

Dear Js, Howard is here and we are staying busy, esp. with the long-running hearings. I have heard nothing further from the Germans or Inge Feltrinelli. Howard is sending much of his time, as is his custom, going over my materials. It is yielding me a benefit. As he goes over the older materials, he is braking them into subject files. Much of what I believed I had is retrieved. One of these items, on Hunt, discloses an error in my recollection. Hunt and Buckley met in Mexico in 1951, not 1954, as I'd told you. This coincides with two things: the time Buckley went to the U. Mex. and the void in his biography. From it I assume the possibility that it was then, in Mexico, that Buckley was in CIA, under Hunt.

Howard brought with him the 1971-1 Who's Who listings for Buckley and Colson, both of which indicate changes that may be minor. In Colson's case, as I recall the comparison, his White House employment might explain. He will be making a full comparison with earlier years when he returns to the university. He is leaving here Friday. When I do some copying I'll copy these items and send.

Colson was on Today yesterday a.m. There were two things exceptional in it; he sweated incredibly, despite the frozen smile face; and they scratched the guest they were to have had on the last segment and had him back. They were not able to get to him, which I do believe was the real intent. I taped if you want. Although he maintained the public pose of unity with GL, Ehr and Haldeman, I remain with the feeling that in the crunch he'll pin it on the other two. And others. He remains indefinite on "others."

After two hard days, I am of the opinion that Dean is speaking truthfully of that of which he has spoken. Haven't had a chance to check the printed excerpts from the transcript, but one thing that fascinates is Dean's reference to Hunt's personal files in his WH safe, including those relating to his wife. When I noted that the Post's version was not complete, I phoned Sussman before he got in, which avoided missing the b'cast, to ask for a copy of the full statement if he can get me a spare. We are getting the Times while Howard is here, but I won't get yesterday's until today. We have not, in fact, looked at Sunday's or Monday's yet. Probably HR will take them back and go over on the bus and when he is home. I regard it as exceptional that Hunt had this kind of personal file there, not in a bank or at home or at the office and perhaps substantiation of my suspicion that all was not well with them.

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