



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Washington, D. C.

April 6, 1964

~~ALDO VIDALI~~

Mexico

A confidential source abroad furnished the following information concerning captioned individual on March 10, 1964:

[REDACTED] Rome, Italy, had stated that VIDALI had boasted that he has never paid income tax to the United States and that he had trafficked heavily in gold between the United States and Mexico, claiming to have gold ingots buried in Durango, Mexico.

VIDALI was an illegitimate son born to ALDO SALERNO and EMILIA VIDALI at Brussels, Belgium, on February 12, 1930.

VIDALI was naturalized as a United States citizen in the U. S. District Court in Denver, Colorado, in October, 1956.

He is presently unmarried, but was formerly married to JANET CALCAGNO, who was originally from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and who is now remarried and residing at 144 Carr Drive, Glendale, California.

The source furnished the following summary of VIDALI's residences and travel:

1930-1934	Brussels, Belgium
1934-1947	Italy
1948-1949	Residing with his mother, EMILIA VIDALI, at Sao Paulo, Brazil. His mother is described as an opera singer who continues to reside at Sao Paulo.

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1949-to date

Has resided most of the time in the United States, with brief trips to Mexico in connection with surveys for the possible purchase of mines.

In about 1950-1951, VIDALI attended the Colorado School of Mines at Golden, Colorado.

In the mid-1950s, VIDALI resided at 175 Dumont Drive, Laguna Beach, Orange, California. While residing at that address VIDALI registered under the Selective Service Act of 1948 with Local Board Number 134, 205 Church Street, Santa Ana, California.

VIDALI's most recent U.S. address is shown as 9426 Santa Monica Blvd., Beverly Hills, California.

VIDALI is presently residing at Via Antonio Bertoloni 23, Rome, Italy, at which address is located the firm "Autori Associati" (Associated Authors), which deals in movie films and of which VIDALI is an advisor and stockholder.

VIDALI has been associated with a Texas corporation known as Tex-Italia in Austin, Texas. The purposes of this corporation are to produce and disseminate motion pictures in the United States and Italy. To date the corporation has had very little success and has had considerable difficulty in locating financial backing. The following individuals are also associated with the Tex-Italia firm:

CHARLES LASATER - President of the corporation, Austin, Texas;

JACK FUNDEBURGH - builder in Austin; TEXAS

CLINT STEPHENS - a promoter who allegedly has contacts with potential money lenders in all parts of the United States;

KER MORGAN - Big Springs, Texas.

all with
TEX-ITALIA
AUSTIN, TEXAS

ALDO VIDALI

A confidential source abroad has advised as follows:

On February 10, 1964, [REDACTED] Rome, Italy, stated that he had heard that ALDO VIDALI, Via Antonio Bertoloni 23, Rome, Italy, might have some information concerning matters touching upon the assassination of President JOHN F. KENNEDY. The source noted that [REDACTED] had previously, on February 4, 1964, stated that VIDALI was threatening to physically harm and possibly kill [REDACTED] daughter because she refused marriage with VIDALI.

VIDALI was interviewed by the source on March 10, 1964, concerning any information he might have touching upon the assassination of President KENNEDY.

VIDALI stated that he had absolutely no information concerning persons possibly connected with the assassination or concerning individuals who, to his knowledge, might even remotely be associated with the incident. VIDALI stated that, like most Americans, he was deeply shocked by the death of President KENNEDY, but also, like many Americans, he was not convinced in his own mind that the President's death was due merely to the undirected and uncoordinated act of LEE HARVEY OSWALD. VIDALI stated that in his conversations with Italian and American citizens in Rome he had on several occasions expressed the thought that there might well be ramifications touching upon the assassination which had not been made public. He had never, however, according to VIDALI, indicated in his conversations who he thought might be involved in the assassination other than OSWALD, nor had he ever attempted to identify any groups or political entities which might have been involved in any possible plot connected with the assassination. VIDALI stated that he knows of no one, either in America or anywhere else in the world, who might have pertinent information concerning the actual facts surrounding the assassination.

ENCLOSURE

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On March 10, 1964, the same source furnished the following additional background information concerning VIDALI:

In about 1950 or 1951, VIDALI was attending the Colorado School of Mines at Golden, Colorado. While there VIDALI met one MARTIN ALBERT, whom VIDALI had described as an out-and-out communist. During the course of their acquaintance, ALBERT attempted to recruit VIDALI for communist activity. VIDALI described ALBERT as a food salesman who used his wide contacts in his sales business to propagandize for the Communist Party among negro groups.

Sometime in the mid-1950s, VIDALI was residing in Laguna Beach, California. At that time VIDALI was making extensive trips to Mexico from the United States in connection with mining ventures.

VIDALI is registered under the Selective Service Act of 1948 with Local Board Number 134, 209 Church Street, Santa Ana, California, with Selective Service Number 4-134-30-598. He was reportedly registered on September 26, 1956, at which time he was residing at 175 Dumont Drive, Laguna Beach, Orange, California, and was classified 5-A on November 9, 1956.

