

10/27/72 VN sidelight. NBC today had Herriman, who says Nixon could ~~have~~ have had
an equivalent deal in 1969. NBC asked "Do the singer or another administration #2
spokesman" but that didn't work out "(sic!) I take this refusal to confront
to reflect belief the p. r. situation is all administration's way as it sees it
Press seems to be huddling as great administration ^{success}, which it does not in any
way appear to be. CBS says the program had 2 of his largest audiences yesterday
It showed him at an Iowa college. Crowd so large roofs full of students etc.

We got from Arthur Hanes some of his & Huie's files, which Huie acct well
agreed to give me several years ago. I have been going over them making ~~notes~~
notes, copying some cases, direct quotes in others, if you'd care to ^{read} ~~read~~ ^{at least} ~~at least~~
finish it, in p. 12. Some of what Huie did & said beyond belief. Ditto for ^{judges} ~~judges~~ #2
Hanes. Huie is Lucifer playing god then believing he is. Hell of a story on
writer's intrusion into processes of justice & corruption of them. These
files more than validate the fight ~~you~~ you make to take certain approaches
& insist on specific allegations & charges on Hanes loop as put forth. 1972