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Date: 9/9/64

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL (Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-24016)
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (44-895)
RE: JACK L. RUBY, aka; LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka - VICTIM CIVIL RIGHTS
OO: DALLAS

Rebuairtel to Los Angeles 9/1/64, entitled "STEPHEN COLT, aka, Deke Miles, INFORMATION CONCERNING," a copy of which is enclosed for Dallas.

Review of Los Angeles files disclosed that DE ROSTUS MC COLLOUGH MILES, aka Deke Miles, Stephen Colt, was initially interviewed by SA JAY E. BAILEY on 11/29/63 in captioned matter. On the occasion of this interview, MILES indicated he was director of a show "How Hollywood Makes Movies" which appeared at the State Fairgrounds, Dallas, Texas, during the latter part of 1963, and furnished information regarding his acquaintanceship and knowledge of RUBY.

On 6/26/64, MILES called the Los Angeles Office and identified himself as having known RUBY quite well, indicating he was previously interviewed in this matter by Special Agents of the Los Angeles Office. He said he was calling from a bar; that he had lost a ring valued at \$450 in the bar and that the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) refused to come to the bar to take a stolen report or take any other action. MILES requested that the FBI contact the LAPD to seek their cooperation in going to the bar to obtain his ring. MILES was emphatically advised that no action in this regard could or would be taken by the FBI.

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On 8/14/64, MILES was re-interviewed by SAS CHARLES I. CARTER and PHILLIP B. DEILY for additional information pertaining to his previous acquaintanceship with RUBY.

On 8/25/64, MILES called the Los Angeles Office to request that SA JIM BAILEY be advised that he had been picked up by the LAPD for carrying a concealed weapon but that he was not booked. He subsequently called the Los Angeles Office and stated that what he previously told the FBI concerning RUBY was true, but that he felt "someone" might try to make him change his story.

On 9/2/64, MILES, who presently resides at 984 South Normandie Avenue, Apartment 101, Los Angeles, California, telephone DU 9-1731, telephonically advised SA JAY E. BAILEY that he had become intoxicated a couple nights ago and in order to impress a girl friend with the fact that he was acquainted with JACK RUBY, he had called the Dallas Jail and made inquiry about talking to RUBY. MILES stated he wanted the FBI to be aware of this call and indicated that no significance should be attached thereto.

Based on the foregoing, it would appear that when MILES becomes intoxicated, he is inclined to impress others with his knowledge and acquaintanceship with RUBY.

The foregoing is submitted for the information of the Bureau and Dallas.



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FBI DALLAS

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TO DIRECTOR \44-24016\ AND NEW YORK \44-974\ *MJH*

FROM DALLAS \44-1639\ 1P

JACK L. RUBY, AKA LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA - VICTIM. CR

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ENCLOSING COPY OF COMMISSIONS LETTER OF SEPTEMBER THREE REQUESTING  
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COMMISSION TO SPECIFIED INDIVIDUALS.

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DALLAS OFFICE TO BE RESIDING IN CARE OF CHESTERFIELD HOTEL, ONE  
THREE ZERO WEST FOUR NINE STREET, NEW YORK CITY, OR IN CARE OF  
SISTER MRS. A. J. WEISBERG, TWO TWO FIVE FIVE GRAND CONCOURSE,  
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IMMEDIATELY FURNISH NEW YORK OFFICE WITH SET OF SIX PHOTOGRAPHS  
FURNISHED IN REFERENCED COMMISSION LETTER IN ORDER FOR NEW YORK  
TO HANDLE REQUESTED INTERVIEW WITH GEORGE SENATOR.

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FROM DIRECTOR FBI (44-24016) — 2010

JACK L. RUBY, AKA; LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA DASH VICTIM.

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RE DL TEL THIS DATE.

NO COPIES OF PHOTOGRAPHS AVAILABLE AT BUREAU.

DALLAS COMPLETE INTERVIEWS ON EXPEDITE BASIS AND IMMEDIATELY THEREAFTER FORWARD PHOTOGRAPHS TO NEW YORK AMSD.

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Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_ (Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-24016)

FROM: SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)

RE: JACK L. RUBY, aka.;  
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka.  
(Deceased) - VICTIM  
CIVIL RIGHTS

At approximately 9:00 a.m., 9/9/64, Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD, mother of deceased victim, telephonically contacted SAC J. GORDON SHANKLIN and advised that Attorney JERRY MURAD, whose name has been mentioned in the newspapers the last several days as being considered by RUBY "kin", had been involved with her (Mrs. OSWALD) from the beginning. Mrs. OSWALD stated that Deputy Sheriff BILL BROWN of Fort Worth, Texas, came to her house on 11/28/63 and stayed at her house for 24 hours a day. He immediately wanted to become her business manager and wanted her to write a book. He suggested Attorney JERRY MURAD and had MURAD draw up a contract, which she refused to sign. She stated BROWN became indignant and took all the newspaper clippings out of her house and left at 12:00 midnight. She stated she could not understand why he stayed 24 hours a day when he was only supposed to work 8 hours.

Mrs. OSWALD inquired as to who suggested that JERRY MURAD act as attorney for RUBY. She stated there must be some connection between RUBY, BROWN and MURAD.

It should be noted that "The Fort Worth Press", Fort Worth, Texas, on 9/8/64 carried an article wherein Mrs. EVA GRANT, sister of RUBY, denied reports that the RUBY family was seeking to hire Fort Worth attorney JERRY MURAD as an addition to the RUBY defense staff.

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Mrs. OSWALD had telephonically contacted the Fort Worth Resident Agency at 8:40 a.m., 9/9/64, at which time she mentioned her suspicions concerning JERRY MURAD, and she again telephonically contacted the Fort Worth Resident Agency at 9:45 a.m., 9/9/64, after she had talked with SAC SHANKLIN, again mentioning her suspicions concerning JERRY MURAD.

The above is being furnished the Bureau for its information, and no action is contemplated UACB.



September 10, 1964

BY COURIER SERVICE

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. McGowan
- 1 - Mr. Hines

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

Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to your letter of September 3, 1964, enclosing six photographs of Jack L. Ruby and requesting that we have certain named persons identify Ruby in these photographs. It was also requested that we obtain a photograph of Jack L. Ruby published on page 12 of the "New York Times" on November 25, 1963, and a photograph of Lee Oswald printed on page A-25 of the "Dallas Morning News" on November 25, 1963.

Enclosed herewith are two copies each of a memorandum dated September 7, 1964, at Dallas, Texas, and a memorandum dated September 9, 1964, at New York, New York, setting forth investigation in response to your request. Also enclosed are the six pictures which were furnished by you to be exhibited. One copy of the requested photograph which appeared in the "New York Times," page 12 on November 25, 1963, is enclosed herewith. One copy of this photograph has been furnished to the Exhibits Section of the FBI for their use in preparation of an exhibit of which you are aware.

With regard to the photograph appearing on page A-25 of the "Dallas Morning News" on November 25, 1963, Mr. Griffin of the President's Commission was previously advised on September 8, 1964, that such a picture does not appear in the "Dallas Morning News" of that date but rather it appeared on page A-25 of the "Dallas Times Herald." Mr. Griffin was advised that the photograph in the "Dallas Times Herald" was the one desired.

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Honorable J. Leo Rankin

Contact with the "Dallas Times Herald" disclosed that the photograph desired was a United Press International (UPI) photograph and would have to be obtained from UPI Headquarters, New York, New York. Mr. Frank Tremaine, Vice-president in Charge of Photographs, UPI, New York City, upon contact September 9, 1964, advised that he would not release the photograph in the absence of a stipulation from the President's Commission that neither the picture nor any copies thereof would be made available to any media for reproduction or use in any way and that the picture would be published only in the President's Commission's report with a credit to UPI and that the picture would be protected against copying by any one from the report by proper notice to that effect printed in the report. Mr. Griffin was telephonically advised of this by Special Agent J. William Hines of this Bureau on September 10, 1964, at which time Mr. Griffin stated that the matter of obtaining the UPI picture would be handled by the President's Commission directly with Mr. Tremaine of UPI. No further efforts will be made by the FBI to obtain this picture in the absence of a further request from the President's Commission.

This concludes the investigation requested in your letter of September 3, 1964.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosures (11)

NOTE:

The Commission's request as set forth above was received 9/4/64 and investigation immediately initiated on that date. The Commission requested that we obtain the results by 9/10/64.



UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : MR. CALLAHAN

DATE: 9-10-64

FROM : L. J. GAUTHIER *[Signature]*

SUBJECT: PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION  
REQUESTS FOR VISUAL AIDS

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*Jack [unclear]*

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During the past several weeks the Bureau completed 23 visual aids which were requested by Mr. Rankin to be used by the Commission to assist report writers in clarifying obscure, technical points which will appear in the text of the finished report estimated to consist of 30 volumes upon completion. On 9-3-64, Staff members Redlich, Willens, Slawson and Griffin requested fifteen (15) additional visual aids dealing with Oswald's life in the USSR, Ruby's killing of Oswald and the assassination site. No deadline date was set at that time, however, their requests were given expeditious attention by the Exhibits Section and within two working days plus several hours overtime, preliminary rough draft sketches were completed and discussed with these attorneys on 9-9-64.

Mr. Willens, Administrative Assistant to Mr. Rankin, advised me on 9-9-64 that he had been instructed to have the completed text and visual aids in the hands of the Government Printing Office by noon Friday, 9-11-64. He instructed his staff to get me all the information necessary to complete new exhibits and to approve all rough sketches already submitted to the Commission. The 15 rough drafts were approved by 4:00 p.m., on 9-9-64. Two additional visual aids were requested making a total of 17 to be completed in a matter of one working day, an assignment which normally would be handled in four working days. Material for two visual aids is still to be obtained by the Commission from the Defense Department and made available to the Exhibits Section early on 9-10-64.

Mr. Willens was advised that the visual aids would be completed and delivered to him by noon on Friday, 9-11-64.

ACTION:

Extra hours have been ordered for experienced Exhibits Specialists to work beyond the normal working day to the extent necessary to get this job done on time.