Janet VIDALI was naturalized as a United States citizen in United States District Court in Denver, Colorado, in October, 1958. Pa

Miss Alda VIDALI was formerly married to JANET CALCAGNO, who was originally from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and who is now remarried and residing at 144 Carr Drive, Glendale, California.

The source furnished the following summary of residences and travel concerning VIDALI:

1930-1934	Brussels, Belgium
1934-1947	Italy
1948-1949	Residing with his mother, EMILIA VIDALI, at Sao Paulo, Brazil. His mother was described as an opera singer who continues to reside at Sao Paulo.

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1949-to date

VIDALI has resided most of the time in the United States with brief trips to Mexico in connection with surveys for the possible purchase of mines.

In the recent past VIDALI has been associated with a Texas corporation known as Tex-Italia in Austin, Texas. The aims of this corporation are to produce and disseminate motion pictures in the United States and Italy. To date the corporation has had very little success and has had considerable difficulty in locating financial backing.

VIDALI was an illegitimate child, having been born out of wedlock to ALDO SALERNO, an Italian citizen, and to EMILIA VIDALI. Belg BRAZIL

On March 9, 1964, a second confidential source abroad advised as follows:

ALDO VIDALI was born to an unknown father and EMILIA VIDALI at Brussels, Belgium, on February 12, 1930. He is single and his residence in the United States was shown as 9426 Santa Monica Blvd., Beverly Hills, California. VIDALI was carried on the rolls of the Ufficio dello Stato Civile (Bureau of Statistics) of Rome from 1931 to 1951, at which time he was removed from the rolls because his location was unknown.

VIDALI, coming from the United States, arrived in Italy on August 17, 1962, by air, bearing U. S. Passport No. 2044064, issued at Washington, D. C., on April 27, 1960. He subsequently left Italy for the United States, returning to Italy on February 21, 1963. On March 7, 1964, coming from Switzerland, VIDALI again re-entered Italy. He presently resides at Via Antonio Bertoloni #23, Rome, at which address is located the firm Autori Associati (Associated Authors), which deals in movie films and of which VIDALI is an advisor and stockholder. Among the other stockholders of this firm is one ALDO SALERNO, who was born at Rome, Italy, on February 3, 1901, and who was described as an ex-advisor of the Partito Nazionale Monarchico (National Monarchist Party), who had been retired from the political scene for some time. Italy

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: April 4, 1964

FROM : A. Rosen

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY CSWALD
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA

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Trotter
Tele. Room
Holmes
Gandy

Memorandum from Mr. Jevons to Mr. Conrad dated 3-19-64, set forth information concerning the President's Commission asking the Bureau to maintain certain Commission exhibits which had never before been in the custody of the Bureau. It was recommended that this matter be discussed with Mr. Rankin to see if it could not be arranged so that the Commission would maintain their exhibits which had not been previously in the custody of the Bureau.

This matter was discussed with Mr. J. Lee Rankin on 4-3-64, and Mr. Rankin stated that there would be very little material that the Commission would ask us to maintain for them. He stated he was fully aware of the tremendous burden that had already been placed on the Bureau with the numerous exhibits the Commission was interested in and that he would personally see to it that no items were made available to the Bureau except where there was a very special reason.

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NOT RECORDED
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RECOMMENDATION:

In the event any members of the Commission staff make any further requests for the Bureau to maintain custody of Commission exhibits which we have not previously had in our possession, it is recommended the individual request be taken up with Mr. Rankin in order to determine whether or not the request needs to be complied with.

- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan

JRM:hw

MAY 5 1964

from to Belmont
4-14-64
JRM:hw

11 APR 29 1964
SOVIET SECTION

I don't see why
the names listed
should be included
as exhibits. The
Commission's
report shows a
close link in
the case called on...

Assassination of President
John F. Kennedy

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- 1 - Belmont
- 1 - Mohr
- 1 - DeLoach
- 1 - Rosen

4/20/64

- 1 - Sullivan
- 1 - Malley
- 1 - Eland
- 1 - Eranigan
- 1 - Lenihan
- 1 - J. N. Sizoo

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To: SAC, New York (100-117344)

From: Director, FBI (100-409763)

**MARK LANE
SECURITY MATTER - C**

John F

The Bureau has received information from the State Department that press reports from abroad indicate that Mark Lane, former counsel for Mrs. Marguerite Oswald, called for the establishment of an international commission to investigate the assassination of President Kennedy during his speech on 4/5/64 before the International Association of Democratic Lawyers (IADL). State Department also reports that a press report in Uganda indicates that the IADL made the decision to follow Lane's suggestion.

