
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