

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Dallas, Texas
March 30, 1964

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

The following investigation was conducted in an effort to ascertain the times Lee Harvey Oswald's picture was first displayed on each of the Dallas, Texas, television stations on November 22, 1963, and the source of each such picture so displayed:

On March 25, 1964, Mr. Edward Barker, News Director of KRLD Television, Channel 4, Dallas, Texas, advised that the first photograph of Lee Harvey Oswald that was transmitted over KRLD Television was a still photograph furnished to them by Associated Press via Wire Photo Service. This was a photograph, according to Mr. Barker, showing Oswald when he was first brought to the Dallas Police Department by the arresting officers. Mr. Barker stated their station used this photograph approximately ten to fifteen minutes after it was received from Associated Press Wire Photo Service. He stated he could not furnish the time, but that Mr. Ferd Kaufman of the Associated Press, Dallas, Texas, could furnish the exact time this photograph was transmitted to all stations. Mr. Barker stated this photograph was shown approximately one to one and one-half hours prior to any film that was transmitted on KRLD Television showing Oswald at the Dallas Police Department.

On March 25, 1964, Mr. Robert Walker, News Director for WFAA Television, Channel 8, advised that Lee Harvey Oswald's picture was first displayed on the television screen of WFAA shortly after Oswald was arrested by the Dallas Police Department on November 22, 1963. Mr. Walker stated that he has recalled Oswald was brought to the Dallas Police Department at a few minutes after 2:00 PM on November 22, 1963. The first picture that was flashed on the screen of WFAA Television was a still picture taken by Mr. Ferd Kaufman of the Associated Press. He stated that Associated Press furnishes wire photos of pictures for television screens and since WFAA Television is a subscriber to Associated Press Wire Photo, the WFAA Television would have had the benefit of this photograph. Mr. Walker stated he could not state the exact time this picture was flashed to the public by WFAA Television, but that it was within ten to fifteen minutes after it was received from the Wire Photo Service of Associated Press. He stated Mr. Kaufman could supply the information.

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as to when this picture was first transmitted. Mr. Walker stated that to the best of his memory this was a still photograph showing Oswald as he was brought to the Dallas Police Department. Mr. Walker stated that it would have been roughly 4:30 or 5:00 PM before any film that was shot by the cameraman of WFAA Television would have been developed and have been transmitted over their station, but that he was confident that the first still photograph furnished by Associated Press was shown sometime around 3:00 PM, November 22, 1963.

On March 25, 1964, Mr. Ferd Kaufman, a photographer for the Associated Press, with offices located in the Dallas News Building, Dallas, Texas, was interviewed, at which time he related that on November 22, 1963, he received an anonymous tip that a suspect had been captured in the Texas Theatre in Dallas who was believed to be the person that shot Dallas Police Patrolman J. D. Tippit. He stated he immediately drove toward the Texas Theatre and, upon nearing the scene of the Texas Theatre, he met a patrol car with a prisoner in it and felt that this probably was a suspect being taken to the Dallas Police Department. Mr. Kaufman stated he turned his automobile around and raced to the Dallas Police Building at the corner of Main and Harwood where he was able to take a photograph of Lee Harvey Oswald being brought into the City Jail of the Dallas Police Department. He stated this was approximately ten minutes after two on November 22, 1963. He stated that the film of the photograph was immediately developed and it was transmitted on Associated Press's Wire Photo System at 2:55 PM, November 22, 1963. Mr. Kaufman stated that this photo was sent to all television stations and newspapers who subscribed to the Associated Press in the United States. The caption of this picture was "Gunman kills policeman--Lee H. Oswald, 24, was arrested in Dallas today in connection with the slaying of a Dallas policeman shortly after President Kennedy was assassinated. He was also being interrogated to see if he had any connection with the slaying of the President." Mr. Kaufman stated that he later learned this was the first photograph that was transmitted on any wire service of the capture of Lee Harvey Oswald.

On March 26, 1964, Mr. James Byron, Chief of the News Room at WBAP Television, 2900 Barnett, Fort Worth, Texas, stated immediately after President Kennedy's assassination on Friday, November 22, 1963, the networks (ABC, CBS and NBC) took over the operation of the two Dallas television stations (KRLD Television and WFAA Television) and the Fort Worth Station (WBAP Television).

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

He stated he had no idea when the first picture of Lee Harvey Oswald was shown on his station or the two Dallas stations and he did not believe anyone at the headquarters of the three networks (ABC, CBS, and NBC) in New York City would have any such record. He stated he had no idea as to the source of any pictures shown of Lee Harvey Oswald. He explained that because of the President's visit to Dallas, all of the networks and news media were already well represented in Dallas. After the assassination, all of the motion pictures and still shots were fed into the headquarters of the television networks in New York City and there they picked out the pictures to show on television.

FBI

Date: 3/26/64

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)
FROM: SAC, DALLAS (100-10461) (P)
RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka.
IS - R - CUBA

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Re Dallas airtels (2) to Bureau, Attn.: FBI Laboratory, dated 3/16/64, transmitting items obtained from ROBERT L. OSWALD on March 15, 1964.

On page one of the airtel listing 30 items, it is requested that "(USMC)" be deleted with respect to item number 13 on page one. Dallas copies being corrected.

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B.C. Wick
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Special Agent in Charge

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FROM: SAC, DALLAS (100-10461) P
RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka
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Rerep SA EMORY E. HORTON at Dallas 3/11/64.

Page 37, Paragraph 5, Line 3, 7th word, is "U. S." and should read "British". It is requested that the Bureau and all offices receiving this communication make the appropriate change regarding this item.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (105-38431)
SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD
IS-R

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Re Legat, Mexico airtel 2/27/64 with enclosed LHM to Bureau.

Reairtel set forth names of individuals who travelled across Mexican border on 10/3/63, the same day as subject. NYO was requested to locate and interview the following individuals:

- RAY FOK (or FOX), female, no street address, NY
- EMMA ELISABETH GOERITY FRANK, 150 W. 95th St., NYC
- VICTOR JOSEPH KIMM and PATRICIA ANN KIMM, 211 Hollywood Ave., Valley Stream, NY
- CHARLES L. MILLER, 95-12 Allendale St., Jamaica, NY
- ANTONY S. WATNEY, no street address, NY

NYO Pres. Comm. (deleting property stamp) 4/13/64 Liaison. BFI/jt-f

Investigation re MILLER and WATNEY was previously conducted by NYO and results set forth in NY report of SA JOHN JAMES O'FLAHERTY, 12/11/63, page 14.

Lead ICC LHM TO
CIA by Liaison
Legat, Mexico 3/27/64 - JCS/jt-f

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Will interview VICTOR and PATRICIA KIMM, presently residing at 20 de Noviembre #90, Morelia, Mich., Mexico. It is to be noted that VICTOR KIMM is employed as an engineer by the American International Development Corp.