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont (Sent Direct)
- 1 - Mr. Rosen (Mr. Malley) (Sent Direct)
- 1 - Mr. Conrad (Mr. Shaneyfelt) (Sent Direct)
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan (Sent Direct)
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach (Sent Direct)

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Mr. Belmont

9-11-64

A. ROSEN

1 - C. D. DeLoach  
1 - W. C. Sullivan  
(R. E. Lenihan)  
1 - Mr. Belmont  
1 - Mr. Rosen  
1 - Mr. Malloy  
1 - Mr. Shroder  
1 - Mr. McGowan (J. W. Hinos)  
1 - Mr. Raupach

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA.  
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JACK L. RUBY  
LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM  
CIVIL RIGHTS

PURPOSE

To advise the Bureau received a President's Commission request which requires interviews with members of the President's Commission and staff, Sol A. Dann of Detroit and Melvin Belli of San Francisco, the latter two, are former Ruby attorneys. The interviews are to relate to the leak of information to news media of Oswald's diary, Ruby's polygraph examination and Ruby's interview with Chief Justice Warren.

BACKGROUND

At the request of the Commission we have conducted extensive investigation concerning the leak of information to news media regarding Oswald's diary, Jack Ruby's polygraph examination and Ruby's interview with Chief Justice Warren. The results of the investigations have been furnished to the President's Commission.

Congressman Gerald R. Ford was the only member of the Commission interviewed as it was alleged he leaked information regarding Oswald's diary. This allegation was completely erroneous. The Commission was advised other members and staff would not be interviewed in the absence of a specific request.

By letter dated September 10, 1964, the Commission requested that members and staff be interviewed; also that Mr. Sol A. Dann and Melvin Belli, former Ruby attorneys, be interviewed.

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Memorandum to Mr. Belmont  
RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA.

Consideration was given as to whether these interviews should be conducted by members of Mr. DeLoach's Office since some of the Commission employees are members of Congress. It is felt that in view of the investigative nature of the requests it would be preferable to utilize experienced personnel of WFO.

ACTION

If approved, the attached airtel is to be forwarded to WFO with instructions to interview Commission members and staff, who were present during Ruby's interview and his polygraph examination, and conduct further investigation to fully explore and pick down any such leaks of information pertaining to Oswald's diary, Ruby's interview and polygraph examination within the Commission.



PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION  
ON THE  
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY

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J. LEE RANKIN,  
General Counsel

SEP 10 1964

J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Confirming a telephone conversation to the Federal Bureau of Investigation more than a week ago, the Commission asks that in making your investigation concerning the alleged leaks of the Oswald Diary, the Ruby polygraph, and the Ruby testimony, you interview Mr. Sol A. Dann of Detroit and Mr. Marvin Belli of San Francisco, the members of the Commission staff and the Commission, and report to us the results of those inquiries.

The Commission greatly appreciates your continuing cooperation.

Sincerely,

J. Lee Rankin  
General Counsel

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*Mr. Paul Belmont  
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with Mr. Taylor  
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1 - Mr. McGowan (J. W. Hines)  
1 - Mr. Raupach

Airtel

44-24016 -

To: SAC, WFO

From: Director, FBI (105-82555) (44-24016)

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA.  
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ATTENTION: CRIMINAL SECTION

JACK L. RUBY  
LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM  
CIVIL RIGHTS

By letter dated September 10, 1964, the President's Commission requested that in conducting the investigation concerning the leaks of the Lee Harvey Oswald diary, the Jack L. Ruby polygraph examination and the Jack L. Ruby testimony before Chief Justice Warren, that Mr. Sol A. Dann of Detroit and Mr. Melvin Belli of San Francisco, the members of the Commission staff and the Commission be interviewed and report the results of those inquiries.

Enclosures comprising reports and memoranda are being furnished to WFO only as WFO will be handling the bulk of this investigation. In this respect WFO is to assign mature, experienced personnel to this matter. The fact that the Commission has requested the investigation must not lend itself to any reluctance on the part of the investigative Agents to fully explore and pin down any and every possibility that the questioned leaks might have occurred within the Commission. The results of the investigation must meet the highest Bureau standards. All interviews are to be thorough, business like and conducted with circumspection.

Enclosures (14) **DUPLICATE YELLOW**

- 1 - Detroit
- 1 - San Francisco
- 1 - Dallas

① - 44-24016 (Jack L. Ruby)

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NOTE: See memo Rosen to Belmont, 9-11-64, captioned as above, KMR:las. This matter is being coordinated between Civil Rights Section and the Criminal Section, Division 6.

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Airtel to SAC, WFO  
RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD

Personnel assigned are to thoroughly review the enclosed memoranda and reports which reveal previous investigation conducted in this matter before instituting investigation.

For the information of all offices, results of investigation for each phase must be submitted separately by a letterhead memorandum suitable for dissemination as follows:

Pertaining to the leak of Oswald's diary, this information is to be contained in a letterhead memorandum under the caption "Leo Harvey Oswald, Internal Security - Russia - Cuba."

Pertaining to the Ruby interview and polygraph examination, results of this investigation are to be reported under "Jack L. Ruby, Leo Harvey Oswald - Victim, Civil Rights."

For the information of Detroit and San Francisco following is a summary of investigation previously conducted concerning the leaks:

By letters dated June 30, 1964, and July 10, 1964, the President's Commission requested the Bureau to conduct investigation of the publication of Leo Harvey Oswald's diary by "The Dallas Morning News" and "Life" magazine.

On June 27, 1964, "The Dallas Morning News," Dallas, Texas, carried an article by Carl Fround concerning information furnished by Jack Ruby at the time of his interview by Chief Justice Earl Warren at Dallas, Texas, on 6-7-64. A copyrighted article by Hugh Aynesworth concerning Oswald's diary together with a photograph of a page of this diary also appeared. On June 28, 1964, the same paper carried the second article by Hugh Aynesworth concerning the diary, also a photograph of a CP U. S. A. letter dated 7-31-63, addressed to Oswald, a photograph of Oswald's undesirable discharge from the U. S. Marines dated 9-13-60 and a photograph of an International Certificate of Vaccination in the name of Oswald bearing the signature "A. J. Hideool" bearing date stamp 6-8-63. These items were among materials seized by



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the Dallas Police Department on 11/22 - 23/63, in a search of Oswald's room at 1026 North Beckley Street, Dallas, Texas, and his effects at the residence of Ruth Paine, 2515 West Fifth Street, Irving, Texas.

The investigation indicated Assistant District Attorney William F. Alexander, Dallas, Texas, was the possible source of material published. It was determined Alexander obtained film of the above-mentioned documents from Dallas Police Department on June 1, 1964, and had copies of the film and hard copy photographs made at the Dallas Recordak Corporation in Dallas, Texas. Officials at "The Dallas Morning News" refused to divulge the source of the material for their articles. Interviews with officials of the Dallas Police Department failed to establish the source of material published, although Chief of Police, Jesse E. Curry, had the immediate reaction the information was made available by Alexander. Also Mr. Henry Wade, District Attorney, Dallas, Texas, indicated he suspected Alexander but could furnish no specific proof.

When Alexander was interviewed by Agents of the Dallas Office, he denied being the source of the material published. However, Alexander alleged that Representative Gerald R. Ford, a member of the President's Commission, leaked the information to "Life" magazine. Alexander made other allegations which he stated he obtained from a source that he would not identify.

Mr. Henry Wade, District Attorney, made available for examination a folder containing hard copy prints of the evidence, which folder he stated was obtained from the office of William F. Alexander during late June of 1964.

On July 17, 1964, Mr. Holland McCombs, Dallas correspondent for "Life" magazine advised he contacted Hugh Aynesworth, reporter for "The Dallas Morning News" on June 25 or 26, 1964, concerning the purchase of a copy of Oswald's diary, at which time he was referred to Aynesworth's wife Paula. Mr. McCombs purchased from



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RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA.

Paula Aynesworth the copy of Oswald's diary for \$2500. Neither Aynesworth nor his wife revealed the source of the diary. Thereafter "Life" magazine obtained permission from Marina Oswald for the publication of the diary for \$20,000 plus one-half share of all foreign sales of the issue containing the diary.

Disposition of the film and prints in possession of the Dallas Police Department were accounted for. The FBI Laboratory conducted an examination of the material obtained from the office of Mr. Henry Wade, Dallas, Texas, and a copy of Oswald's diary obtained from "Life" magazine. The examination established that "Life" magazine's copy which was published, was made from the film obtained from the Dallas District Attorney's Office.

On August 17, 1964, Congressman Gerald R. Ford was interviewed by a representative of this Bureau. He said he desired to unequivocally state, and to furnish a signed statement if necessary, that he did not leak the information in question. He also stated that he did talk to "Life" magazine previously, but under no circumstances had he given "Life" magazine any information concerning Oswald's diary.

Ruby was afforded a polygraph examination at the Dallas County Jail on 7-18-64 by Special Agents Doll Herndon and W. James Wood at the specific request of the President's Commission. Present during various phases of the examination were E. L. Holman of the Dallas Sheriff's Office, Clayton Fowler and Joe H. Tonahill, Ruby's attorneys, Assistant District Attorney William Alexander, Dr. William Robert Beavers, Court Reporter Odell Oliver and Jack Ruby. On 7-22-64, the "Dallas Times Herald" printed an article purporting to be the complete questions and answers from the polygraph examination and on 7-30-64, the Commission requested that we conduct investigation to determine how this information came into the hands of the "Dallas Times Herald."

Enclosed are letterhead memoranda setting forth results of this investigation with the exception of an interview with Arlin Spector of the President's Commission, who has not been interviewed.



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RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA.

On June 7, 1964, Chief Justice Warren and members of the President's Commission interviewed Jack Ruby at the Dallas County Jail. On 8-18-64, a copyright story by Dorothy Kilgallon appeared in the "New York Journal-American" which set forth verbatim the transcript of Ruby's testimony. On 8-20-64, the Commission requested that we conduct investigation to determine how this transcript came into the possession of Dorothy Kilgallon, and the Journal-American. Enclosed are letterhead memoranda setting forth results of investigation conducted with the exception of investigation within the President's Commission itself. It will be noted that in addition to persons interviewed who were present, Chief Justice Earl Warren, Congressman Gerald Ford of the Commission, Commission Counsel J. Leo Rankin, Commission Staff Counsel Joseph H. Ball and Arlin Specter and Elmer W. Moore, Special Agent, U. S. Secret Service assigned to the Commission were also present during this interview.

