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Dear Lil:

No, I have no definite idea what the political scandal/^{of the 1950s} was to which McCabe refers in his column of 1 Oct., 1973, although the obvious one is the Sherman Adams row. However, I can't recall whether Fortas was involved in that exposure, and have no relevant files for that period. It seems logical that he could have been. Re HW's suggestion of Bert Andrews as the Washington newsman who got the poop from Fortas' office, I also can't say, except that I remember him well personally as a very calm and deliberate person. No reason, of course, why he couldn't have served as a conduit for leaks.

Attached are a few stamps for you and your small chums.

Very best from us both,


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