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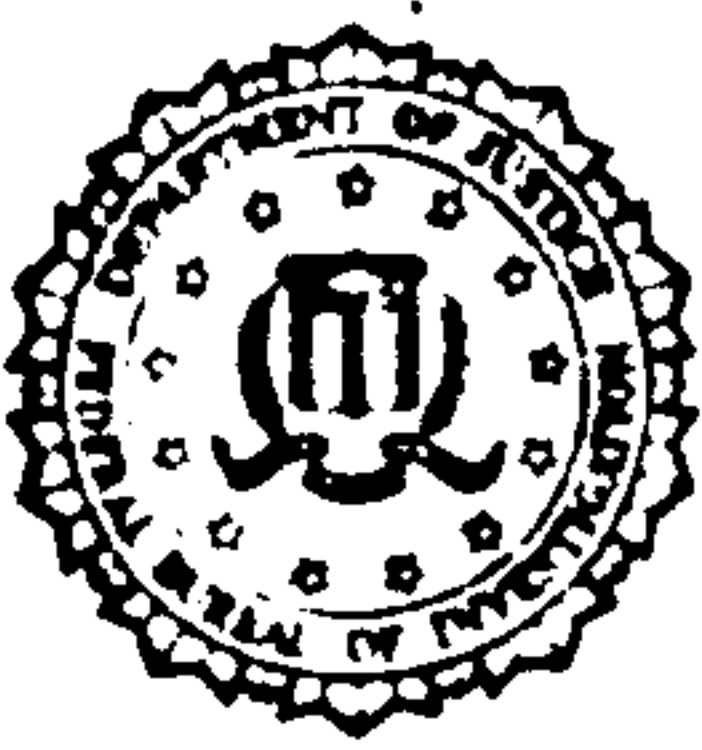
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
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New York, New York
March 17, 1964

Lee Harvey Oswald
Internal Security - R

On March 12, 1964, Mrs. Emma Goerity Frank, 150 West 95th Street, New York City, advised that she re-entered the United States from Mexico via railroad on October 3, 1963; however, she was unable to furnish any information concerning subject.

On March 12, 1964, Mrs. R.W. Ratz, 211 Hollywood Avenue, Valley Stream, New York, advised that she is related to Patricia and Victor Kimm and added that Victor Kimm is employed as an engineer by the American International Development Corporation. She stated that they are both presently residing at 20 Noviembre #90, Morelia, Mich., Mexico.

On March 13, 1964, a review of the New York City telephone directories for all five boroughs failed to reflect any listing for a Mrs. Ray Fok or a Mrs. Ray Fox.

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To: SAC, Dallas (100-10461)
From: Director, FBI (105-82555)
LEE HARVEY OSWALD
IS - R - CUBA

Relet same caption 3/26/64 from Legat, Ottawa.

Enclosed are a copy of relet, two copies of a letterhead memorandum regarding an allegation that Oswald was in Canada the Summer of 1963 and an album of photographs furnished by [redacted]. These items are for your information and it will not be necessary to include the substance of the allegation in a future report prepared by your office since this material has previously been furnished to the President's Commission.

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NOTE:

[redacted] has checked out allegation that Oswald was seen distributing pamphlets entitled "Fair Play for Cuba" in Montreal during the Summer of 1963. Commission has been furnished by letter of 4/8/64 copies of the LHM furnished by Legat, Ottawa. Commission has been advised in relet that no further action is being taken by this Bureau inasmuch as it appears that the distribution of pamphlets occurred on 6/7 and 8/63 instead of August, 1963, and Oswald was at work in New Orleans on Friday, June 7 and also on Monday, 6/10/63. Also, our inquiries disclose no record that Oswald made any foreign trips from the time of his return to the U. S. in June, 1962, until his visit to Mexico in September - October, 1963.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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Memorandum

TO : W. C. Sullivan

DATE: April 3, 1964

FROM : W. A. Branigan

SUBJECT: BRIEF ON FBI INVESTIGATION OF THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY

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In connection with the captioned Brief prepared for the Director, there are attached the following revised pages which have been prepared in order to update the Brief:

Pages 120^{1/2} and 121. These pages have been revised to include information developed regarding the financial worth of Michael Paine, husband of Ruth Hyde Paine in whose home Marina Oswald was residing at the time of the assassination of President Kennedy.

Also attached are a revised cover page dated 4/3/64 and pages 186, 187 and 190 of the Index. Attached pages are for inclusion in Volume I and Volume II of the Director's copy of the Brief. Copies of the above pages are being furnished to other officials by ticklers.

RECOMMENDATION:

For the Director's information.

Enclosures

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Miss Holmes	
Miss Gandy	

TO : W. C. Sullivan

DATE: March 27, 1964

FROM : W. A. Branigan

SUBJECT: BRIEF ON FBI INVESTIGATION OF THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY

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In connection with the captioned Brief prepared for the Director, there are attached the following revised pages which have been prepared in order to update the Brief:

Pages 50 and 163a. These have been revised to include the fact that Oswald approached the United States - Mexican border on a Mexican automotive highway on his return to the U. S. in October, 1963.

Pages 120 - 121. Revised to include results of Bureau interview of Mr. and Mrs. George Lyman Paine, Jr., who denied any knowledge of Lee Harvey Oswald prior to the assassination of President Kennedy. The Paines interviewed are the father and stepmother of Michael Paine, whose wife is Ruth Hyde Paine, the woman in whose home Marina Oswald was residing at the time of the assassination.

Also attached is a revised cover page dated 3-27-64. Attached pages are for inclusion in Volume I and Volume II of the Director's copy of the Brief. Copies of the above pages are being furnished to other officials by ticklers.

RECOMMENDATION:

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
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- 1 - Mr. Branigan
- 1 - Mr. Lenihan
- 1 - Mr. J. M. Sizoo

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Memorandum

TO : MR. TROTTER *66.2*

DATE: 4-2-64

FROM : S. F. Latona

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA;
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY
11-22-63, DALLAS, TEXAS

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. DeLoach	
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Mr. Felt	
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Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Sullivan	
Mr. Tavel	
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Tele. Room	
Mr. Holmes	
Miss Gandy	

LATENT PRINT TESTIMONY BEFORE PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION

This morning, 4-2-64, at 9:00 o'clock, I appeared before the Commission and testified that a latent fingerprint and a latent palm print I developed on a piece of brown wrapping paper, believed to have been used to take the murder weapon into the building from which the shots were fired, were the left index fingerprint and right palm print of Lee Harvey Oswald.

Testimony was also given that a latent palm print found on the underside of the barrel of the murder weapon was the right palm print of Oswald. This latent palm print was developed by the Dallas Police Department.

Further testimony was given that a latent palm print and a latent fingerprint developed by FBI Identification Division on a cardboard box found in the room from which the shots were fired were prints of Oswald and that a latent palm print developed by Dallas Police Department on another box from same room was also identified as right palm print of Oswald.

During my testimony, the Commission requested a copy of the Marine Corps fingerprint card of Oswald from our files and a copy of the fingerprint card of Oswald we received from Dallas Police Department showing he was dead. The Commission also requested an illustration depicting the various ridge characteristics which fingerprint experts use in comparing fingerprints and palm prints. The Commission desires these items be furnished by Monday, 4-6-64. This will be done.

Entered into evidence and retained by the Commission were six charted enlargements illustrating the identifications, photographs of fingerprints and palm prints of Oswald, and photographs of the latent prints identified. The Commission also retained the four cardboard boxes found in the room from which the shots were fired, the latent palm print lifted from underside of gun (developed by Dallas PD), a piece of cardboard

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- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. Rogge
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Trotter

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Memorandum to MR. TROTTER

Re: Lee Harvey Oswald, aka
Assassination of President John F. Kennedy
11-22-63, Dallas, Texas

carton bearing the latent palm print developed by Dallas PD, and the brown wrapping paper believed to have been used to carry the weapon.

Entire testimony lasted about 3 hours and 40 minutes. Chairman Chief Justice Earl Warren opened the hearing alone. Later, Congressman Gerald Ford (Republican), Michigan, Honorable Allen Dulles, and Congressman Hale Boggs (Democrat Louisiana, appeared. Messrs. Warren, Ford, and Boggs left and Mr. Dulles continued the hearing alone. Counsel for the Commission was Melvin Eisenberg.