All persons who were present at the interview of Ruby and during the conduct of the polygraph examination who have not been interviewed must be thoroughly interviewed for all information they may have concerning the leaks. Any other indicated investigation within the Commission itself must also be conducted; particularly in connection with the transcript of the Ruby interview, it must be determined how many copies were reproduced by the Commission, what was done with them and all persons having access to them within the Commission must also be interviewed. Every effort must be made to pin down the specific handling and disposition of each and every copy known to exist. It is noted that one copy of this transcript was furnished by the Commission to the Bureau and the Commission has been advised of the security of this copy.

With respect to the interview of Melvin Belli, it was noted that he was the attorney who defended Ruby during his trial in Dallas, Texas, however, he was discharged prior to the Commission's interview of Ruby and the polygraph examination and was not present on either occasion. He should be thoroughly interviewed for any knowledge he might have concerning the leaks of the Oswald diary, interview of Ruby and polygraph examination.



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With respect to Mr. Sol A. Dann, he is a Detroit attorney who was hired by Ruby's family subsequent to Ruby's trial. There has been animosity between Dann and Ruby's Dallas attorneys, Fowler and Tonahill. Dann hired a psychiatrist to examine Ruby prior to the polygraph examination and on the basis of his recommendation was strongly opposed to allowing Ruby to take the examination. This should be considered in the interview of Dann at Detroit and any information he has concerning any of the three leaks in question should be obtained. Leads arising from either of these interviews should, of course, be set out by teletype and promptly pursued to their logical conclusion.

The Bureau has received indications the President's Commission is concluding its investigation. Therefore, this matter is to be handled immediately.

Detroit and San Francisco are to submit the results of their investigation to reach the Bureau on or before September 18, 1964. WFO is to submit results of investigation to reach the Bureau by 9 a.m. September 21, 1964.

All offices are to submit one copy revealing results of investigation to Dallas for their information as office of origin. The Bureau will handle dissemination to the President's Commission.

Persons contacted should be initially and specifically advised that these interviews are being conducted upon the specific request of the President's Commission. In addition, receiving offices are instructed this is a limited investigation restricted to Commission members, Commission staff and the two former Ruby attorneys.

Upon completion of interviews with Commission members and staff, WFO is instructed to advise the Bureau and do not interview Chief Justice Warren pending further instructions.



UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT

DATE: 9-14-64

FROM : MR. I. W. CONTRAD

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF THE PRESIDENT

*LeRouge*

It is noted that, as set forth by earlier memoranda, Court reporters' copies of testimony by Laboratory representatives before the President's Commission were obtained and reviewed for accuracy and suggested corrections and changes were furnished to the Commission in the form of corrections in the manuscript itself. In some instances these changes were required by inaccurate reporting on the part of the Court reporter and in other instances they were considered desirable to supply details and clarification for those reading the transcript and not having the benefit of the atmosphere and conditions of the actual testimony, such as reference to specific exhibits used in illustrating the testimony. Where the attorney handling the examination was available, these changes were discussed directly with the attorney; in the majority of cases, however, the attorneys were not available and, therefore, the corrected manuscripts were left with Mr. Willens of the Commission in order that he might forward them to the appropriate attorney for concurrence in the proposed corrections. Mr. Eisenberg handled the bulk of the testimony for the Commission and we were advised that, in the event any of the suggested changes were questioned, we would be further advised.

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However, as set forth in Mr. Malley's memorandum of July 27, 1964, Mr. Willens subsequently advised that some of the changes were acceptable and some were not, without specifying which were accepted and which were not. Accordingly, immediate efforts were undertaken to determine which of the suggested changes were disapproved. We have been successful to date in obtaining testimony transcripts of only two of the Laboratory witnesses and a review of these indicates that uncorrected errors in reporting still existed in both transcripts. These uncorrected errors have again been called to the Commission's attention.

Where we have suggested changes for the purpose of clarity, it is purely a matter of the Commission's decision whether to make such changes. The testimony as given is correct. Where the suggested changes were due to typographical errors and errors in court reporter transcription, the responsibility rests with the Commission to make the changes. We have called the errors to the attention of the Commission, and in the event any question arises at a later date, we can so state.

ACTION:

None--for information and record.

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- Mr. Belmont

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September 14, 1964

BY COURIER SERVICE

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
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- 1 - Mr. Hines

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

Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to my letter to you dated September 2, 1964, enclosing results of a portion of this Bureau investigation to determine how the transcript of Jack L. Ruby's testimony before the President's Commission on June 7, 1964, came into the possession of Dorothy Kilgallen and the "New York Journal-American." This investigation was initially requested by you on August 20, 1964.

Enclosed herewith are two copies each of a memorandum dated September 4, 1964, and a memorandum dated September 9, 1964, both at Dallas, Texas, setting forth the results of additional investigation regarding this matter. Further investigation is being conducted pursuant to the supplemental request in your letter of September 10, 1964.

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Sincerely yours,

BY COURIER SVC.

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Enclosures (4)

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_ JWII/cac/ras
- Belmont \_\_\_\_\_ (7)
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Casper \_\_\_\_\_ SEE NOTE ON PAGE TWO
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Conrad \_\_\_\_\_
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NOTE:

A copyright story by Dorothy Kilgallen appeared in the "New York Journal-American" on 8/18/64 which set forth verbatim Ruby's testimony before the President's Commission on 6/7/64. On 8/20/64 Mr. Rankin telephonically requested investigation to determine how this transcript came into possession of Kilgallen and the "Journal-American." By letter 8/26/64 we confirmed Rankin's request, and furnished results of interviews of the publisher of the "Journal-American" and Dorothy Kilgallen, both of whom refused to identify their source. We also advised the Commission that we would not interview any personnel of the Commission in absence of a specific request. We have previously interviewed all others present except Commission members who deny any knowledge of how the transcript came to be printed and forwarded results by letter 9/2/64. The Commission by letter 9/10/64 requested that Commission personnel be interviewed. This investigation is being ordered.



September 11, 1964

BY COURIER SERVICE

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

*Delivered to  
Mr. Rankin's office  
12:30 PM  
9/11/64*

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Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to your letter of September 8, 1964, requesting the preparation of various visual aids involving photographs of Jack Ruby at the Dallas Police Department, photographs of Jack Ruby's apartment and nightclub, Western Union records, and copies of newspaper advertisements and articles.

Enclosed, per your request, are four glossy prints each of the following visual aids which were prepared from information selected by the Commission from documented records:

1. BEDROOM OF JACK RUBY'S APARTMENT
2. NO TITLE (five photographs of Little Lynn and Western Union receipts)
3. JACK RUBY MOVING TOWARD OSWALD IN FRONT OF NEWSMAN IKE PAPPAS
4. NEWSPAPER ADVERTISEMENT AND BILLBOARD DISPLAY WHICH ATTRACTED RUBY'S INTEREST ON NOVEMBER 22 AND 23, 1963

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- 1 - Mr. Rosen (Mr. Malley)
- 1 - Mr. Conrad (Mr. Shanoyfelt) (Enclosures) 7
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach

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The President's Commission

5. "CLOSED" SIGN POSTED IN THE WINDOW OF THE CAROUSEL CLUB AND RUBY'S NEWSPAPER ADVERTISEMENT ANNOUNCING THAT THE VEGAS AND CAROUSEL CLUBS WILL BE CLOSED
6. LOCATION OF EYEWITNESSES TO THE MOVEMENTS OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD IN THE VICINITY OF THE TIPPIT KILLING
7. JACK RUBY AT DALLAS POLICE DEPARTMENT ON THE NIGHT OF NOVEMBER 22-23, 1963

These visual aids were previously approved by Mr. Matt W. Griffin of the Commission's staff, and this complies with the request contained in referenced letter.