You should not initiate an investigation of the IADL at this time; however, through your established coverage of Lane, the Communist Party and communist front groups, you should be alert to efforts of the IADL to carry out the organization of an international commission to study the assassination of President Kennedy. Information received in this matter should be submitted to the Bureau in form suitable for dissemination to the President's Commission.

1 - 105-32555 (Lee Harvey Oswald)

JIS:pah
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NOTE:

See memorandum W. A. Eranigan to W. C. Sullivan, 4/17/64, same caption, prepared by JIS:pah.

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TO SAC, DALLAS (100-10461)
FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA. IS DASH R DASH CURA.

REBULET TO PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION MARCH TWENTY SEVEN LAST
AND BUREAU AIRTEL APRIL NINE LAST CAPTIONED QUOTE ASSASSINATION
OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, NOVEMBER TWENTY TWO,
SIXTY THREE, DALLAS, TEXAS. MISC. DASH INFO CONCERNING UNQUOTE,
RELATING TO A REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION TO OBTAIN
THE ORIGINALS OR PHOTOGRAPHIC COPIES OF ALL DOCUMENTS RELATING
TO THE SIX POINT FIVE MM MANNLICHER DASH CARCANO ITALIAN MILITARY
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ADVISE STATUS OF EFFORTS TO INCORPORATE PERTINENT DATA IN
LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM AND DATE WHEN SAME CAN BE EXPECTED TO BE READY.

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① 62-109060 (Assassination Pres. Kennedy)
1 - Mr. J. C. Cadigan
1 - Mr. R. E. Lenihan

NOTE: This matter will continue to be followed closely at the
Bureau and when the necessary data is received, the
President's Commission will be advised.

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WIRE TRANSMITTED

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. Conrad

April 20, 1964

By Courier Service

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

Dear Mr. Rankin:

In accordance with the telephonic request of Mr. Melvin Eisenberg on April 16, 1964, evidence items numbered C254, C261, D94, D95 and D96 were delivered to Mr. Eisenberg on April 17, 1964.

Also delivered at this time were two sets of photographs consisting of 108 photographs per set. These photographs are of evidence items obtained from Robert L. Oswald on March 15, 1964.

REC-11
 Sincerely yours *62-109060-2944*

J. Edgar Hoover

APR 21 1964

BY COURIER SVC.
 COMM-FBI

62-109060

NOTE: Telephonic request was made to SA Roy H. Jevons. Above-listed numbered items are described as follows:

- C254 Oswald's "Val-Pak" type suitcase
- C261 Oswald's sea bag
- D94 Copy of Railway Express Agency receipt re gun shipment to A. J. Hidell
- D95 Railway Express Agency form bearing receipt #70633
- D96 Envelope postmarked 11/10/62, to New York Labor News Co. bearing Oswald's return address

NOTE: Photographs are of books and other personal items reportedly belonging to Lee or Marina Oswald, and obtained from Robert Oswald by Dallas Office 3/15/64

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- Cooper _____
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- Conrad _____
- DeLoach _____
- Evans _____
- Rosen _____
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- Trotter _____
- Tele. Room _____
- Holmes _____

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1- Belmont - Enclosure
1- Mr. Rosen - Enclosure
1- Mr. Sullivan - Enclosure
1- Mr. Malley - Enclosure

April 15, 1964

By Courier Service

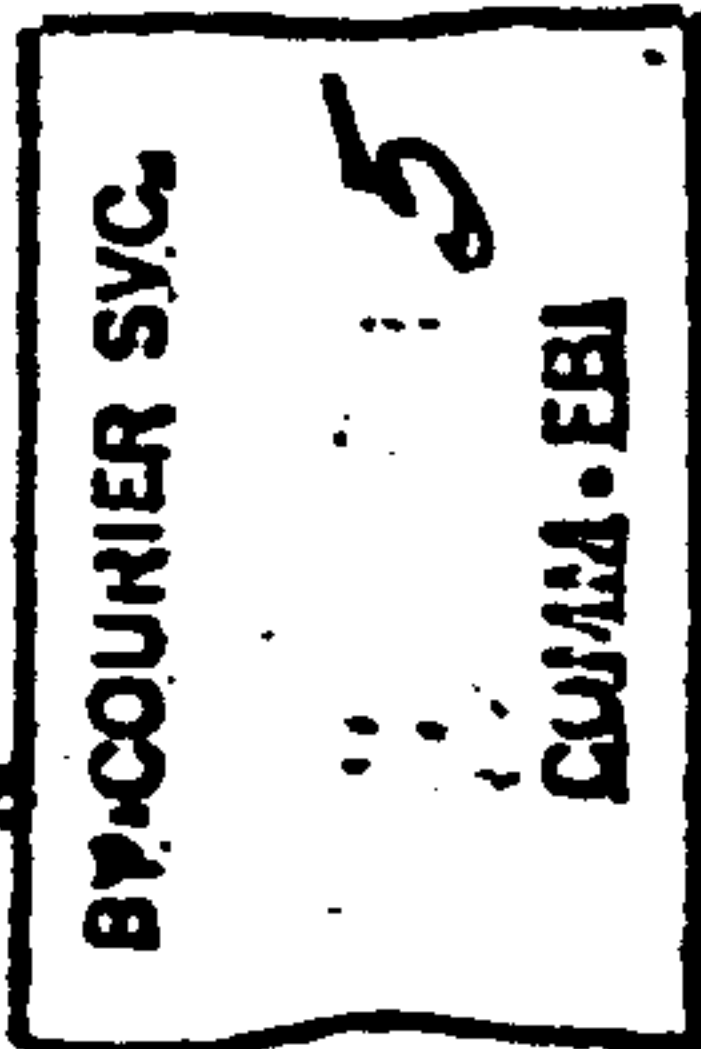
Honorable J. Lee Rankin
General Counsel
The President's Commission
200 Maryland Avenue, Northeast
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