The testimony was well received, keen interest was shown by the members and the Commission expressed its appreciation and made complimentary remarks regarding the testimony.

ACTION:

For information.

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen

April 7, 1964

BY COURIER SERVICE

Honorable J. Lee Rankin
 General Counsel
 The President's Commission
 200 Maryland Avenue, N. E.
 Washington, D. C.

- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - J. R. Halley
- 1 - W. A. Branigan
- 1 - Liaison
- 1 - J. C. Starnes

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Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to your letter dated April 6, 1964, concerning the intention of the Commission to dispatch its representatives to Mexico City for the purpose of conducting inquiry into the investigative effort made in Mexico concerning Lee Harvey Oswald.

We have heretofore furnished to you considerable material dealing with our investigative efforts in Mexico and the investigation conducted there by responsible Mexican agencies. The most recent communication in this regard is our letter dated April 6, 1964, summarizing recent developments with particular reference to the means of transportation utilized by Oswald in departing from Mexico on October 3, 1963. Additional material concerning recent developments is in preparation and will be furnished to you in detail in the near future. Such inquiry as appears to be logical and necessary to the proper completion of our investigation in Mexico has been initiated and the results thereof will likewise be furnished to you. We will continue to undertake such investigation in Mexico as appears to be necessary. In short, the results of all of our investigative efforts in Mexico will be furnished to you prior to the completion of our investigation of this case.

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The members of our staff in Mexico City will be pleased to be available and to cooperate with your representatives on a consulting basis concerning the nature and extent of our investigation in Mexico. In connection with your intention to consult with appropriate Mexican officials, it is our view that the perfection of arrangements to consult with officials

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Honorable J. Lee Rankin

If the Mexican Government properly lies within the purview of the Department of State and we suggest that such arrangements be handled through the American Ambassador in Mexico City.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE:

See cover memorandum W. A. Branigan to L. C. Sullivan, 4/7/64, captioned "Lee Harvey Oswald, IS - R - Cuba," prepared by JCS:klw.

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April 8, 1964

BY COURIER SERVICE

Honorable J. Lee Rankin
 General Counsel
 The President's Commission
 200 Maryland Avenue, N. E.
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to your letter dated April 1, 1964, requesting this Bureau to make inquiries concerning advertisements which appeared in the personal column of the "Dallas Morning News" on October 15, 16 and 17, 1963.

For your information, we have determined that identical newspaper advertisements appeared in the personal column of the "Dallas Morning News" and the "Dallas Times Herald" on October 15, 16 and 17, 1963. We were informed that these advertisements were placed by Mr. Robert Dent, Assistant Manager, Capri Theatre, Dallas, Texas, with the authorization of Marion T. Hudgins, Manager of the Capri Theatre. Marion T. Hudgins informed our Dallas Office that he authorized these advertisements to promote the movie, "The Running Man," starring actress Lee Remick.

The advertisements in question which appeared in both newspapers read as follows:

- October 15, 1963 - "Running man - Please call me please! Please! Lee." REC-17 105-82555-3027
- October 16, 1963 - "I want running man. Please call me. Lee." ST-113
- October 17, 1963 - "I've just got to see the running man. Please call me. Lee."

No further inquiries are contemplated by this Bureau in this matter in the absence of a specific request from the Commission.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (105-82555)

DATE: March 26, 1964

FROM : Legat, Ottawa (163-364) (P)

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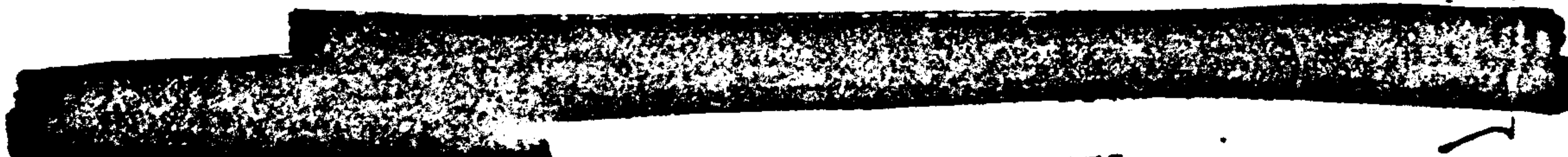
SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD
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ReBulet March 19, 1964.

Enclosed are six copies of a letterhead memorandum dated March 26, 1964, in captioned matter. Two copies of this memorandum which has album of photographs attached are for dissemination to the President's Commission at the Bureau.



Extra copies of the enclosed memorandum and this letter are furnished in the event the Bureau desires to furnish them to Dallas.



APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
AND FIELD OFFICES
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1 - Liaison direct)

1 - Ottawa

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AGENCY Dallas (let. 7/14/77 album)
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

March 26, 1964

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

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By letter dated November 29, 1963, Mr. Aurelien Chasse, Senior Customs Representative, United States Treasury Department, Montreal, Canada, advised the United States Secret Service, Washington, D. C., that several persons had contacted his office and stated that LEE OSWALD had been seen distributing pamphlets entitled "Fair Play for Cuba," on St. Jacques and McGill Streets in Montreal during the Summer of 1963. (C)

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Canada

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Mr. Chasse said he was unable to elaborate on the statement that several persons had contacted his office and it was merely a summarization of all the information he had obtained from the (C)

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Re: LEE HARVEY OSWALD

press and from word of mouth and he, Chasse, was unable to name anyone who could furnish definite information regarding OSWALD's possible appearance in Montreal apart from [REDACTED]

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April 8, 1964

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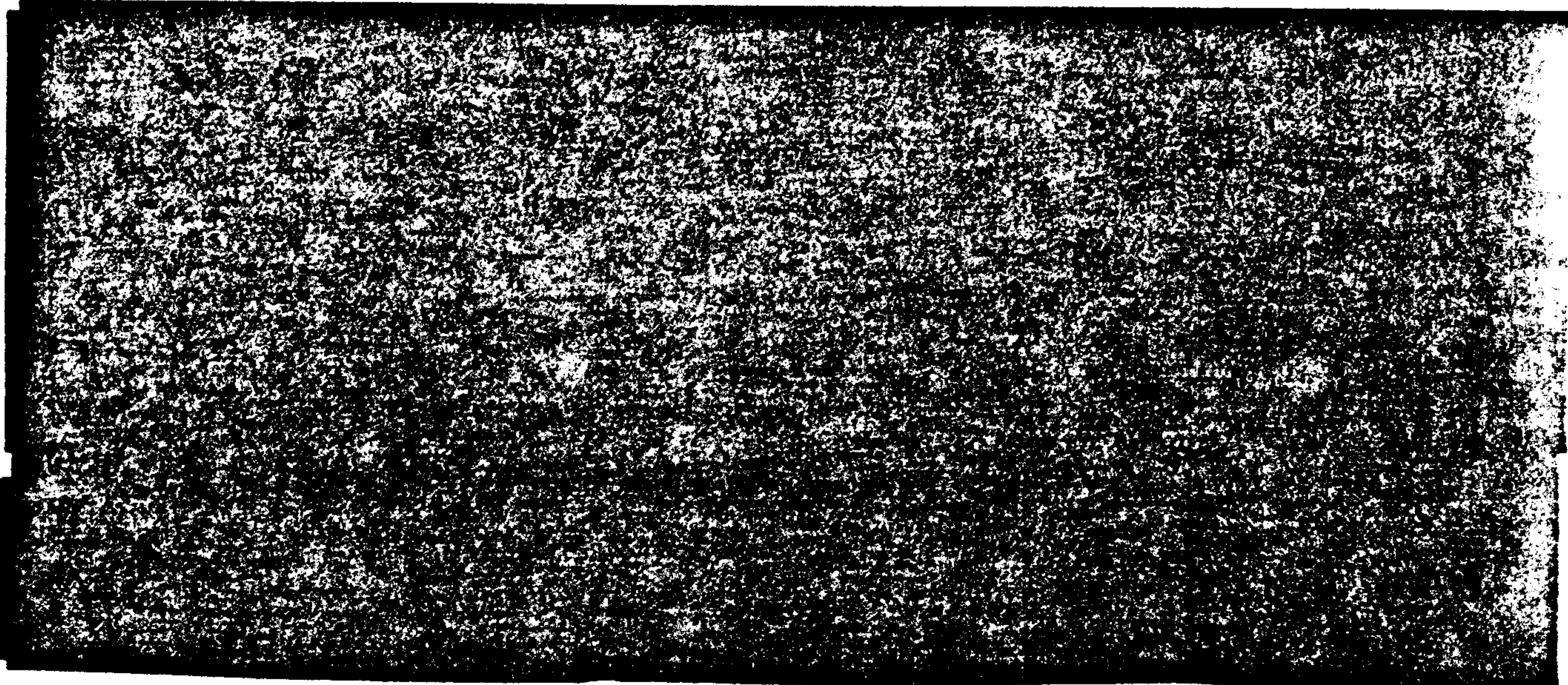
EX 101