Sincerely yours,

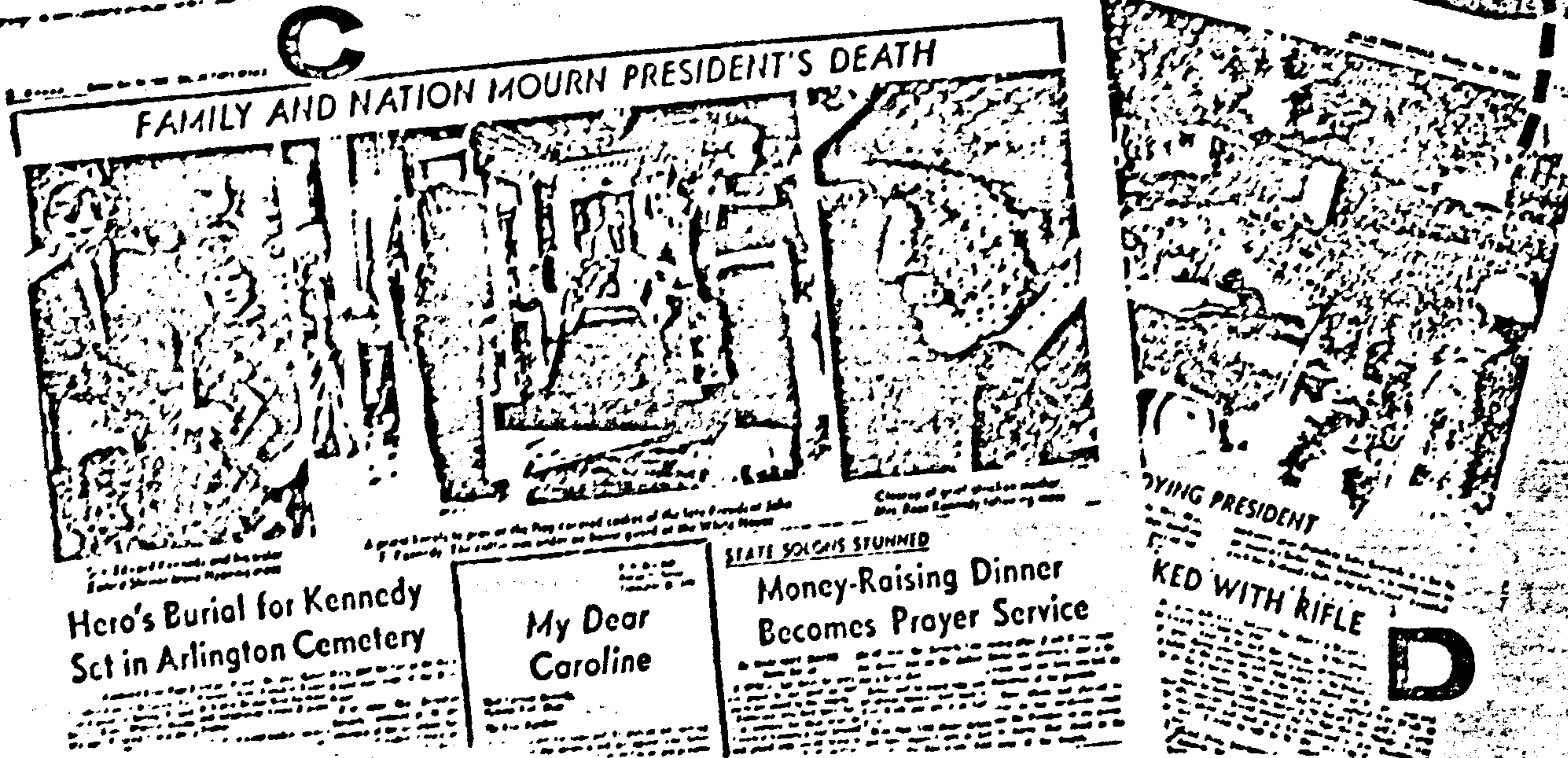
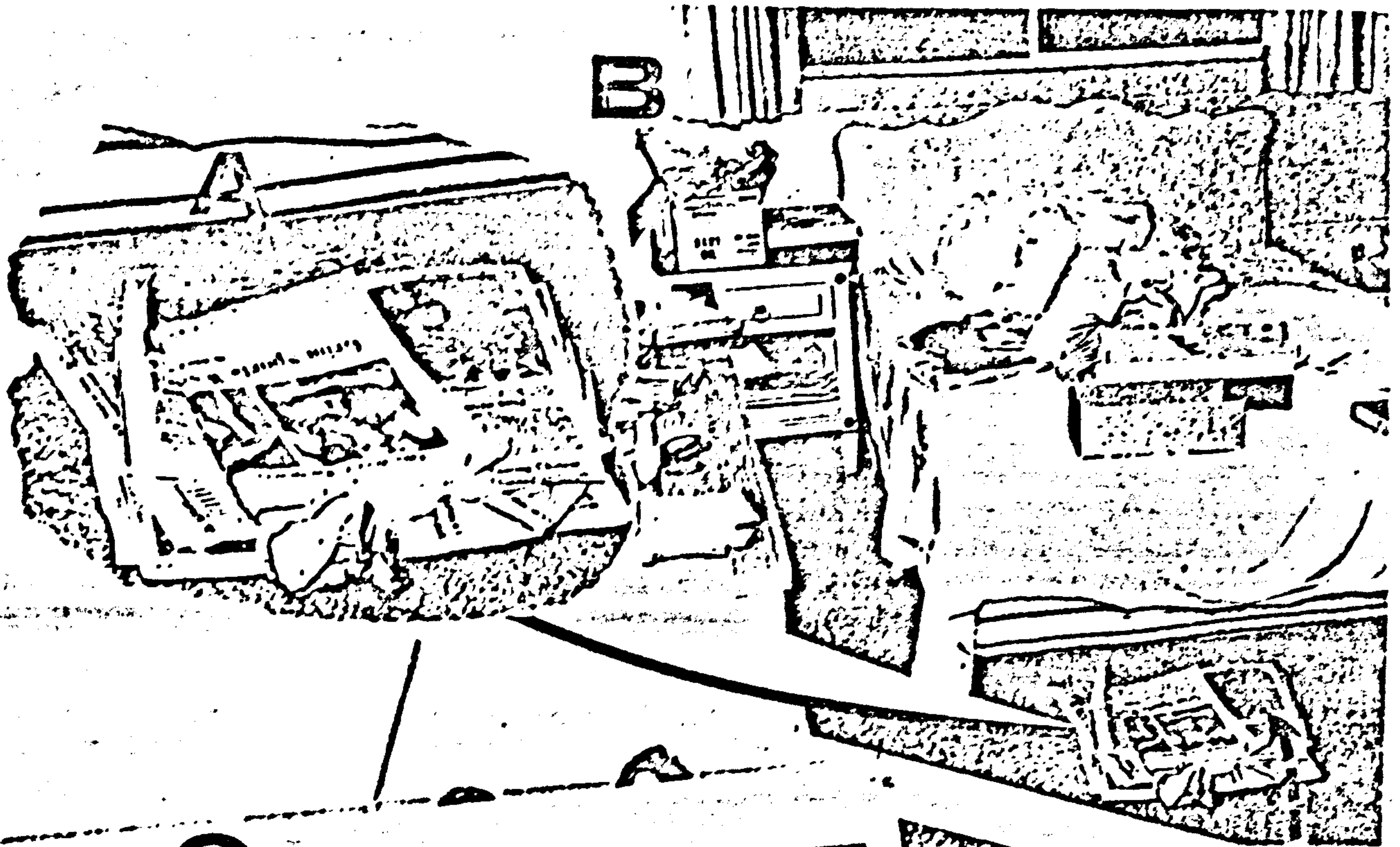
Enclosure (2s)

NOTE: The material for these visual aids was furnished by Griffin on 9-3-64. Preliminary diagrams, furnished to him on 9-9-64, were approved at 4:00 p.m. same date, with a request that finished copies be made available to the Commission by noon 9-11-64.



# BEDROOM OF JACK RUBY'S APARTMENT

(COMMISSION EXHIBIT 2426)



ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON NOVEMBER 24, 1963, A COPY OF THAT MORNING'S DALLAS TIMES HERALD WAS FOUND AT THE FOOT OF JACK RUBY'S BED (B). AS REVEALED IN THE BLOW-UP (A), THE PAPER WAS OPEN TO PAGE A-3 (A AND D). THE FACING PAGE, 2-A, BORE A LETTER TO CAROLINE KENNEDY (C) WHICH JACK RUBY TESTIFIED THAT HE READ THAT MORNING BEFORE SHOOTING LEE HARVEY OSWALD.



Route Republic  
 For good Ruby.  
 \$500  
 Forwarded by  
 Little Lynn

REPUBLIC CARLOADING

COPY OF RECEIPT GIVEN BY LITTLE LYNN TO MUEY AT 10.33 P.M., NOVEMBER 23, 1963 (COMMISSION EXHIBIT 1476)

Ex. No. 5118 LANE, D.E. Deposition 3-31-64  
 Dallas

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

PAY AMOUNT: TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS AND CENTS

TO: KAREN BENNETT

FROM: JACK RUBY

DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MONEY WITH THE MONEY:

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Ex. No. 5118 LANE, D.E. Deposition 3-31-64  
 Dallas

COPY OF TELEGRAM ORDER FOR MONEY SENT TO LITTLE LYNN ON NOVEMBER 24, 1963, STAMPED 11 17 A.M. (DOYLE LANE DEPOSITION 5118)

(Duplicate of original money order receipt given to Jack Ruby)

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Jack Ruby  
 31312 Commerce  
 Twenty Five

Karen Bennett  
 FTW with Dallas

Slp Lane

Ex. No. 5119 LANE, D.E. Deposition 3-31-64  
 Dallas

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 RECEIVED IN DEPT.  
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COPY OF WESTERN UNION OFFICE COPY OF RECEIPT GIVEN TO JACK RUBY ON NOVEMBER 24, 1963, STAMPED 11:17 A.M. (DOYLE LANE DEPOSITION 5119)