In accordance with the telephonic request of Mr. Melvin Eisenberg on April 14, 1964, the items of evidence listed on the attached sheet were delivered to Mr. Eisenberg on that same date.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



Enclosure

62-109060

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NOTE: This telephonic request was made to SA Roy H. Jevons. Description of items delivered attached also. (to file copy only)

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April 15, 1964

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ENCLOSURE

April 15, 1964

DESCRIPTION OF ITEMS

- D17 Two Post Office box applications of Oswald
- D18 One Post Office Change of Address card, one Selective Service registration card, two employment applications and one letter by Oswald
- D19 One Postal Money Order payable to Kleins
- D27 One mail order coupon in name of A. J. Hidell, used to order .38 caliber gun from Los Angeles
- D44 Twenty-four photograph negatives in Oswald's possession
- D71 One Selective Service classification notice bearing name Alek James Hidell
- #260 3" x 5" cards bearing names of G. Hall, A. J. Hidell, B. Davis and V. T. Lee
- #444 World Health Organization vaccination card bearing name Lee Oswald with name of vaccinator as A. J. Hidell, P. O. Box 30016, New Orleans - date stamped 8/6/63

62-109060-2945
ENCLOSURE

April 20, 1964

BY COURIER SERVICE

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

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. Shroeder
- 1 - Mr. Ronge

Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to your letter dated February 18, 1964, and my letters dated February 26, 1964, March 4, 1964, March 19, 1964, and April 2, 1964, relating to Mrs. Shirley Martin, also known as Mrs. Mark E. Martin of Honiny, Oklahoma.

In view of your prior interest in Mrs. Martin, I am enclosing two copies of a self-explanatory communication from our Dallas Office dated April 15, 1964.

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Sincerely yours,

62-109060-2946

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J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (2)

- 1 - SAC, Oklahoma City (39-41)
- 1 - SAC, Dallas (39-43)

- 1-62-109060
- 1-62-109090 (President's Commission)

Relia

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING

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Oklahoma City and Dallas see note page two.
Re Dallas airtel to the Bureau and Oklahoma City with enclosure dated 4/15/64.

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NOTE TO SACs OKLAHOMA CITY AND DALLAS:

Enclosed copy of Bureau letter to the Commission furnished for your information. Dallas and Oklahoma City will remain alert to the possibility of other pretext approaches by Mrs. Martin. Insure the Bureau is advised of pertinent data relating to this individual.

Note:

Shirely Martin has been characterized as a "bright nut," and is well known to the Bureau due to the fact she has written numerous offensive and insulting communications to the Bureau. Since the assassination, she has engaged in her own investigation of the events.

Full details concerning her background have been furnished in several prior memoranda, the latest two being:

A. Rosen to Mr. Belmont dated 3/19/64, captioned, "Assassination of President John F. Kennedy, 11/22/63, Dallas Texas," ELR:cap.

M. A. Jones to Mr. DeLoach memorandum 4/2/64, captioned, "Mrs. Mark E. Martin, Hominy, Oklahoma," ELR:eab.

The attached communications from Dallas indicate Martin contacted our Dallas Office telephonically on 4/11/64, from Oklahoma and tried by pretext to "pump" information out of SA Edward D. Odum relating to the assassination rifle. Odum handled himself very well and was not taken in by the pretext. It appears Martin recorded or took notes of the conversation with Odum which ^{was} incorporated in a communication which she is again sending to various prominent individuals including members of Congress and the President's Commission. A copy of this communication was received by Dallas on 4/13/64. As an indication of a possible mental condition, it is pointed out Martin has also allegedly disseminated copies to "Europe, Anzac countries, Asia". This letter does not require an acknowledgment and it is pointed out the Bureau has not acknowledged several prior communications received here as it was not felt we should dignify her insulting observations and comments.

