

Dear Paul,

10/15/77

Just because I receive the kind of nice help with your note of the 9th I'm not getting Wasteful. The reverse is a copy of an exhibit that was off center. It is for the affidavit in the Pratt case that has kept me busy for a week. Lil is retyping it now. Deadline is on us. Jim needs it day after tomorrow in the morning and this is a weekend.

I was disappointed at not getting out there, too. But the way it turned out good thing! The load here was great.

As soon as I could I drafted the affidavit and sent it out on the chance of agreement. I've heard nothing. There was no choice. It was not in today's mail so it can't be attached to this filing. Being able to be here and (successfully) battle the FBI on a large other matter was at least as important and having that behind me was important for some concentration on this long affidavit.

Thanks for the clips. They are what I'd not seen. I'll lead them, as usual, on breaks after the affidavit is executed. So then I'm catching up on mail. Beginning with many thanks to you for this assist with all these costs.

The shift in your job at least give you more civilized hours.

I'll never be able to drive long distances again. It has been a very long time since I've driven farther than into Frederick. I can ride fairly well, as long as the legs are not down. And can walk periodically.

It was a small collage but an appreciable percentage of the student body was at the speech. Everyone was surprised because it was during class time and even during part of normal student lunch hour. It began at 1. The reception was excellent. While the long day did tire me some it was not from you waking me up. There were close calls on plane connections and I had to go from one end of the large terminal to the very extreme of the other end, with a heavy attache case and all the clothing I could have needed for a week.

After some cold rain and plain cold and wind this is a nice sunny day so the next thing is a walk. I had one earlier and it felt good. We are dog-sitting so I have company.

And a Canadian TV team is due sometime today. It is nearing suppertime. Once again our sincere thanks.

Best,

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Dear Harold;

I am very disappointed that the timing worked out the way it did. I am really looking forward to you coming out here. It happened to be the worst possible time for me and would have left you more or less high and dry, as I said to you on the phone. Also, as if worked out, Art Kevin didn't get back into town until Wednesday. All in all I still feel it would have been a great waste of time for you. As it happens I have been given a different job which does not call for me being on the set all the time when we are shooting, as was the case last week. In this new job I have a little more lee way and had I had it when you were coming out it would have been a different story. Art also felt very badly about being out of town at the time. I know it will work out to be better all around one day soon.

I am sorry that the important matter of the affidavit had to be delayed. Is there anything I can do to help? If the party is in Los Angeles I might be able to obtain it for you.

In the meantime I hope you had a successful time at the college. If made the trip there and back and could come out here you must be feeling better. Are you able to drive any distance yet?

I hope this finds you and Lil in good health and spirits, also, my best to Jim.

Best

Enclosed is a check for \$200.

