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strain and stress. Logic, calm reason and self restraint cannot prevail in the mind of any human being who knew some of the victims personally and was loyal to the others. The horrible provocation aroused the natural tendency "to fight fire with fire." Mad dogs, venomous vipers and savage killers should not be accorded sympathetic coddling.

On November 24, 1963, when the news of your deed was publicized most Americans applauded. There were some "conformists" however, who prated about "the presumption of innocence until proved guilty", and "denial of due process of the law" to Oswald. Some newspapers published featured articles to the effect that a "french journalist asserted that Oswald could not have been convicted. The same papers publicized the fact that Oswald's mother protested her son's innocence because he was "always a good boy." All this, in the face of the most complete and conclusive evidence in the possession of District Attorney Henry Wade, which he personally certified.

The official records prove that the "good boy" Harry Oswald beat his pregnant Russian wife frequently and failed to provide for her support and of their child. He came into the U.S. Embassy in Moscow and filed a written renunciation of his allegiance to the U.S. to become a Russian citizen. Two and a half years later he wrote to Mr. John B. Connally, now Governor of the State of Texas, (then the Secretary of the U.S. Navy) to intercede for him to enable him to return to the U.S. He was granted a loan of \$435.71 for travel expenses. On his return to New Orleans, he promptly allied himself with the Pro-Castro Fair Play for Cuba Committee in New Orleans. Presumably, part of the money he obtained from the loan, with the help of Mr. Connally, was used to purchase the rifle that killed the President and seriously wounded the Governor. The case, committed by our well-meaning citizens, in quoting the press, is that the Oswald case is not a matter of principle. It is one isolated, peculiar unique case which must be judged on it's own merits - and your act, by the same token, must be condoned because were powerless to resist the psychological storm caused by the many heinous crimes and savage killings perpetrated by Oswald, as described by Mr. Wade, - which no reasonable person could question.

This letter is written to you to assure you that you have countless admirers and well-wishers, of which I am only one. As a New York lawyer I am disqualified to advise you pertaining to the laws of the State of Texas. I can, and do advise you to head scrupulously the advice of your counsel in all matters pertaining to the conduct of your case.

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