1-Mr. Belmont
1-Mr. Rosen
1-Mr. Sullivan
1-Mr. Malley

April 16, 1964

By Courier Service

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

Dear Mr. Rankin:

In accordance with the telephonic request of Mr. Melvin Eisenberg on April 15, 1964, evidence items numbered D3, D5, D6, D9, D11, D16, D23, D40, D67, D85 and 117 were delivered to Mr. Eisenberg on that same date.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

BY COURIER SVC.
COMM-FBI

EX-114

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NOTE: This request was made to SA Roy H. Jevons. Evidence items are described as follows:

- D3 - Passport application for Oswald
- D5 - USMC folder on Oswald
- D6 - Affidavit of support and 3 letters by Oswald
- D9 - Warrior rubber stamp kit
- D11-26 checks, questionnaires, etc., in Oswald's writing

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MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

Honorable J. Lee Rankin

D16 - Oswald's library card

D28 - Employment application

D46 - ACLU application and letter

D67 - Photographs of State Department records of Oswald

116 - Diary

**117 - Sheets of paper in green ink containing comments regarding
CPUSA**

FBI

Date: 4/11/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)

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AIR MAIL

Via _____
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060) ATTN.: INSPECTOR J. R. MALLEY

FROM: SAC, DALLAS (100-10461) (P)

RE: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,
NOVEMBER 22, 1963, DALLAS, TEXAS
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING

The "Dallas Times Herald" of Friday, April 10, 1964, carried an article captioned "Special Warren Team Quits City". This article stated that the special team of Commission investigators had left Dallas, clearing the way for the taking of a deposition from JACK RUBY and a Dallas visit by the full Commission. The article stated the Commission was planning an interview with RUBY in Dallas and an inspection trip by Chief Justice EARL WARREN and other members of the Commission. It was stated that Chief Justice WARREN and the other seven members of the Commission would likely come to Dallas next week.

This article stated that another sign that the Commission was nearing the end of its probe was that Governor and Mrs. CONNALLY had received invitations to appear in Washington April 21 next. The article stated that Mr. J. LEE RANKIN would personally question RUBY in Dallas.

This article stated there is a possibility that Police Chief JESSE CURRY and Homicide Captain WILL FRITZ may be asked to go to Washington to testify before the full Commission.

This article concluded by stating that in another development, three Commission members had arrived in Dallas.

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79 APR 22 1964 XEROX

17 APR 15 1964

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Section _____ M Per _____

DL 100-10461

City on Thursday to commence a probe of the activities of
OSWALD in that city.

The above is being furnished the Bureau for its
information.

1-Mr. Belmont
1-Mr. Rosen
1-Mr. Sullivan
1-Mr. Malley

April 16, 1964

By Courier Service

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

Dear Mr. Rankin:

In accordance with the telephonic request of Mr. Wesley J. Liebeler on April 13, 1964, evidence items numbered B11 and 445 were delivered to Mr. Liebeler on April 15, 1964.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

62-109060-2949

12 APR 20 1964

BY COURIER SVC.
COMM-FBI

62-109060

NOTE: Item B11 - Photographic negative bearing "Join the Socialist Workers Party - Fight for a better world! Write box 2915, Dallas, Texas."

Item 445 - A letter to Oswald from Joseph Task of the Socialist Workers Party.

This request based on memorandum Mr. Branigan to Mr. Sullivan dated 4/14/64 re: "LEE HARVEY OSWALD; INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - CUBA."

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FBI

Date: 4/13/64

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060) Attn: FBI Laboratory
D-446407 AM
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (62-6115)
SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,
DALLAS, TEXAS

Re Dallas airtel to the Director dated 3/30/64
and FBI Laboratory letter to Dallas dated 4/3/64.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original
and one Xeroxed copy of an anonymous communication addressed
to the Bureau of Accounts, U.S. Treasury Department, Kansas
City, Missouri. This anonymous communication consists of 3
slips of paper containing handprinting and an envelope
postmarked 3/6/64 at Chicago, Illinois.

The above-described material was furnished to the
Kansas City Division who furnished it to the Chicago Division
by routing slip dated 3/11/64. The Kansas City Division, in
referring this material to the Chicago Division, advised it
had been received from the U.S. Treasury Department, Kansas
City, Missouri, contains names in the Chicago Division and
is being furnished to Chicago since the contents are not
familiar to Kansas City.

It is to be noted that this material appears to
possibly be written by the same person as the anonymous

COPY AND SPECIMENS
RETAINED IN LAB.

- 4 - Bureau (Encl. 10) (AM) (RM)
- 1 - Kansas City (Info)
- 2 - Dallas (Info) (AM)
- 1 - Chicago

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ENCLOSURE ENCLOSED ATTACHED

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ Per _____

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letter referred to in referenced Dallas letter and examined by the Laboratory, results of which are set forth in referenced Laboratory letter.

The Laboratory is requested to examine the enclosed material and compare it with the anonymous writing previously submitted in referenced Dallas airtel. Results of this examination should be furnished the Dallas Division, and the enclosed material forwarded to Dallas so Dallas can include this material in accordance with instructions for their handling exhibits in this case.

