Rt. 8, Frederick, Md. 21701 1/3/74

Dear Mr. Gardner,

As one who uses a magnifying glass regularly to be able to read smaller type, I can appreciate your feeling. However, there is and has been no practical alternative except not bringing the books out.

With all the economies forced upon us, we have gone deep into debt to do this work. When I dared not again extend my debt my colleague borrowed the money from the bank to pay the printer only. The other expenses and costs were considerable. And, of course, this work is without subsidy, without any income.

What it boils down to for those of us who have impaired vision is do we want access to information that can't be available any other way. If we want the information, we read more slowly, less at a time, and learn what we can.

Each page has twice as many words as the regular book page. Otherwise the book would cost twice as much and have to sell for twice as much. However, in this case, with much of the book facsimile reproduction - 90 pages of a once TOP SECRET transcriptmost is a bit larger. There are about 30 pages like in the first book. The printing on them is much blacker but the same size.

I wish it could be otherwise. For me, too.

I'm sorry,

Harold Weisberg

Baltimore Md. 1 Jan 1975

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Refering to the "Whitewash" and other books listed in the flyer received, priced from \$5-2" to \$10.50, are these books paper back, and are they offset printed to like the first "Whitewash" I purchased and was so hard to each I never finished reading it.

Can they be viewed at any Baltimore book store? I hesitate to put out this kind of money and have another "Whitewash I" experience.

Cordially
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