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Phila Bulletin 9/22 has 4 graph AP story on Burger using I (free) plane of litigant before his court, Bernard P. McDonough, Parkersburg, W. Va. Burger voted against him on a \$612,000 deal. If you ever seen anything adding materially to this and further suggesting impropriety, I'd be interested. I don't suppose it will ever dawn on these birds that nobody able to afford a orivate plane is not liable to at some time be before them, judicially or administratively....I have finally gotten off my back (by dictating to Lil because I was too upset over it to type it) a letter to the publishers preliminary to invoking arbitration, which the contract, finally received yesterday, requires. They don't know I have them taped and I don't know if this is admissable under rules of arbitration. But I've close to an airtight case without it of fraud and I think on all points in dispute, beginning with violations pre-pub....Made it a very bad day, thought, and I'm catching up on the mail, in which I got the Burger story. Best,

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But I did save a rabbit from drowming (this one for the second time), so it hasn't been a total waste!