Dallas should report results of Laboratory examination.

AIR MAIL

CHICAGO
1 MAY
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ESTER BUN
U.S. AIR MAIL

*- BUREAU OF ACCOUNTS -
UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPT.
301 U.S. COURT HOUSE
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI. - 64106 -*

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OF EDWARD JANKOWSKI -
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AND SEARCH FOR HILBERT
ONE DENNIS SPIVAK,
... SUPERVISOR, SUSPECT

REQUIRE RESERVED COOPER.
ACTION ON THIS RISK -
THRU OFFICES -

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LINCOLN WOOD, ILLINOIS
POLICE

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MOORE SALES
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ELZER, DIV. MURRAY CORP.
2501 N. LE MOYNE
A117-0767

FOR POSSIBLE ASSISTANCE
AT THIS REPLY PLEASE
Mention REPLY TO ANYTHING
FURTH



YARDS BRITISH OPERATIVE.

... THEREABOUTS FOUND.
MAY THE FURNACE BE IN
FUNCTIONING ORDER ON
PREMISES. • ? •

FOLLOW UP ON PERSONS ENTERING
THIS BLDG.

* HOLD ALL UNTIL FURTHER
NOTICE - IN CONNECTION WITH,
(IN CONNECTION WITH) MURDER
J.F. KENNEDY. BE PREPARED
FOR ANYTHING AT ALL, VIOLENCE
FROM #5657 N. BROADWAY.

AS 606 40, ILLINOIS.

STANDARD OIL CO. OF INDIANA.
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: **FBI, Dallas (89-43)**

Date: **April 21, 1964**

Re: **ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS**

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File
Lab. No.

62-109050
D-447891 AX **29**

Examination requested by: **Chicago**

Reference: **Airtel 4/13/64**

Examination requested: **Document**

Remarks:

Q561 was previously submitted with Chicago airtel of 3/30/64, and was designated as D-106.

Specimen Q576 has been designated as D-205, and four photographs of D-205 are forwarded to the Dallas Office herewith and should be handled in accordance with previous instructions regarding photographs of 'D' number exhibits.

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APR 21 1964
COMM-FBI

Enclosures (6) (Four photographs of Q576, 2 copies - Lab rpt)

2 - Chicago (62-6115) Enclosures (2) (2 copies - Lab rpt)

1 - Kansas City Enclosure (One copy - Lab rpt)

1 - Mr. Rogge, Rm. 5730 (sent direct)

Tolson
Belmont
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REPORT
of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: **FBI, Dallas**

Date: **April 21, 1964**

52-109068

Re: **ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS**

FBI File No.

D-447691 AX

Lab. No.

Specimens received **4/15/64**

Q576 Envelope postmarked "CHICAGO, ILL. MAR 6 1964" bearing hand printed address "- BUREAU OF ACCOUNTS - UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPT. 301 U.S. COURT HOUSE KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI, -64103-" and accompanying eight hand printed slips of paper, one beginning "TAKE INTO CUSTODY..." and number eight ending on reverse side "YARDS BRITISH OPERATIVE."

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the hand printing on Q575 was written by the writer of Q531 previously submitted.

The paper comprising Q576 does not contain any watermarks, indented writings, or other significant features to indicate the source of the paper.

Q576 is retained.

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- Callahan _____
- Conrad _____
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- Evans _____
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- Rosen _____
- Sullivan _____
- Tavel _____
- Trotter _____
- Tele. Room _____
- Holmes _____
- Gandy _____

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Holmes	_____
Gandy	_____

AIRGRAM CABLEGRAM RADIO TELETYPE

URGENT 4-15-64
TO DIRECTOR
FROM LEGAT, MEXICO CITY NO. 547

BUFILE 62-109060.

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, NOVEMBER 22
LAST, DALLAS, TEXAS, MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING.
RE DALLAS AIRTEL APRIL 3, MYLET DECEMBER 27 AND SAN DIEGO
LHM NOVEMBER 27 LAST.

SINCE INFORMATION RECORDED IN SAN DIEGO LHM FROM OFFICIAL
CONTACT COMPLETELY ERRONEOUS AND REMYLET OUTLINED THAT FACT,
MATTER NOT REGARDED AS VALID ALLEGATION AND INSERT FOR DALLAS
WAS NOT PREPARED. LEAD RECORDED REMYLET FOR FURTHER
INVESTIGATION REFERRED TO CASE AND NOT SPECIFIC MATTER TREATED
THEREIN.

UACB INSERT WILL NOT BE SUBMITTED THIS MATTER.

RECEIVED: 6:49 PM RTS

CLARK D. ANDERSON

*See in files
4/15/64
2 Kennedy & Dallas*

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6-15-64
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Encl. 2

4 APR 22 1964

cc - Mr. Sullivan

3RD CC: MR. BRENNAN

If the intelligence contained in the above message is to be disseminated outside the Bureau, it is suggested that it be paraphrased in order to protect the Bureau's cryptographic systems.