Honorable J. Lee Rankin
 General Counsel
 The President's Commission
 200 Maryland Avenue, N. E.
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

There are enclosed two copies of a communication dated March 26, 1964, at Washington, D. C., which relates to an allegation that Lee Harvey Oswald was in Montreal, Canada, during the Summer of 1963. U

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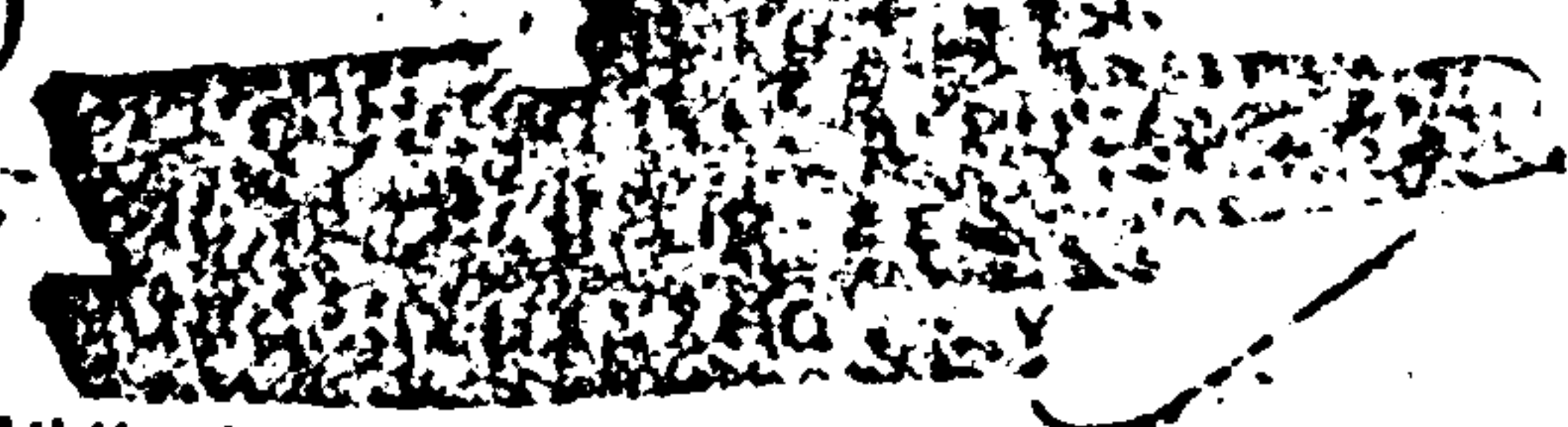
For your information, the records of the Walter R. Reilly and Company, Incorporated, New Orleans, Louisiana, show that Oswald was on the job Monday through Friday of the week June 3 through 7, 1963, and that he was also on the job all day

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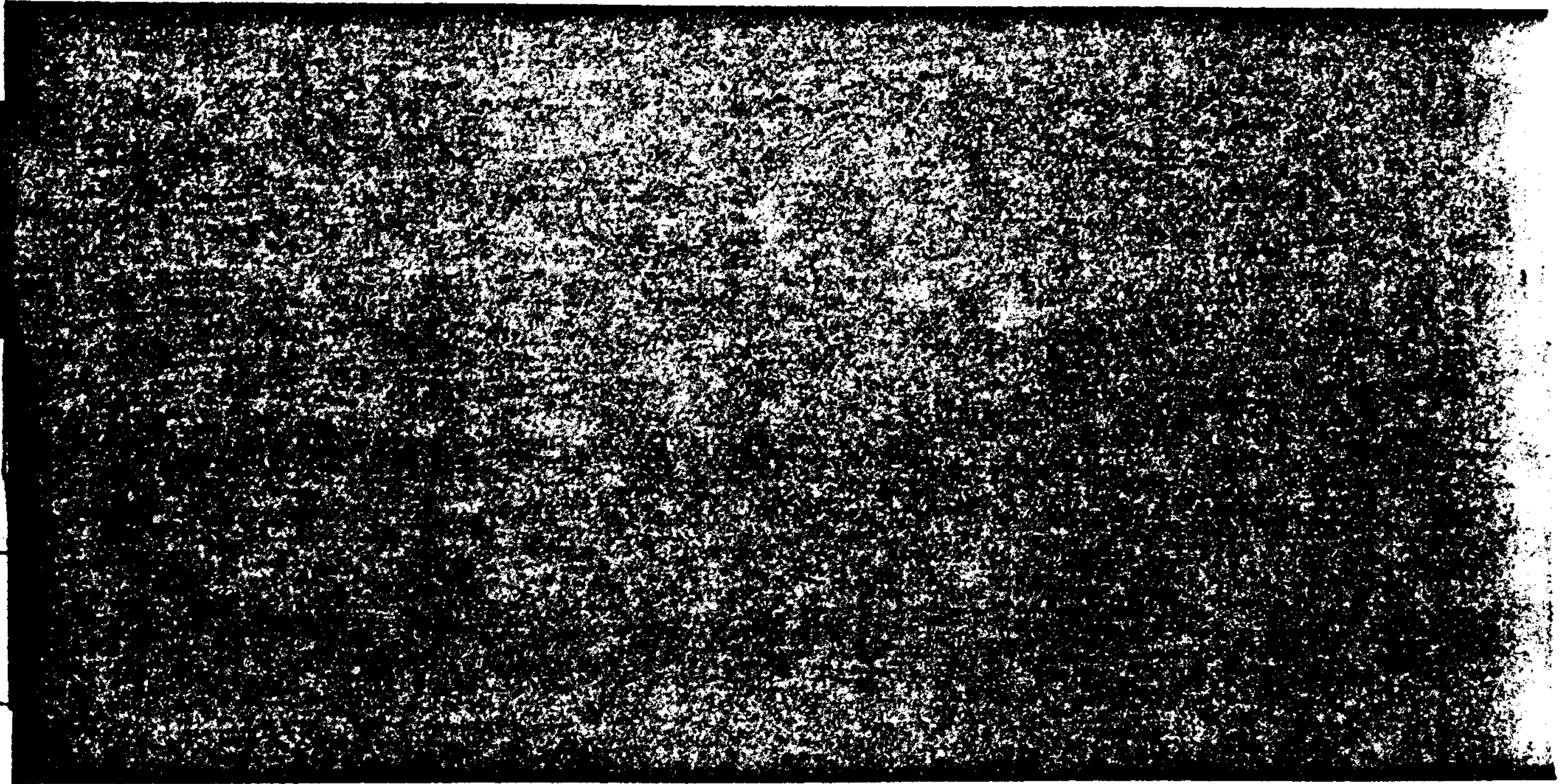
of the following week, June 10 through 14, 1963. In addition, our investigation to date has disclosed no record of any foreign travel by Oswald between his return to the United States in June, 1962, and his trip to Mexico in September and October, 1963. U