RECEIPT  
 OF DALLAS, TEXAS

TO: Jack Ruby  
 31312 Commerce  
 Twenty Five

FROM: Karen Bennett  
 FTW with Dallas

Slp Lane

Ex. No. 5119 LANE, D.E. Deposition 3-31-64  
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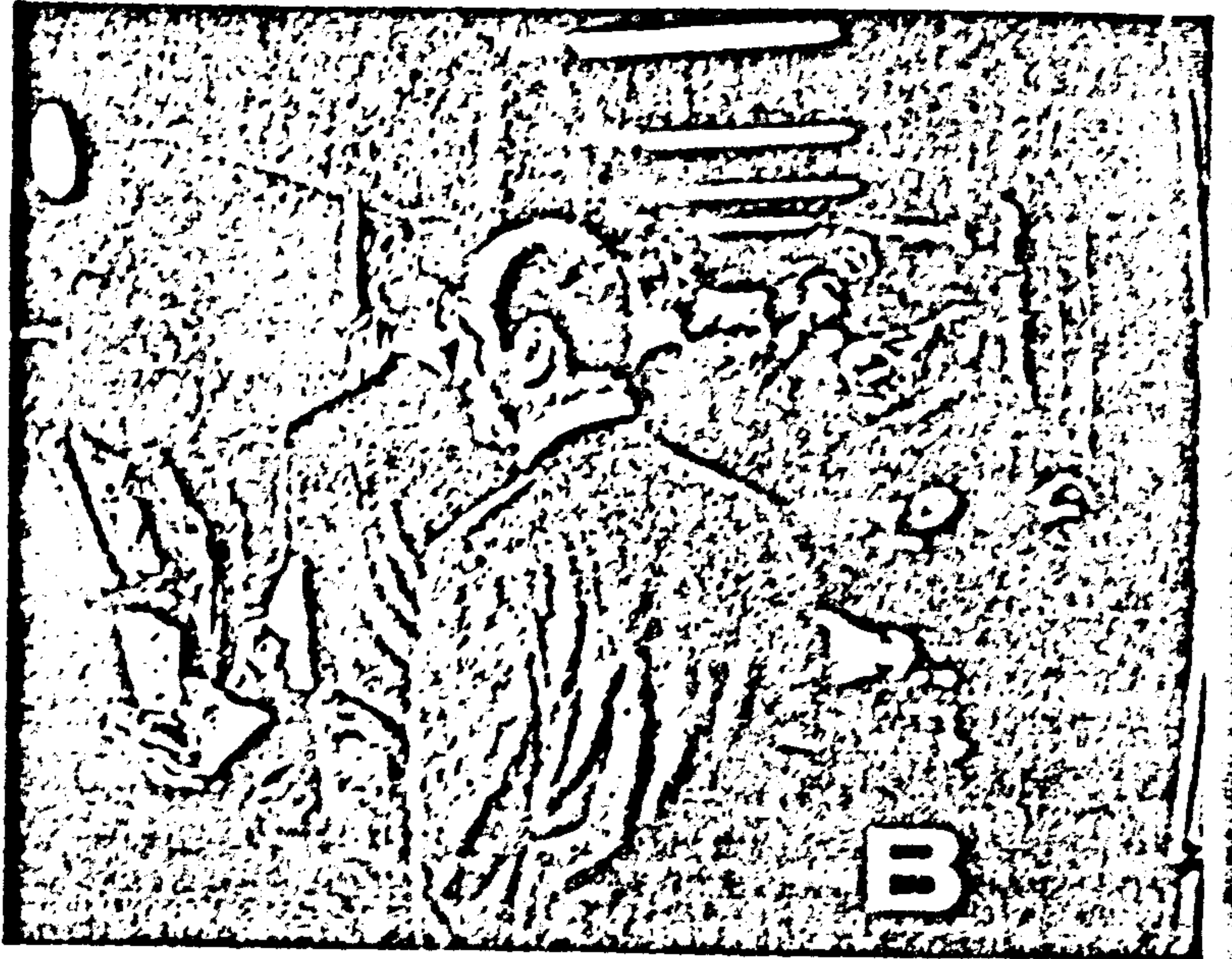
COPY OF FACE OF WESTERN UNION RECEIPT GIVEN TO JACK RUBY ON NOVEMBER 24, 1963 (COMMISSION EXHIBIT 2420)



# JACK RUBY AT DALLAS POLICE DEPARTMENT ON THE NIGHT OF NOVEMBER 22-23, 1963



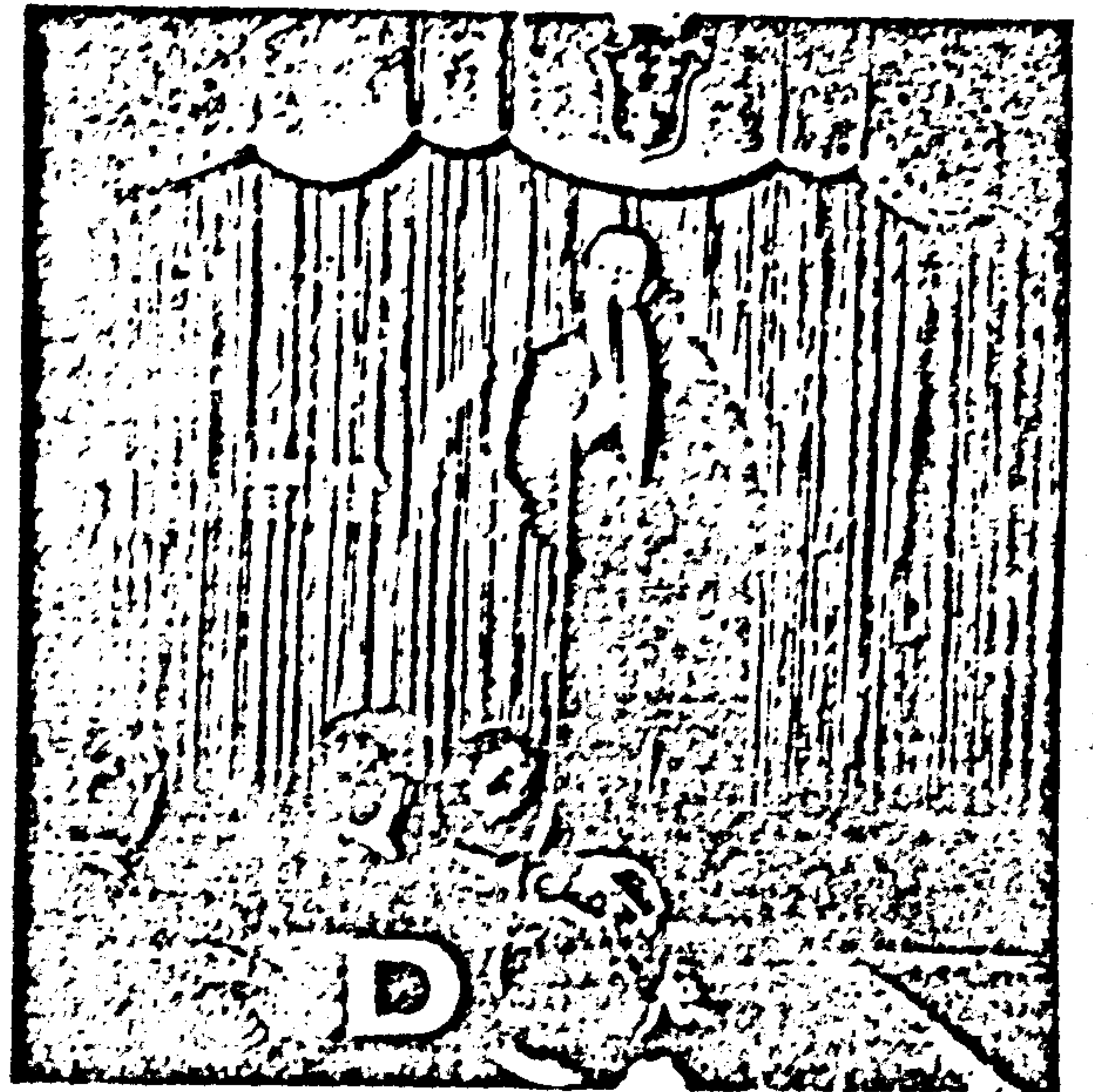
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RUBY IN THIRD FLOOR CORRIDOR NEAR  
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RUBY AT NIGHT CONFERENCE IN BASEMENT  
POLICE ASSEMBLY ROOM ABOUT MIDNIGHT

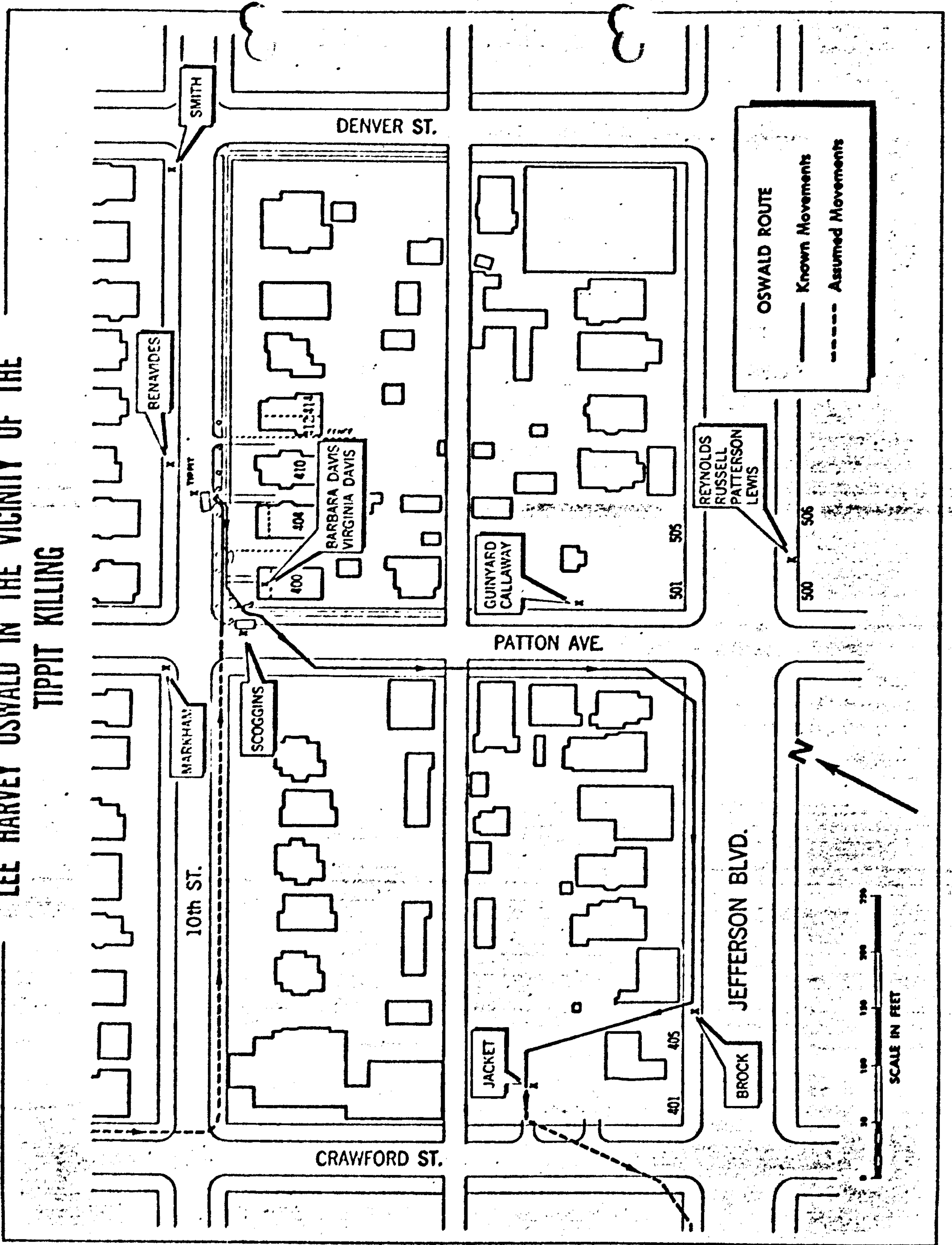


COMPARISON  
PHOTOGRAPH

"A"- KNOWN PHOTOGRAPH OF JACK RUBY APPEARING IN NEW YORK TIMES, NOVEMBER 25, 1963, PAGE 12 (COMMISSION EXHIBIT 2422); "B"- COMMISSION EXHIBIT 2423; "C"- COMMISSION EXHIBIT 2424; "D"- KNOWN PHOTOGRAPH OF JACK RUBY AT CAROUSEL CLUB TAKEN BY FREE-LANCE PHOTOGRAPHER (COMMISSION EXHIBIT 2425).