Legat, Mexico City

April 30, 1964

Director, FBI (62-109060)
EX-117

2951

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. Schroder
- 1 - Mr. Raupach

REQ 1

**ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
11/22/63
DALLAS TEXAS
MISCELLANEOUS-INFORMATION CONCERNING**

ReDLairtel to Bureau 4-3-64 and Legat Mexico
cablegram to Bureau 4-15-64.

You are instructed to prepare 25 copies of an appropriate insert concerning David Joseph St. Jacques and forward it to the Bureau for transmittal to Dallas. Include the basis for and results of your investigation which relates to President Kennedy. In addition, prepare 10 copies of a letterhead memorandum incorporating this information which will be disseminated to Secret Service.

Although information concerning St. Jacques may be considered "erroneous," it is pointed out the Bureau has handled many similar situations pertaining to allegations that individuals other than Lee Harvey Oswald were suspects or responsible for the assassination. The President's Commission is interested in all information which may relate to the assassination of President Kennedy, and every effort is made to bring these matters to logical conclusion. Your attention is directed to the fact the results of these matters are either furnished directly to the President's Commission or furnished by subsequent report. Therefore, you are instructed to handle this matter without delay.

Dallas is instructed to incorporate in a subsequent report the information furnished by the [redacted] Mexicali, Baja, California, Mexico, which was furnished by the Diego airtel 11-27-63, followed by results to be furnished by Legat, Mexico City.

2 - Dallas (89-43) (Enc.)

- Tolson _____
- Belmont _____
- Mohr _____
- Casper _____
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- Holmes _____
- Gandy _____

62-109060

1 - W.C. Sullivan

1 - Foreign Liaison Section (Attention: J.J. Fcarde, approved by phone)

KMR/map
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SEE PAGE TWO FOR NOTE

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COMM-FBI

Letter to Legat, Mexico City
RE: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY

NOTE:

San Diego advised on 11-27-64 the [redacted] Mexicali, Baja, California, had heard that during President Kennedy's visit to Mexico City in 1962, the [redacted] of Mexico City arrested an American, who was allegedly planning to assassinate him. This was not confirmed. Legat, Mexico City advised that during President Kennedy's visit to Mexico City 6/29-7/1/62, only one American was arrested, David Joseph St. Jacques, who was a psychopathic case. He approached the President's car as he thought all cancer cases in the United States were caused by noxious fumes released by chemical factories, and he wanted to discuss this matter with the President. The original information received from Baja, California, was furnished to Secret Service. Legat, Mexico City has been instructed to submit inserts and LHM for report and dissemination to Secret Service, even though alleged assassination information was erroneous.

(62-109000-691)

(62-109000-245)

FBI

Date: 4-15-64

Transmit the following in _____

(Type in plain text or code)

A I R T E L

REGISTERED MAIL

Via _____

(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)(105-82555)(44-24016)

FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (157-916)(RJC)

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, 11-22-63, DALLAS TEXAS
MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING BUfile 62-109060; DALLAS 89-43
OO: Dallas

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka
IS - R - CUBA
BUfile 105-82555; DALLAS 100-10461
OO: Dallas

JACK L. RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka (Deceased) - VICTIM
CIVIL RIGHTS
BUfile 44-24016; DALLAS 44-1639
OO: Dallas

- 5 - Bureau
 - 3 - 62-109060
 - 1 - 105-82555
 - 1 - 44-24016
- 6 - Dallas (Encl. - 975) AM
 - 2 - 89-43
 - 2 - 100-10461
 - 2 - 44-1639
- 3 - Philadelphia
 - 1 - 157-916
 - 1 - 44-767
 - 1 - 105-9958

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APR 16 1964

Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

79 APR 23 1964

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PH 157-916

Re Dallas airtel to Director dated 3/17/64.

Enclosed for Dallas are 25 copies each of FD 302's and administrative inserts requested in reairtel.

To aid Dallas in assembling report, FD 302's and administrative inserts regarding one allegation, one individual, or one situation are separated and labelled with a 3 x 5 card on the front of the first insert. There may be one or more FD 302's or inserts regarding each situation. They also will be numbered individually and in the group to correspond to the below designation.

Enclosures are as follows:

A. ALLEGATIONS RE: MIKE VINICH, Jackson, Wyoming.

1. FD 302 - Mrs. BERNICE H. PRACTON
Philadelphia, Pa.

B. INVESTIGATION RE: WILLIAM T. CALEY
Wayne, Pa.

1. FD 302 - WILLIAM THOMAS CALEY
Wayne, Pa.
2. Insert - Information contained in Philadelphia indices.

C. INVESTIGATION RE: CLARK MAKIEBAN, New Bloomfield, Pa.

1. FD 302 - ROLAND DUNKLEBERGER
New Bloomfield, Pa.
2. FD 302 - Corporal STANLEY KRAMES
Durcannon, Pa.
3. FD 302 - LEROY A. MERKLE
Harrisburg, Pa.
4. FD 302 - WILLIAM CLARK MAKIEBAN
New Bloomfield, Pa.