No further action is being taken by this Bureau in this matter inasmuch as inquiry has failed to substantiate the allegation by Mr. Tremblay. U

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosures (3)



- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Casper
- 1 - Mr. Callahan
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. Griffith
- 1 - Mr. Cadigan

April 6, 1964

By Courier Service

Honorable J. Lee Rankin
 General Counsel
 The President's Commission
 200 Maryland Avenue, Northeast
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

On March 30, 1964, Mr. Melvin Eisenberg of your staff orally requested Special Agent James C. Cadigan of this Bureau to determine if the known paper sample and the known tape sample, both designated as FBI Exhibit D-1 and the paper and tape used to make the replica paper bag, Commission Exhibit 364, both came from the same room; to determine if the room or rooms from which D-1 and Commission Exhibit 364 were obtained had any special designation or room number; and did Lee Harvey Oswald have legitimate access to such space.

The Dallas Office of this Bureau has advised that both D-1 and Commission Exhibit 364 were obtained from the same room, which is on the main floor of the Texas School Book Depository Building, and the whole main floor is designated as the "shipping room." Lee Harvey Oswald had legitimate access to this space.

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Sincerely yours,

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NOTE: Oral request was relayed to Dallas by Butel 3/30/64. Reply to Commission is based on information furnished by Dallas.

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April 7, 1964

By Courier Service

Honorable J. Lee Rankin
General Counsel
The President's Commission
200 Maryland Avenue, N. E.
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Rankin:

This letter is to confirm the delivery of three photographs each of Commission Exhibits numbered 344 through 360, 365 through 367, 385, 386, 388 through 390 and 393 through 398 to Mr. Melvin Eisenberg, of the Commission staff, by a Special Agent of this Bureau on March 30, 1964. Enclosed herewith you will find three photographs each of Commission Exhibits numbered 399 and 400, which had not yet been processed for delivery on March 30, 1964.

These photographs are the most recent part of what amounts to a continuing project of this Bureau in furnishing the Commission with reproductions of Commission Exhibits, as such Exhibits are made available for that purpose. The original project was initiated by your letter of February 24, 1964.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE:

A descriptive listing of the Commission Exhibits mentioned herein is attached. The Commission's letter referred to requested Bureau to prepare three photographs of each exhibit in this matter to which a Commission Exhibit number had been assigned and to prepare such photographs of future exhibits as Commission numbers are assigned. The enclosed photographs are of exhibits recently assigned numbers by the Commission and delivered by them to the Bureau for photography. The photographs furnished to the Commission on March 30, 1964, were personally delivered by SA James C. Cadigan.

COMMISSION EXHIBIT NUMBER

DESCRIPTION

- 344 Photograph of 1961 Lincoln Continental 4-door convertible bubbletop, taken from right side.
- 345 Photograph of same vehicle as mentioned in Exhibit 344 with top up, taken from rear.
- 346 Photograph of same vehicle as mentioned in Exhibit 344, taken from right side above and depicting interior.
- 347 Aerial view of downtown Dallas, Texas.
- 348 Photograph of Texas School Book Depository Building.
- 349 Photograph of windshield of same vehicle as mentioned in Exhibit 344 depicting an indentation on the metal framework of the windshield.
- 350 Photograph of windshield of same vehicle as mentioned in Exhibit 344 taken from outside the car front looking toward the car depicting a crack in the windshield on the driver's side.
- 351 Windshield which was removed from vehicle noted in Exhibit 344.
- 352 Photograph of rear seat of same vehicle as mentioned in Exhibit 344 taken from above depicting condition of rear seat after occupants were removed on November 22, 1963.
- 353 Photograph of same scene as Exhibit 352 taken from different angle.
- 354 Aerial view of Main, Houston and Elm Streets in downtown Dallas, Texas.
- 355 Copy of Daily Shift Report of Friday, November 22, 1963, of Secret Service Vice President Detail.
- 356 Same photograph as Exhibit 348 of Texas School Book Depository Building. (Marked by Rowland)
- 357 Copy of statement of Arnold Louis Rowland taken by Sheriff's Department, County of Dallas, Texas, on Nov. 22, 1963.
- 358 Copy of statement made by Arnold Louis Rowland to SAs James W. Swinford and Paul E. Wulff of the Federal Bureau of Investigation on November 24, 1963.
- 359 Aerial view of downtown Dallas, Texas (Marked by James Richard Worrell, Jr.)

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DESCRIPTION

- 360 Same photograph as Exhibit 348 of Texas School Book Depository Building but different picture.
- 365 Aerial view of downtown Dallas, Texas, at scene of assassination. (Marked by Amos Lee Euins)
- 366 Same photograph as Exhibit 348 of Texas School Book Depository Building, but different picture. (Marked by Amos Lee Euins)
- 367 Copy of statement of Amos Lee Euins taken by Sheriff's Department, County of Dallas, Texas, on November 22, 1965.
- 385 Painted chart showing wounds.
- 386 Painted chart showing wounds.
- 388 Painted chart showing wounds.
- 389 Color print of movie film frame.
- 390 Color print of movie film frame.
- 396 Color print of movie film frame.
- 397 Working papers associated with Naval Medical School Autopsy Report A65-272.
- 398 Color print of movie film frame.
- 393 (FBI Item c29) Suit coat worn by President Kennedy at time of assassination.
- 394 (FBI Item c32) Shirt worn by President Kennedy at time of assassination.
- 395 (FBI Item c31) Tie worn by President Kennedy at time of assassination.
- 399 (FBI Item c1) Bullet from stretcher.
- 400 Schematic drawing from Armed Forces Institute of Pathology.

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Date: 4/3/64

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)
FROM: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (105-2909) (P)
RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka
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Re Bureau cablegram to Legat, Paris, dated 3/29/64,
and San Antonio tel to Bureau dated 4/1/64.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are 10 copies of
LHM reflecting re-interview of AGAPITO DEL RIO; 2 copies are
enclosed herewith for Dallas.

It is suggested that 2 copies of LHM and 2 copies
of instant airtel be furnished Legat, Paris, for their
information and assistance in re-interview of PHILLIPE VAN
DER VORM.