# LOCATION OF EYEWITNESSES TO THE MOVEMENTS OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD IN THE VICINITY OF THE TIPPIT KILLING





# NEWSPAPER ADVERTISEMENT AND BILLBOARD DISPLAY WHICH ATTRACTED RUBY'S INTEREST ON NOVEMBER 22 AND 23, 1963

## WELCOME MR. KENNEDY

### TO DALLAS...

- A CITY is a goodly community and one should not wish to see it divided by a narrow party line.
- A CITY is a home for the people of that area and they should be treated as such.
- A CITY is a place where the people should be able to live in peace and harmony.
- A CITY is a place where the people should be able to live in freedom and democracy.

**MR. KENNEDY** despite conditions on the part of your administration the State Department the Mayor of Dallas the Dallas City Council and members of your party are free thinking and America thinking citizens of Dallas all have through a Committee largely ignored by you the right to address our grievances to question you to do as you see fit and to advise you.

In asserting the constitutional right we ask to all you public the following questions—would questions of paramount importance and interest to all free people everywhere—would you all answer ... in public without censorship. These questions are:

**WHY** is Latin America being pulled out, American or Communist or both, despite increased US foreign aid, State Department policy, and your own bylaws provisions?

**WHY** do you say we have lost a "land of freedom" around Cuba when there is no freedom in Cuba today? Because of your policy that all of Cuba's ports have been impounded, are closing and being nationalized - and thousands of people, mostly old and thousands more being executed and in addition the entire population of almost 100,000,000 Cubans are being - starving.

**WHY** have you approved the sale of wheat and corn to our enemies when you know the Communist in Cuba, China, and other "democracies" are in dire straits? Communist leaders are now, according to a leading American newspaper, in "starvation."

**WHY** did you help, train and organize the Viet Cong from Hanoi - not a short time after the capture of many thousands of Americans in Vietnam - 6 years ago and order of Communist?

**WHY** have you urged greater and complete cooperation and understanding for Yugoslavia, a Poland Hungary and other Communist countries when turning your back on the people of Hungary in East German Cuba and other Communist freedom fighters?

**WHY** did Canada let the US out of its country after we paid nearly \$25 billion Dollars of aid with its other world government?

**WHY** has the Communist Party, grand central every one of your policies and announced that the party of order and support you to declare a state?

**WHY** have you favored the strong of US money, to all of the free Operation Revolution - the word by the House Committee on Un-American Activities, regarding Communist in America?

**WHY** have you advised or permitted your former State, the Attorney General to speak on Communist relations and other matters in America when permitting him to persecute thousands of Americans who advised you your administration and your leadership?

**WHY** are you a favor of the US continuing to give economic aid to Argentina in spite of the fact that Argentina has not so far repaid \$25 billion Dollars of American goods property?

**WHY** for the sake of Policy of the United States, do you permit to the point that the CIA is bringing troops and having about 100,000 men in the US to be ready to defend?

**WHY** have you stressed the Monroe Doctrine in favor of the "Spirit of Moscow"?

WE DEMAND OF all citizens of these United States of America we DEMAND answers to these questions and we want them NOW!

### THE AMERICAN FACT-FINDING COMMITTEE

"An unaffiliated and non-partisan group of citizens who wish truth"

BERNARD WEISSMAN,  
Chairman

P.O. Box 1792 - Dallas 21, Texas

COMMISSION EXHIBIT 1031

SAVE OUR REPUBLIC

**IMPEACH EARL WARREN**

FOR INFORMATION WRITE BOX 1171

COMMISSION EXHIBIT 2507



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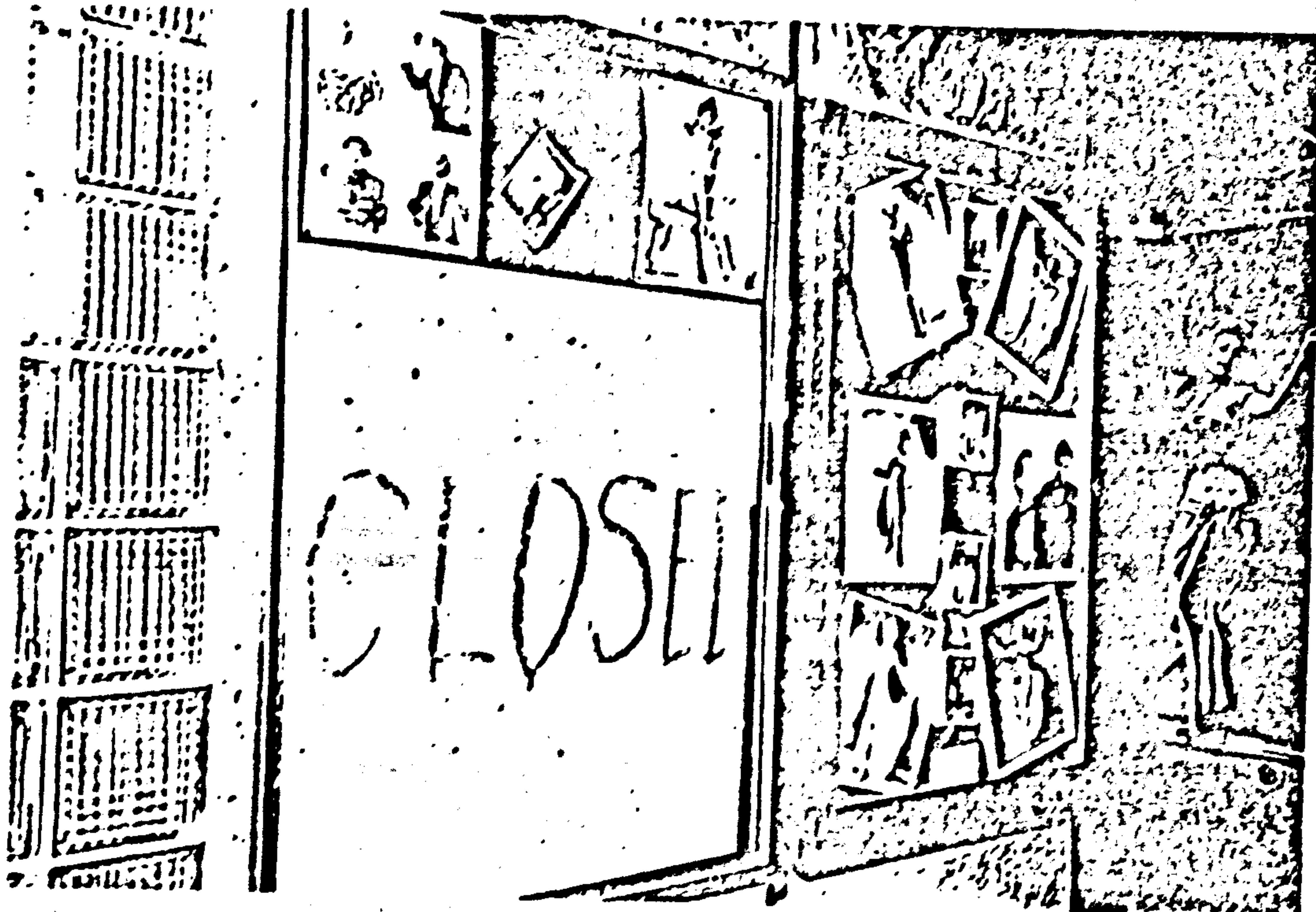


◀ PAPPAS DEPOSITION EXHIBIT 2



"CLOSED" SIGN POSTED IN THE WINDOW OF THE CAROUSEL CLUB AND RUBY'S NEWSPAPER ADVERTISEMENT ANNOUNCING THAT THE VEGAS AND CAROUSEL CLUBS WILL BE CLOSED

(COMMISSION EXHIBIT 2427)



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DALLAS TIMES HERALD  
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PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION  
ON THE  
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY

20 Maryland Ave. N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20002  
Telephone 543-1400

EARL WARREN,  
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J. LEE RANKIN,  
General Counsel

September 8, 1964

*Griffin*

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Washington, D.C., 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Please accept this letter as confirmation of request by Mr. Burt W. Griffin of the Commission staff to Inspector Leo Gauthier of the Bureau to prepare various visual aids involving photographs of Jack Ruby at the Dallas Police Department, photographs of Jack Ruby's apartment and nightclub, Western Union records, and copies of newspaper advertisements and articles.

Sincerely yours,

*J. Lee Rankin*  
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General Counsel

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Miss Gandy	

REBU AIRTEL TELETYPE

FBI NEW YORK

830 PM URGENT 9-9-64 JLW

TO DIRECTOR 7 44-24016

FROM NEW YORK 44-974&3XXXX 2 3P

JACK L. RUBY, LEE HARVEY OSWALD AKA, CIVIL RIGHTS

REBU AIRTEL TO DALLAS AND NEW YORK-NINE FOUR LAST ENCLOSING LETTER OF PRESIDENTS COMMISSION DATED NINE-THREE LAST., AND DALLAS TEL TO THE BUREAU AND NEW YORK-NINE EIGHT LAST.

AT-UP-INTERNATIONAL, NYC, AGENT WAS REFERRED TO FRANK TREMAINE,

VICE PRESIDENT IN CHARGE OF PHOTOGRAPHS, UPI, WHO WAS REQUESTED TO FURNISH PHOTOGRAPH OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD PUBLISHED IN THE DALLAS TIMES HERALD ELEVEN TWENTYFIVE-SIXTYTHREE. TREMAINE ASKED IF THE PHOTOGRAPH WOULD BE PUBLISHED AND HE WAS INFORMED THAT IT WOULD BE PUBLISHED AS A PART OF THE PRESIDENTS COMMISSION REPORT.

