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Dear Ed,

Thanks for the Honor review. All I know is what I heard from JR, that there is something in it on the FBI and dirty doing I should read. I think he said some of this was in Esquire, too. I'll read it later.

Unfortunately, I know Turner's "work" well enough to be willing to believe SCS counsel gave such advice and that it was justified. I know it can be a copout, but I also know Bill and I would take a word he says without independent checking. In fact, the first thing I'd wonder is where he stole it.

Sprague is in the death and taxes class. There is a dubbyk in him that keeps him from being right when that is easier. Most of the suppressed stuff he wrote about isn't.

The quote from Scott is interesting, but unless I've forgotten most of the detail, is more like despite the top-level ~~xxxx~~ Honolulu meeting. I have given most of those files to a young fellow who will use them well. I'll lend him this and see what he says.

There is little prospect on PI now and none with the guy who had such lofty, unselfish purposes, about which I'd rather say nothing. I've about worked my way out of that disappointment, but the waste of time was great. So, I'm continuing doing what I started with it. I'll be posting the corrections in the event I am visited by an angel. Few find their ways here, and none of them are ever rich! Fact is I don't think that a rich person has ever done anything to help me, except one guy I suspect is loaded who supplied me with minor quantities of paper, free. Nothing to what he got from me. And with this last guy, we even got stuck for his food when we are broke.

Jerry is quite taken by Talese's book on the Times. I did an interview with him that got him (free) on 350 radio stations when that came out. He was supposed to send me one, but he didn't.

Thanks and best,

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Dear Harold,

Enclosed is a review of Honor. A biting and tirade work. Hardly an expose of "The F.B.I." as N.R. thought.

Turner's Power On The Right is being distributed by Nash after Simon and Schuster refused on the (alleged) advice of legal.

Bishop's book received a loud - silence.

Syrague's articles fall below the level at which criticism or even dialogue is possible as per the Jim Hicks carnival among countless examples.

This quotation is very interesting.

Enclose 42 of Canal A.
Hope you can work out something on P.M.

Best Wishes,