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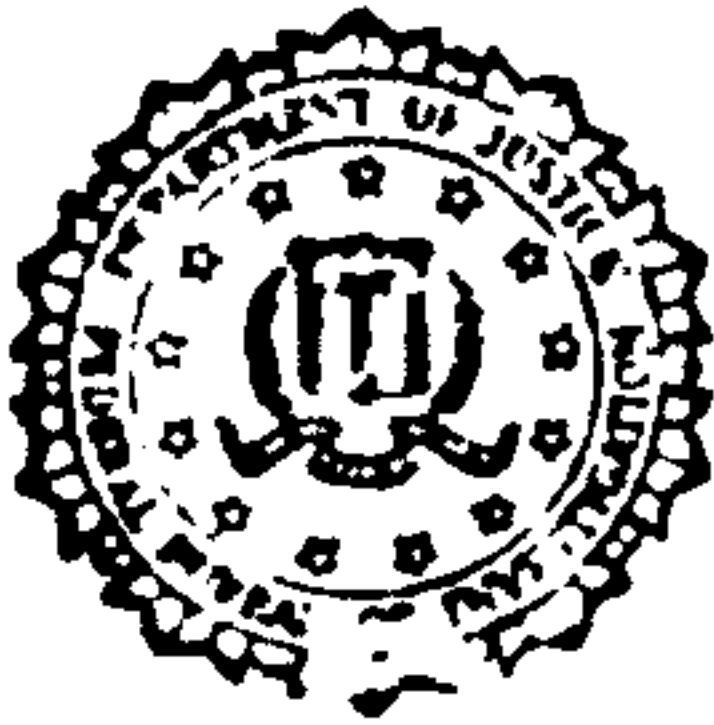
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

San Antonio, Texas
April 1, 1964

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AGAPITO DEL RIO, 116 East Arsenal Street, San Antonio, was interviewed on March 31, 1964. He returned to San Antonio from his Mexican trip on the Thursday preceding October 9, 1963, which is October 3, 1963. DEL RIO advised he departed Mexico City, Mexico, at 8:30 a.m., October 2, 1963, on Transportes del Norte Bus via San Luis Potosi, Monterrey, and Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, terminating in Laredo, Texas. He advised he did not change busses at Monterrey, but rode the same bus to Laredo, Texas. About sixteen persons were on board the bus when they left Mexico City, and about twenty-five persons were on board when they left Monterrey. Of those passengers leaving Mexico City, DEL RIO believes that about six were female. DEL RIO said he did not know anyone on the bus, nor did he know the name of anyone on the bus.

DEL RIO recalled only one person who did not appear to be of Latin American extraction. This person boarded the bus at Mexico City, Mexico, and continued the trip to the United States and boarded the Greyhound Bus in Laredo, Texas, with DEL RIO, and appeared to be traveling alone. This person was described as a white male, about thirty-eight years of age, with light brown eyes, about five feet ten inches in height, with thin to medium build, hair thin and believed black, weight about 150 to 160 pounds, clean shaven, and did not wear glasses. The man wore dark pants, a white short-sleeved shirt, and had no hat. DEL RIO saw no jacket. The man was wearing low cut shoes, not dress shoes, but made of a rough material. The man was carrying a small dark brown bag believed made of canvas or fabric material, not leather, the type that sailors carry. The bag had a zipper on top,

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but DEL RIO does not recall a zipper below. The bag was light in appearance and appeared to be light in weight. The handles were dark brown. This man spoke English like an American, and, to DEL RIO's knowledge, was the only person on the bus who did not speak Spanish.

DEL RIO sat about four to six seats from the front of the bus on the right side of the bus (not the driver's side). This man referred to above sat about four or five seats behind DEL RIO on the opposite side of the bus. DEL RIO stated that this man seemed to stay to himself and was not talkative but was "close-mouthed." DEL RIO said that he had occasion to talk to this man and asked him how he liked Mexico, and that the man replied that he liked it. DEL RIO asked the man where he was going, and DEL RIO believes the man said he was going to California. DEL RIO advised that there was a couple aboard the bus whom he believed to be Latin American but who spoke English. He noticed that this couple spoke with the above-mentioned man.

At Kilometer 26 check point, a Mexican Immigration Inspector boarded the bus and picked up DEL RIO's tourist card. DEL RIO said that this man took something out of his shirt pocket that looked like a billfold and showed it to the Immigration Inspector. This did not look like the tourist card DEL RIO had. DEL RIO does not recall the Immigration Inspector taking anything from this man. DEL RIO observed no difficulty at Kilometer 26 with this man or anyone on the bus. He cannot recall anyone leaving the bus at Kilometer 26.

The bus arrived at Kilometer 26 about midnight and arrived at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, about 1:00 to 1:15 a.m., October 3, 1963. The bus stopped about twenty minutes at the bus terminal in Nuevo Laredo, Mexico. The bus then proceeded to Laredo, Texas, with about twenty persons aboard. DEL RIO recalls this man did not get vaccinated by the U. S. Public Health Service at Laredo and could not recall anyone getting vaccinated there.

This man had several bananas in a paper sack and DEL RIO cautioned him that he would not be allowed

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...ring these into the United States. Thereafter this man ... the back of bananas on the bus and disembarked for the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service and Customs ... at Laredo, Texas. Thereafter, DEL RIO and this man got back on the bus and this person picked up his bananas. The bus traveled to the Greyhound Bus Terminal, Laredo, Texas, where all disembarked.

After waiting about one-half hour there, approximately twenty to twenty-two persons boarded the Greyhound bus marked for Chicago, scheduled to go through Dallas. These included about sixteen persons who were on Transportes del Norte bus and four to six other persons. Both DEL RIO and the above-mentioned man boarded this bus which left Laredo, Texas, about 2:00 p.m. and arrived in San Antonio, Texas, about 6:00 a.m., October 3, 1963, with one stop between at Dilley, Texas. DEL RIO did not sit with this person and does not know if this person got off either at Dilley or San Antonio. DEL RIO disembarked the bus at San Antonio and terminated his journey there. He mentioned that the Latin American couple, mentioned above, also got off the bus at San Antonio.

DEL RIO was shown photographs of LEE HARVEY OSWALD, one taken August, 1963, and the other taken November, 1963, and he stated that the person appearing in these photographs was not identical with a man observed by DEL RIO on DEL RIO's trip from Mexico City, Mexico, to Laredo, Texas, on October 2-3, 1963. He said he saw this man carrying only one piece of luggage, described above. He was shown photographs of OSWALD's luggage, including a photograph of a cloth club bag and a suitcase manufactured in Russia. He stated the cloth club bag appeared similar to that belonging to the man (supra) but was not identical. DEL RIO said he did not observe the above-mentioned man carrying any luggage similar to that appearing in the photograph of OSWALD's suitcase which was manufactured in Russia.

April 7, 1964

BY COURIER SERVICE

1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Lenihan 645 RB
Honorable J. Lee Rankin
General Counsel
The President's Commission
200 Maryland Avenue, Northeast
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to my letters of March 6 and 13, 1964, concerning Clarence Daniel Smelley, who advised our Birmingham, Alabama, Office that in 1962 he and an associate, whom he declined to identify, gave \$20,000 to a Nashville, Tennessee, juror on behalf of James Riddle Hoffa, President of the Teamsters Union, and were present in Washington, D. C., in September, 1963, when Hoffa gave "contracts" to Lee Harvey Oswald to kill President Kennedy and the Attorney General.

BY COURIER SVC.
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COMM. FBI

My letter of March 13, 1964, advised of the arrest of Smelley and the seizure of tapes which he claimed were recordings of conversations of Hoffa and others relating to this matter. The tapes were played and proved to be recordings of radio programs, some of which were broadcast after the issuance on March 6, 1964, of a subpoena for the production of the tapes.

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Smelley was reinterviewed on March 25, 1964, and stated that he knew of the existence of a tape or tapes of conversations between Hoffa and Lee Harvey Oswald concerning the assassination of President Kennedy. He declined to identify the individual who possessed this tape or tapes but claimed that he could procure the tapes and would cooperate with the FBI in that regard. He cannot or will not reconcile inconsistencies in the statements he has made regarding the existence of and contents of the tapes.

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Honorable J. Lee Rankin

Enclosed herewith is one copy of a memorandum incorporating the results of an examination of Smelley conducted at the Veterans Administration Hospital, Birmingham, during the period March 12 to 24, 1964.

The examination by the Veterans Administration Hospital had been ordered on March 11, 1964, by Federal Judge William E. Miller, Nashville, Tennessee, in order that a determination could be made as to Smelley's mental condition.

