

Ray's extradition was produced by affidavits. Nobody can cross-examine affidavits. He had announced his intention to appeal but was talked out of it by the Mayor of Birmingham, of whom you have recently heard through the testimony of FBI Informant named Gary Rowe. Guaranteed a tidy sum by Bill Huie for the exclusive rights to Ray's story, presumed to be of guilt, and with a proviso that payments required Ray to be returned to a United States jail, Huie talked Ray out of appealing.

Political crimes--which this certainly was, whether or not Ray was guilty-- are not extraditable under the extradition treaty.

Ray's next attorney, fabled Percy Foreman, has just been indicted for taking \$100,000 to put a client away. From Hey Foreman is known to have received/only a paltry \$10,000.

The present Ray defense is pro bono. I am the investigator. Beginning before I assumed this responsibility I began effort to obtain other suppressed evidence from the FBI. AKA Hoover's stonewall.

When it became possible for me to use the FOIA, immediately after it was amended, I renewed these requests. They went unanswered. Jim Lesar represented me and after considerable longer than the law allows the government he filed an appeal under the law with the newest Mr. Clean, Attorney General Levi. It was dated May 5. Despite Mr. Levi's proclamations mistakenly taken to me he'd have the King assassination re-investigated, he has not since responded. Nor has he ~~xxx~~ to two other letters in which I cautioned him that these divisions requiring investigation are the one he put in charge of investigating themselves.

Meanwhile, CBS duplicated some of my requests. Through Varney Brown the Department started leaning on Jim Lesar and me and indirectly on Ray to get Ray to agree to the release of personal information about himself to CBS. And the time for the CBS show drew closer. So, first giving CBS whatever it wanted, the Department then wrote Jim Lesar to announce it was giving me some of what I asked for. Much less than it claims. And not until after CBS aired its support of the official account of the JFK assassination.

So you can better understand Deputy Attorney General Tyler's letter, here are some of the items I by then~~ix~~ had filed suit for, C.A. 75-1996:

Read marked parts of Complaint.