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A Memoir

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Boston
My anti-Semitic 3 wives
Hometown
Down Beat
N.Y.C.
Rage - P68
- Miriam Sargeant
less than a year
- Trudi Bernstein
5 years.
Jessica
Miranda
- Margot -
39 years.

The Reporter
Max Ascoli and
Vietnam

Ralph Ginsburg P135
conviction for
padding by
William Brennan
S. Mag - Eros.

elementary school
William Lloyd
Garrison

Went to New Yorker
1980 for
28 year

Duke E
Niggy -
I.F. Stone -
Murray Kempton -

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anti pro abortion an atheist

N.H. a follower of radical pacifist A.J. MUSTE
Malcolm X

Chuck McDew - SNCC

Martin L. King - Hend. knew him

Wife Margot - a relentless pacifist -
pacifist - hit my stomach

Adlai Stevenson

Murray Kempton was my mentor

Stokely Carmichael - we gotta play nice nigger for white
folks sometimes

Joan Baez -

Vietnam opposition (my wife and I) who was Karl
Armstrong and who did he kill. P 114

Bob Dylan - what's your relationship with him today

John Cardinal O'Connor - Waldheim and Albertson
and Gary P 152

William Shawn - fired after 35 years

Saw him in a coffee shop - unshaven

Piece on A.J. Muste didn't run

Meeting w. Phillip Messenger on unpaid union piece
led to his firing

What did you find in your FBI file?

Congress V. Farnsworth

Are you a pacifist - When did Margaret hit
you in the stomach

Adlai Stevenson

Proton-anti smelie

Pro-life - what kind of opposition did
you get from fellow liberals

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