TREMAINE SAID THAT UPI HAD HAD SOME DIFFICULTY WITH PHOTOGRAPHS PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED THE PRESIDENTS COMMISSION WHICH WERE SUBSEQUENTLY GIVEN BY THE COMMISSION TO OUTSIDE MEDIA AND UPI HAD TO CONTACT ALL THESE MEDIA TO INSURE THAT THE PHOTOGRAPHS WOULD NOT BE USED WITHOUT PERMISSION AND PROPER CREDIT TO UPI.

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MR. BELMONT FOR THE DIRECTOR

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TREMAINE SUGGESTED THAT J. LEE RANKIN, GENERAL COUNSEL TO THE COMMISSION MIGHT DESIRE TO CONTACT ATTORNEY JOHN NOVATNEY OF THE LAW FIRM OF BAKER, HOSTETLER AND PATTERSON, CLEVELAND, OHIO, WHICH FIRM REPRESENTS UPI. HE SAID THAT RANKIN AND NOVATNEY HAD PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED THIS SAME PROBLEM.

TREMAINE THEN REQUESTED AGENT TO SIGN THE FOLLOWING STIPULATION BEFORE HE WOULD FURNISH THE PHOTOGRAPH "PURSUANT TO OUR CONVERSATION TODAY, THE ATTACHED UPI PICTURE OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD WALKING FROM THE DALLAS POLICE STATION MOMENTS BEFORE HE WAS SHOT IS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR PUBLICATION IN THE WARREN COMMISSION-S REPORT WITH THE PROTECTIONS STIPULATED IN OUR CONVERSATION. THAT IS, NEITHER THE <sup>PICTURE</sup> PICTURE NOR ANY COPIES THEREOF ARE TO BE MADE AVAILABLE TO ANY MEDIA FOR REPRODUCTION OR USE IN ANY WAY AND THE PICTURE WILL BE PUBLISHED ONLY IN THE WARREN COMMISSION-S REPORT WITH A CREDIT TO UPI AND THAT THIS AND ANY OTHER UPI PICTURES USED IN THE REPORT WILL BE PROTECTED AGAINST COPYING BY ANYONE FROM THE REPORT BY A PROPER NOTICE TO THAT EFFECT PRINTED IN THE REPORT.

SINCERELY,

FRANK TREMAINE

THE PHOTOGRAPH WAS NOT FURNISHED BY TREMAINE SINCE AGENT DID NOT SIGN THE STIPULATION.

IT IS SUGGESTED THAT THE BUREAU CONTACT PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION REGARDING THE DESIRES OF THE COMMISSION ON THE ABOVE STIPULATION.

MAIL COPY BEING DESIGNATED TO DALLAS FOR INFO.

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EDXXX END ACK FOR 5-6-7 CC-MR. ROSEN

OMS FBI WASH DC



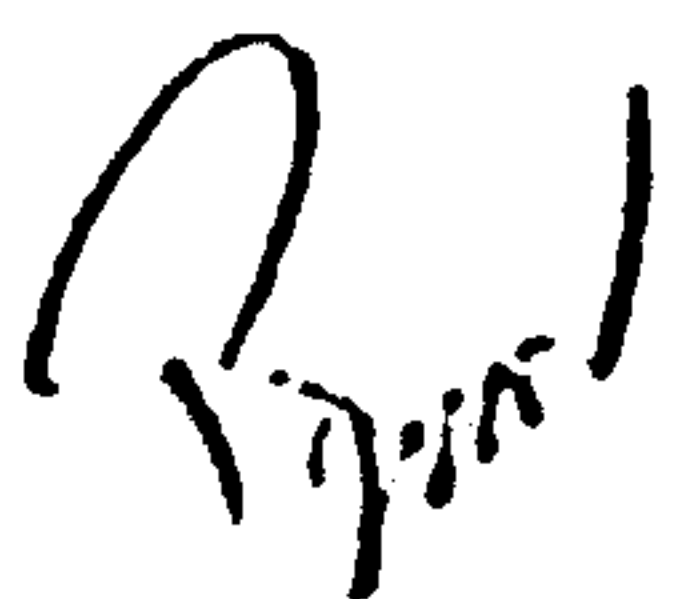
9/10/64

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

The President's Commission specifically requested we obtain a photograph of Lee Harvey Oswald published in the "Dallas Times Herald" 11/25/64.

The attached information will be furnished the President's Commission.

HGR:pah





9/15/64

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1 - Mr. Hines

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TO SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (44-24016)

JACK L. RUBY, AKA; LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA DASH VICTIM; CR.

REBUAIRTEL SEPTEMBER NINE LAST REQUESTING CHECK OF TOLL CALLS FROM THE TELEPHONE OF BRUCE RAY CARLIN FOR THE PERIOD NOVEMBER TWENTY TWO, TWENTY THREE AND TWENTY FOUR, SIXTY THREE. SUBMIT RESULTS TODAY.

JWH/ras  
(3)

NOTE: By letter 9/4/64 received 9/8/64 the Commission requested a check of toll calls on the phone of Bruce Ray Carlin. Carlin is the common-law husband of Karen Bennett, the stripper employed by Ruby to whom he sent the \$25 money order on the morning of 11/24/63. Mr. Griffin of the Commission telephonically advised this date that results of this check are desired by Commission as early as possible and before 9/18/64.

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*[Handwritten signatures and initials]*

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FBI

Date: 9/9/64

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_  
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-24016)

FROM: SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)

RE: JACK L. RUBY, aka;  
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka -  
(Deceased) - VICTIM  
CIVIL RIGHTS

Re Dallas airtel 9/4/64 and Butel 9/9/64 relative to investigation requested by Commission concerning leak of information to DOROTHY KILGALLEN.

Enclosed are ten copies of letterhead memorandum incorporating interview with Miss ODELL OLIVER, court reporter.

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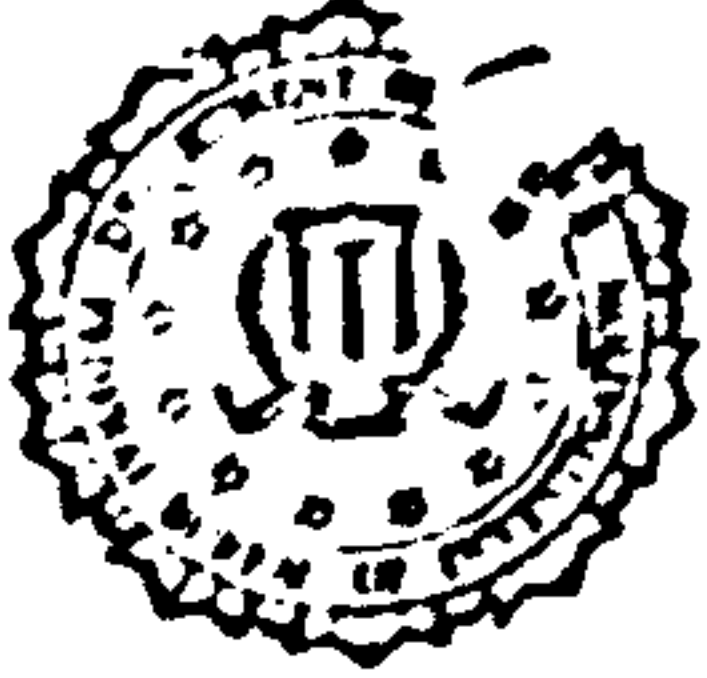
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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent In Charge





UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

Dallas, Texas  
September 9, 1964

JACK L. RUBY;  
LEE HARVEY OSWALD

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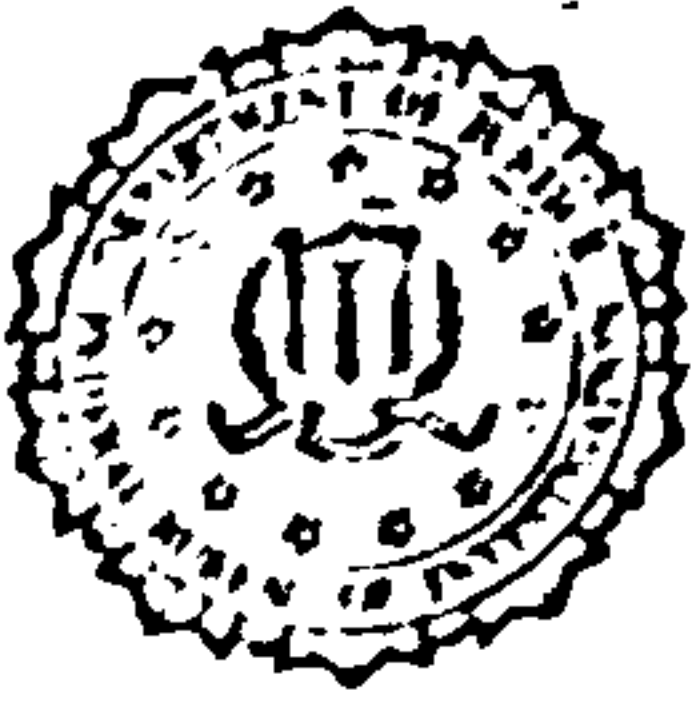
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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Date September 9, 1964

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Miss ODELL OLIVER, court reporter, Federal Building, advised her office has been used as a focal point for court reporters in connection with work for the President's Commission on the Assassination of President KENNEDY. She said Mrs. HELEN LAIDRICH has performed some of the stenographic work.

She stated she recalls Mrs. LAIDRICH took the interview of JACK L. RUBY by the Commission at the Dallas County Jail on June 7, 1964. She stated Mrs. LAIDRICH had, following her transcription of her stenotype notes, brought her notes and the carbon paper she had used to Miss OLIVER for safekeeping. She said these notes, along with others, were kept in a locked cabinet in her office at all times when she, Miss OLIVER, was absent from her desk.