Any further developments of interest to your Commission will be brought to your attention.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosure

NOTE: As a matter of further background, Smelley failed to respond to a subpoena duces tecum served by our Agents and calling for his appearance before a Federal grand jury at Nashville, Tennessee, on 3/9/64. An order for Smelley's arrest and the seizure of the tapes in his possession was issued by the Federal Court at Nashville and the Birmingham Office accordingly arrested Smelley and seized the tapes. On 3/11/64, Smelley furnished a signed statement admitting he had no knowledge of "contacts" between Hoffa and Oswald.

Copy of the memorandum which is enclosed with this letter was furnished to Assistant Attorney General Miller by O-6-D, 4/3/64.

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 FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 520

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BUFILE 105-82555. LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS-R-CUBA. FOLLOWING IS DAILY SUMMARY.

RE OSWALD'S DEPARTURE FROM MEXICO. OCTOBER 2 LAST LIST OF TRANSPORTES DEL NORTE BUS IN WHICH SUBJECT BELIEVED TO HAVE TRAVELED TO LAREDO AS H.O. LEE INCLUDES FOLLOWING NAMES FOR PERSONS WITH DESTINATION WITHIN UNITED STATES: PAULA RUSCONI AND MARGARET A. WOLFF TO LAREDO, AGAPITO DEL RIO AND MISS COSIO TO SAN ANTONIO, AUGUSTO AGUILAR AND EULALIO RODRIGUEZ TO HOUSTON, AND JOSE BARRIGA AND WIFE TO DALLAS. NO RECORD IDENTIFIABLE WITH FOREGOING LOCATED EMBASSY VISA FILES AND ONLY AGAPITO DEL RIO APPEARS IN MEXICAN IMMIGRATION FILES AS HAVING DEPARTED MEXICO AS NON-MEXICAN. SUGGEST SAN ANTONIO CHECK USINS RECORDS AT LAREDO IN EFFORT TO IDENTIFY AND LOCATE ABOVE PERSONS FOR INTERVIEW. AIRTEL WITH DETAILS AND COPIES OF DOCUMENTATION OF POSSIBLE TRAVEL BY SUBJECT AS H.O. LEE SUBMITTED TODAY'S POUCH.

copy to call

MEXICO ROLANDO BARRIO ADVISED HE RECOGNIZED HIS HANDWRITING AND SIGNATURES ON TICKET EXCHANGE ORDERS AND WOULD NORMALLY WRITE H.O. LEE FOR NAME AS IT APPEARS ON OSWALD'S TOURIST CARD; HOWEVER HE COULD ONLY STATE THAT AT TIME OSWALD'S PHOTO APPEARED IN PRESS HE HAD STRONG IMPRESSION HE HAD KNOWN HIM. HE WAS UNABLE TO DEFINITELY AFFIRM THAT HE SOLD TICKETS TO OSWALD.

MEXICO CITY - MONTERREY PORTION OF TICKET SOLD TO H.O. LEE FOR SEAT 12 ON TRANSPORTES DEL NORTE BUS 332 OF OCTOBER 2 LAST

copy to SA (incl) who (incl) Lathrop (incl) 14 Lathrop City 205. Forward 4/8/64

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FROM MEXICO CITY

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LOCATED IN MONTERREY TODAY AND WILL BE FORWARDED BUREAU NEXT POUCH FOR LATENT FINGERPRINT EXAMINATION. MONTERREY INVESTIGATION DISCLOSES ALL PASSENGERS ON BUS 332 FROM MEXICO CITY ON OCTOBER 2 WERE REQUIRED TO CHANGE TO BUS 373 IN MONTERREY FOR REMAINDER OF TRIP TO LAREDO. DRIVER OF BUS 373 WAS ALVARO IBARRA WHO RESIDES NUEVO LAREDO AND CAN BE LOCATED THROUGH TRANSPORTES DEL NORTE OFFICE THERE. THIS BUS LEFT MONTERREY 9:50 P.M. OCTOBER 2 AND ARRIVED LAREDO APPROXIMATELY FOUR HOURS LATER ON OCTOBER 3. SUGGEST SAN ANTONIO BE INSTRUCTED TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW IBARRA. TWO DRIVERS OF BUS 332 DUE IN MEXICO CITY TOMORROW AND WILL BE INTERVIEWED HERE.

RE OSWALD'S ENTRY TO MEXICO VIA RED ARROW BUS LINE. REINTERVIEW OF OFFICIALS OF FOREGOING BUS LINE AND INQUIRIES OF ALL INVESTIGATIVE AGENCIES KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN ACTIVE IN CAPTIONED CASE HAS FAILED TO LOCATE PASSENGER LISTS FOR SEPTEMBER 26 BUS ON WHICH SUBJECT TRAVELED TO MEXICO CITY. INVESTIGATION CONTINUING.

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FROM DIRECTOR FBI (105-82555) — 3033

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS - R - CUBA.

OSWALD BELIEVED TO HAVE TRAVELED UNDER NAME H. O. LEE ON TRANSPORTES DEL NORTE BUS NUMBER THREE SEVEN TWO DEPARTING MEXICO CITY EIGHT-THIRTY AM OCTOBER TWO LAST. HE WAS ASSIGNED SEAT NUMBER TWELVE. AT MONTERREY, TRANSFERRED TO DEL NORTE BUS THREE SEVEN THREE WHICH DEPARTED NINE-FIFTY PM AND ARRIVED LAFEDO APPROXIMATELY TWO AM OCTOBER THREE LAST. BUS THREE SEVEN THREE DRIVEN FROM MONTERREY TO LAFEDO BY ALVARO IARRA WHO RESIDES IN NUEVO LAFEDO AND CAN BE LOCATED THROUGH DEL NORTE OFFICE THERE. FELLOW PASSENGER THIS BUS RECALLS YOUNG AMERICAN WHO HAD BEEN INTERVIEW WITH MEXICAN IMMIGRATION INSPECTOR AT KILOMETER THIRTY-TWO AND WANTED TO LEAVE BUS. ON RETURN YOUNG AMERICAN MADE DISCUSSION WITH IARRA INTERVIEW IARRA AND ASCERTAIN IF HE CAN IDENTIFY OSWALD AS PASSENGER ON BUS THREE SEVEN THREE OCTOBER TWO-THREE LAST. BUREAU WILL BE RECALL INCIDENT INVOLVING YOUNG AMERICAN AND MEXICAN IMMIGRATION.

2 - WFO (ENCLOSURE) (105-37111) (BY COURIER SERVICE)

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OFFICIAL AT KILOMETER TWENTY-SIX? BUS MANIFEST LISTS FOLLOWING
INDIVIDUALS WITH DESTINATION IN U. S.: PAULA BUSCONI AND
MARGARET A. WOLFF TO LAREDO; A MISS COSIO TO SAN ANTONIO;
AUGUSTO AGUILAR AND EULALIO RODRIGUEZ TO HOUSTON AND ROSE
BARRIGA AND WIFE TO DALLAS. NO RECORD THESE PEOPLE IN U. S.
EMBASSY, MEXICO CITY, OR IN MEXICAN IMMIGRATION FILES. CHECK
VACCINATION RECORDS AT LAREDO RE THESE PEOPLE. WFO WILL LABEL
- CHECK I DASH NINETY-FOUR FORMS.

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MAIL.

NOTE FOR SAC WFO:

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CHECK I DASH NINETY-FOUR FORMS RE FELLOW PASSENGERS. NOT
NECESSARY TO CHECK AGAPITO DEL RIO WHO HAS BEEN INTERVIEWED.

