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Dear Jo, When you get to clipping the papers of this time, esp. today's, the papers of this time, esp. today's, 2/26 and thereafter should you see further ref as in NYF, something happened to a government effort in the "Kissinger-plot trial (at Harrisburg that interests me on Informants. A government witness testified, according to a radio report much more detailed than most, that the only talk of violence and bombing came from the informant, Boyd Douglas, and none come from the defendants. This is not uncommon, now or historically. They earn their pay. But the Post did not use this, not at least in the story in the early edition, the one that we get. I'm accumulating quite a file of this kind of thing. Even the agents do it, going further than your vy. helpful Sammes tapes. No rush, don't look special, only when you see in normal work, which must accumulate even more in your moon cycle. Thanks,

HW

Don't think I said why I'm sending some LIFE's. While I was resting thunk today I skimmed thru several. I could tear stories out and send them, but it is as cheap to send the entire thing and I have a notion that in skimming, just turning the pages, you may find a few pictures worth the time. Some captured some marvelous expressions on special kinds of faces. And there are Kissinger stories I thought you might want, a few mentions in columns, like Sidey's and about him, etc. There is no rush, so they can go slow mail. H

Re S-I Garrison clips: that whole business is odd. When he is already under federal indictment on the charge, of what concern is it to a local D.A. until there is an adjudication? We've just had a case in Congress, had not the first within my lifetime, of a man who continued to serve until conviction. The old fight of the MCC is comprehensible, they've been feuding. But the rest is less so, suggesting either that the vultures expect him to expire or that someone with weight is pushing. But he remains his own worst enemy and stupidest counsel, as the appeal to the Supreme Court shows. H

Russell Baker column on "face" great! So is Hoppes on the other side of the same face of "face". Sirjrised he hangs on there... This oneremonds that CBS eve TV net 2/26 showed Nixon, Chou at Hangchow and Chou's ostentacious separation, physical separation, from Nixon was more persistent. I have to find time to locate the home address of the Rand Corp so I can ask a few questions about their investigation of the JFK ass. In that clipping, the ref headlined, threat, reminds me of once when I was out there, there was a bomb threat agains Mayor Hatcher, who was to appear on the Joe Dolan TV Show. It was considered dangerous fro Hatcher. Remember, the show was not live but taped. So, Hatcher was not aired. But it was not unsafe for Joe or me or the staff of the audience, so the show went on. Even thinking about these things can get pretty wierd. H