She recalled that some few days after Mrs. LAIDRICH brought her notes on the RUBY interview, Mrs. LAIDRICH returned and advised her there was a possibility of an error in the transcription of a name. She said she accompanied Mrs. LAIDRICH to the office of Assistant United States Attorney MARTHA JOE STRCUD, where comparison was made of the copy of the transcript of the interview with Mrs. LAIDRICH's notes. Following the examination for any necessary corrections, the notes were returned to Miss OLIVER's office where they are at present.

Miss OLIVER stated Mrs. LAIDRICH was a self-trained stenotype operator and she doubts any other stenographer could read her stenotype notes. She said Mrs. LAIDRICH has been most discreet in giving full security to all of the work performed by her for the Commission. She stated it would have been virtually impossible for anyone to have access to the notes while they were in Miss OLIVER's possession. She noted on this date the notes were intermingled with notes of many other stenographers and that any person, even having access to her locked cabinet, would necessarily have had to sift through

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a great deal of material in order to locate notes on a particular interview.

Miss OLIVER volunteered that she had taken notes on the polygraph examination of RUBY on July 18, 1964, at the Dallas County Jail. She stated she was extremely shocked when she found, even before she had completely transcribed her notes on that interview, that a transcript had appeared in newspapers. She stated in her opinion all of the court reporters used by the Commission in Dallas have been most discreet even to the point of not caring to discuss with other reporters the details of various depositions taken by the Commission. She stated she has no information whatsoever as to how DOROTHY KILGALLEN or the "New York Journal-American" newspaper came into possession of a transcript of the RUBY interview on June 7, 1964.



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LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka -  
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ReButels 8/20/64 and 9/1/64 concerning request of Commission for investigation as to the manner by which a transcript of the interview of RUBY by Chief Justice EARL WARREN on 6/7/64, came into possession of DOROTHY KILGALLEN. Letterhead memorandum was submitted by Dallas airtel 8/25/64.

Enclosed are the results of additional investigation.

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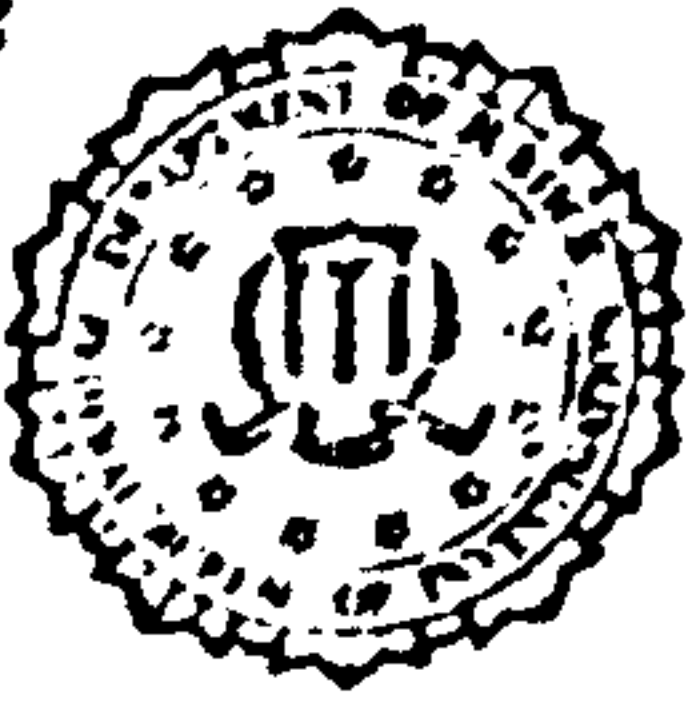
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H. BAREFCOT SANDERS, United States Attorney, Northern District of Texas, advised that on the morning of June 12, 1964, HELEN LAIDRICH, court reporter, delivered to him, at his office, the original and a copy of the transcript of the deposition of JACK L. RUBY to the President's Commission on the Assassination of President KENNEDY. He said he, on the afternoon of the same date, dictated a letter to Mr. ARIEN SPECTER, 1510 Philadelphia Savings Fund Building, 12 South 12th Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, by which he transmitted the original of the transcript. The secretary, to whom he dictated, sealed the envelope addressed to Mr. SPECTER in his, SANDERS', presence and, thereafter, sent it by registered mail, return receipt requested.

Mr. SANDERS said his copy of his letter to Mr. SPECTER does not show the initials of the secretary to whom he dictated. He said his first impression was he dictated to THELMA ABIES of his staff, but has been told by Mrs. IVOJEANE ALEXANDER, also of his staff, that it was she to whom he dictated. He stated he advised Mr. SPECTER, in his letter, that a copy of the transcript was being retained in his office pending any instructions as to other disposition. He said copies of numerous transcripts of depositions of various persons interviewed by the Commission had been retained in his office for possible future reference. He said he placed the copy in this instance at the rear of the center drawer of his desk where it remained several weeks. He said his desk is normally locked when he is not at the desk and, in any event, he has no knowledge that any employee of his office or other person was aware of its location in his desk. He said employees of his office do not enter his desk except on instructions to do so.

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Mr. SANDERS, continuing, stated in recent weeks he had the copy of the RUBY transcript removed from his desk and placed in a safe in the office of Assistant United States Attorney MARTHA JOE STROUD with other documents concerned with the Commission. He said to the best of his knowledge only the secretary to whom he dictated, Miss STROUD, and he knew of the existence of the document in his office.

Mr. SANDERS stated he has no recollection that court reporter HELEN LAIDRICH furnished to him her notes from which the transcript was made. In some instances court reporters working for the Commission have furnished their notes along with various transcripts.

Mr. SANDERS stated he had no information as to how DOROTHY KILGALLEN came into possession of the transcript of RUBY's deposition. He said he had, at the request of the Commission, obtained the services of several court reporters, including HELEN LAIDRICH, to take notes in connection with various depositions. He said HELEN LAIDRICH has a good reputation. He noted that it has been reported in the press that LAIDRICH was a one-time employee of MELVIN BELLI, former RUBY defense counsel, in San Francisco. He said LAIDRICH had informed him of this previous employment some fifteen years ago, that the employment had been brief and that she had not seen Mr. BELLI in recent years. He said this information was made known to Commission representatives prior to her use.



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H. BAREFOOT SANDERS, United States Attorney, Northern District of Texas, made available for examination a copy of the deposition of JACK L. RUBY to the President's Commission on the Assassination of President KENNEDY on June 7, 1964. The document was observed to be intact and maintained at this time in the office of MARTHA JOE STROUD, Assistant United States Attorney. It was observed the name "HARRY CARLSON" appears on page 32, rather than the name "HARRY OLSEN".

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MARTHA JOE STROUD, Assistant United States Attorney, advised that at about 10:30 or 11:00 a.m., June 12, 1964, HELEN LAIDRICH, court reporter, came to her office and brought a typed transcript of the deposition of JACK L. RUBY to the President's Commission on the Assassination of President KENNEDY. LAIDRICH stated to Miss STROUD she thought perhaps she should hand the document to Mr. H. BAREFOOT SANDERS, the United States Attorney, personally. LAIDRICH delivered the document to Mr. SANDERS.

It is Miss STROUD's understanding the original transcript was mailed to Mr. ARLEN SPECTER of the Commission by Mrs. IVOJEANE ALEXANDER, a secretary in the United States Attorney's Office, without opening the sealed envelope in which it was contained.

Miss STROUD continued, stating that some days later HELEN LAIDRICH returned to the United States Attorney's Office in connection with a query from the Commission as to the proper transcription of a name in the RUBY deposition, whether the name was HARRY/CARLSON, as shown, or should be HARRY OLSEN. LAIDRICH requested to see a copy of the transcript which she had left with Mr. SANDERS. The copy, which was being kept in Mr. SANDERS' desk, was obtained by Miss STROUD and his secretary, THELMA ABLES, and was given to LAIDRICH. The latter had her notes with her and took same, with the copy of the transcript, to the office of OZELL OLIVER, court reporter, in the same building, where she remained perhaps fifteen minutes. On her return, LAIDRICH prepared a letter to Mr. J. LEE RANKIN, Counsel to the Commission, advising that upon checking her notes against the transcript, she found the name in question should be HARRY OLSEN. LAIDRICH's letter was dated June 26, 1964.

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Miss STROUD said the copy of the transcript was returned to Mr. SANDERS' desk where it remained for some time thereafter. She said she received a call from Mr. SANDERS recently, at a time when he was out of Dallas. He said he had read in the press of the publication of the transcript of RUBY's deposition under DOROTHY KILGALLEN's name. Mr. SANDERS inquired if she had any information as to the "leak". She replied in the negative. Mr. SANDERS instructed her to obtain the copy from his desk and lock it in her safe, which she did.

Miss STROUD said she has no knowledge as to how DOROTHY KILGALLEN or any other person obtained a copy of the RUBY deposition. She related HELEN LAIDRICH has told her she observed mimeographed copies of the transcript of the RUBY deposition in the offices of the Commission when LAIDRICH was in Washington some weeks ago.



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~~IVOJEANS~~ ALEXANDER, secretary, office of the United States Attorney, H. BAREFOOT SANDERS, Northern District of Texas, advised that on an unrecalled date some two months ago, she was given dictation by Mr. SANDERS of a letter directed to Mr. ARLEN SPECTER of the President's Commission on the Assassination of President KENNEDY. Mr. SANDERS handed her a sealed envelope purported to contain the original of a transcript of the deposition of JACK L. RUBY. This envelope was sent as an enclosure to the letter to Mr. SPECTER. She typed the letter to Mr. SPECTER and after Mr. SANDERS had signed same, she took the envelope to the United States Post Office and arranged for its transmission by registered mail.

Mrs. ALEXANDER said she was aware there was a copy of the transcript which was retained by Mr. SANDERS, inasmuch as the letter to Mr. SPECTER stated a copy was being retained. She said she did not see the original, as it was in a sealed envelope and did not see the copy then or at any other time. She said she was not aware as to how Mr. SANDERS came into possession of the transcription.

Mrs. ALEXANDER stated she has no information as to who furnished a copy of the document to DOROTHY KILGALLEN.

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