NOTE FOR SACs DALLAS AND SAN ANTONIO:

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TO DIRECTOR AND DALLAS

FROM SAN ANTONIO /105-2909/ /5 PAGES/

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS DASH R DASH CUBA

RE SAN ANTONIO TEL TO BUREAU, APRIL ONE, LAST, SAN FRANCISCO
TEL TO DIRECTOR DATED APRIL THREE, LAST, AND BUREAU TEL TO
SAN ANTONIO, APRIL FOUR, LAST.

HARRY SMITH, MANAGER, GREYHOUND BUS, LAREDO, TEXAS,
ADVISED THIS DATE THAT GREYHOUND BUS RECORDS, LAREDO, DISCLOSE
RECORD OF INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE ORDER NUMBER FOUR THREE FIVE
NINE NINE AND SHOWS THIS ORDER PROCESSED AT LAREDO IN THE
AMOUNT OF TWELVE DOLLARS AND EIGHTY CENTS, WHICH IS THE PRICE
OF A ONE DASH WAY GREYHOUND BUS TICKET FROM LAREDO TO DALLAS,
TEXAS. EXCHANGE ORDER NUMBER FOUR THREE FIVE NINE NINE IS
FRQ GREYHOUND BUS TICKET EIGHT TWO FIVE SIX ZERO ZERO NINE
AND WAS ISSUED BY RAUL TIJERINA, TICKET AGENT, ON DUTY LAREDO,
TEXAS, FROM TWELVE MIDNIGHT TO EIGHT THIRTY AM ON OCTOBER
THREE, LAST. SMITH STATED THAT ACCORDING TO GREYHOUND RECORDS,
THIS WAS THE ONLY EXCHANGE ORDER TICKET ISSUED TON OCTOBER

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THREE, LAST. TIJERINA WAS ON DUTY WITH RAYMUNDO VERA, A PORTER, AND THE BUS DRIVER OF THE GREYHOUND BUS FROM LAREDO TO SAN ANTONIO WAS J. C. ROBISON. TIJERINA, VERA, AND ROBISON ALL REINTERVIEWED THIS DATE AT LAREDO, TEXAS, AND SHOWN PHOTOS OF OSWALD. TIJERINA AND ROBISON DO NOT RECALL OSWALD OR ANYONE WITH A SACK OF BANANAS. VERA STATED THE FACE OF OSWALD WAS FAMILIAR, BUT HE WAS NOT SURE WHETHER OR NOT HE HAD EVER SEEN HIM BEFORE. ROBISON CHECKED QUOTER DISPATCHER'S SHEET UNQUOTE FOR OCTOBER THREE LAST WHICH SHOWED THAT ROBISON DEPARTED LAREDO AT THREE AM OCOOBER THREE, LAST, EN ROUTE TO SAN ANTONIO AND THAT HE HAD TWENTYONE PASSENGERS ABOARD, TWENTY OF WHOM WERE EN ROUTE TO SAN ANTONIO. OF THE TWENTY GOING TO SAN ANTONIO, SEVEN WERE CONTINUING ON NORTH OF SAN ANTONIO, WHICH COULD BE DALLAS AND THREE WERE GOING EAST OF SAN ANTONIO, WHICH COULD BE HOUSTON, TEXAS. FOUR PERSONS WERE ON DUTY AT THE INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE, LAREDO, ON THE TWELVE MIDNIGHT TO EIGHT AM SHIFT, ONE AGENT FOR THE INS, U.S. CUSTOMS, U.S.

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PUBLIC HEALTH, AND U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, THAT WERE AS FOLLOWS COLON

VICTOR GENNOE, U.S. CUSTOMS INSPECTOR. RAY W. BAKER, PLANT QUARANTINE INSPECTOR, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. W. S. HINE, U.S. INSPECTOR, AND ABRAHAM DILLY, ORDER QUARANTINE INSPECTOR, U.S. PUBLIC HEALTH.

ALL FOUR WERE INTERVIEWED THIS DATE AND SHOWN PHOTOS OF OSWALD, NONE COULD RECALL CHECKING HIM THROUGH TO THE U.S. ON OCTOBER THREE, LAST, AND NONE COULD RECALL ANY PERSON WITH SACK OF BANANAS. NORMAL PROCEDURE AT BRIDGE ON TWELVE MIDNIGHT TO EIGHT AM SHIFT, OCTOBER THREE, LAST, WAS FOR BUS TO PULL INTO THE U.S. CUSTOMS CHECKING POINT AT INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE AND ALL PASSENGERS TO UNLOAD. THOSE PERSONS WHO HAD BEEN TO THE INTERIOR OF MEXICO AND WHO HAD NOT RECEIVED SMALLPOX VACCINATIONS HAD TO REPORT TO U.S. PUBLIC HEALTH FOR SMALLPOX VACCINATIONS. THOSE PASSENGERS WHO WERE NOT U.S. CITIZENS WERE REQUIRED TO GO TO U.S. INS AND PRODUCE PROPER DOCUMENTS FOR ENTRANCE

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INTO U.S. BAGGAGE WAS CHECKED BY THE U.S. CUSTOMS INSPECTOR AND THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE INSPECTOR FOR PLANT AND HEALTH, CUSTOMS OR OTHER IMPORTS. THE INSPECTORS FROM THE SERVICES AT THE BRIDGE ON THE MIDNIGHT TO EIGHT AM SHIFT ASSIST EACH OTHER WHEN NUMEROUS PERSONS ARE ENTERING AT ONE TIEM. U.S. CUSTOMS BAGGAGE LOG FOR OCTOBER THREE, LAST, DISCLOSES THAT BUSES ENTERED FROM TWELVE MIDNIGHT TO EIGHT AM ON OCTOBER THREE, LAST, AND THAT FIFTEEN PASSENGERS WERE ON THE TWO BUSES WITH A TOTAL OF THIRTY DASH TWO PIECES OF LUGGAGE. RECORDS OF U.S. PUBLIC HEALTH QUARANTINE STATION RECHECKED FOR DATE OF OCTOBER THREE, LAST, AND DO NOT CONTAIN NAME OF H. O. LEE, THEY DO CONTAIN NAME OF AGAPITO DEL RIO, REFLECTING HE WAS VACCINATED THAT DATE. PEDRO MIDLAN, TERMINAL MANAGER, TRANSPORTES DEL NORTES, ADVISED THIS DATE THAT THEIR BUS NUMBER THREE SEVEN THREE ARRIVED NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, FROM MEXICO CITH AT ONE THIRTYFIVE AM, OCTOBER THREE, LAST AND WAS DRIVEN BY ALVARO

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IBARRA, WHO IS PRESENTLY IN MONTERREY, MEXICO, BUT WILL RETURN TO NUEVO LAREDO MEXICO, APRIL SEVEN, NEXT, AND CAN BE INTERVIEWED REGARDING CHECK OF RECORDS TRANSPORTES FLECHA ROJA, MADE APRIL THREE, LAST, FLECHA ROJA HAS NO BUS MANIFEST AND ONLY RECORD IS BAGGAGE GUIDE, PREVIOUSLY OBTAINED, WHICH ONLY CONTAINS INFORMATION CONCERNING PERSONS HAVING BAGGAGE, TRAVELING THAT DATE ON THAT BUS. ADDITIONAL EMPLOYEES OF FLECHA ROJA INTERVIEWED, INCLUDING EMPLOYEES THAT PREPARED BAGGAGE GUIDE, AND AN EMPLOYEE THAT DRIVES FROM U. S. TO MEXICO, WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS RE OSWALD.

ABOVE INFORMATION BEING SET FORTH IN NEXT REPORT.

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