

*City of Dallas*  
**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

To-

Mr. J. M. Souter  
Senior Captain of Police  
Patrol Division

Subject:

June 6, 1967  
Long Distance Call From  
Mr. Emory Richard Whetatine,  
7 E. Harrison, Ainsworth, Iowa

Sirs:

At 1:20 A.M., Mr. Whetatine called this office and talked with Officer O. L. Rodgers regarding the assassination of President John F. Kennedy.

Mr. Whetatine spoke as if he were intoxicated, and seemed to be well educated.

He stated he saw the person that fired the shots that killed Mr. Kennedy, and that it was not Mr. Oswald. Mr. Whetatine stated it was Franklin Folley, who is the drummer in Frank Sinatra's band, currently playing in Las Vegas. He stated that Mr. Folley was standing directly in front of him (in park across street from the Texas School Book Depository). Mr. Whetatine states he has three empty rifle cartridges from the rifle Mr. Folley used. Mr. Whetatine gave Officer Rodgers the phone number 646-6507, Welman, Iowa. This call was traced by telephone company and this is the correct number he was calling from.

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Respectfully submitted,  
*P. G. McCaghren*  
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Captain of Police  
Patrol Division

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*The only reason you and I are here is to assist the people of Dallas*