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Dear Js,

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Delayed my morning walk to catch Konrad Lorenz, who will be aired in 10 minutes. I'll resume this after the walk. I am sorry I didn't read your last batch of Gervais clips before I wrote Guy Johnson. Even with a scorecard you can't keep up with the N.O. game!

I read these several nights ago, before going to bed, and marked them up for my own information. After reading them I was disquieted. There is something wrong and I can't put my finger (aka mind) on it.

The openness of the government is one of these things. Pretty Orwellian, admitting extra-legal intent ("but we've also put Pershing Gervais out of business").

What I'd discovered is coming out, like the existence of unfiled tax cases vs him.

There seems to be an effort to make it appear that he switched again merely out of justified pique, a good ploy. My original analysis remains unchanged, that at some point he would have done what he did, that being his original plan and survival need.

Christenberry continues openly a partisan, from this reporting as from the single transcript I have.

What is surprising is the statement that if the gov't had had anything to do in hiding Gervais "it would dismiss the indictment"--but hasn't after exposure.

Gervais can be prosecuted, as he fears, but not on the tax charges.

Guess I won't add any more. I remain with the feeling that something is going to happen, perhaps someone get hurt.

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