D. INVESTIGATION RE: RALPH LEE HASSINGER, Mount Joy, Pa.

1. FD 302 - ELMER L. ZERPHY
Mount Joy, Pa.

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2. FD 302 - ROSCOE HASSINGER
Mount Joy, Pa.
3. FD 302 - Telephone call to locate
RALPH LEE HASSINGER
4. FD 302 - RALPH LEE HASSINGER
Mount Joy, Pa.
5. FD 302 - Obituary notice of RALPH LEE HASSINGER
6. Administrative insert - Clarification of
interview date of ROSCOE HASSINGER

E. ALLEGATIONS RE: TED THESING, Philadelphia, Pa.

1. FD 302 - JOSEPH CARMODY
Philadelphia, Pa.
2. FD 302 - KLARA K. FURKLE on 11/26/63
Roslyn, Pa.
(Ex-wife of TED THESING)
3. FD 302 - WILLIAM FRANCIS THESING on 11/26/63
Roslyn, Pa.
(Son of TED THESING)
4. FD 302 - SAMUEL M. WILSON
Glenside, Pa.
5. FD 302 - Dr. WILLIAM LYMAN
Abington, Pa.
6. FD 302 - WALTER ROBERTSON
Aurubon, New Jersey
7. FD 302 - RICHARD CHRISTIAN LYMAN
Abington, Pa.
8. FD 302 - KLARA K. FURKLE on 12/2/63
Roslyn, Pa.
9. FD 302 - WILLIAM FRANCIS THESING on 12/2/63
Roslyn, Pa.
10. FD 302 - SAMUEL MAYHEW WILSON
Glenside, Pa.
11. FD 302 - THEODORE THESING

F. INVESTIGATION RE: WILLIAM C. SHEPERD, Wrightstown, Pa.

1. FD 302 - WILLIAM C. SHEPERD
Wrightstown, Pa.

G. RE: THERESA COLLINS, 1440 Kerper Street, Philadelphia

1. Insert - Re THERESA COLLINS, Philadelphia, Pa.
2. FD 302 - THERESA COLLINS
Philadelphia, Pa.

PH 157-916

H. INTERVIEW OF MARJORIE HEIMBECKER, PHILADELPHIA,
RE MIGUEL SUAREZ

1. FD 302 - MARJORIE HEIMBECKER
Philadelphia, Pa.

I. UNKNOWN SUBJECT, HARRISBURG, PA.

1. FD 302 - EDMUND G. SHIFFER on 11/25/63
Philadelphia, Pa.
2. FD 302 - EDMUND G. SHIFFER on 11/26/63
Linglestown, Pa.
3. FD 302 - Mrs. MARY WACNER on 11/25/63
Harrisburg, Pa.
4. FD 302 - FRANK KAUFFMAN
Enola, Pa.
5. FD 302 - Mrs. MARY WACNER on 11/26/63
Steelton, Pa.

J. ALLEGATIONS RE: "520" BAR CUSTOMER, Chester, Pa.

1. FD 302 - CHARLES TOBIN on 11/27/63
Philadelphia, Pa.
2. FD 302 - CHARLES TOBIN on 11/27/63
Chester, Pa.
3. FD 302 - VINCENT COLOMBO, "520" Bar
Chester, Pa.

K. ALLEGATION RE: BEN TRAEHEL, New Orleans, La.

1. Insert - Re allegation
2. Administrative insert - Re [REDACTED]
(Conceal Source)

L. ALLEGATION RE: JOHN ERNEST KING, Marcus Hook, Pa.

1. Investigation insert
2. FD 302 - JOHN ERNEST KING

FBI

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Date: 4/14/64

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)

FROM: SAC, WFO (59-75) (P)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,
DALLAS, TEXAS
(OO:DL)

Re: JOSEPH C. SUDBECK
3709 Carter Avenue
St. Louis 7, Missouri

Enclosed for Bureau, Dallas, and St. Louis are
copies of insert reflecting information received WFO.

WFO not setting out any leads based on enclosed
since it is felt St. Louis has possibly received this infor-
mation previously.

Dallas should consider requesting St. Louis to
interview SUDBECK, if this not previously done.

ENCLOSURE

- 3 - Bureau (Enc 2)
- 2 - Dallas (Enc 25) (AM)
- 2 - St. Louis (Enc 2) (AM)
- 1 - WFO

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AIRTEL

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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

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Handwritten vertical note on left margin:
WFO advised by teletype

Handwritten initials: RL

Handwritten initials: DL

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JOSEPH C. SUDBECK
3709 Carter Avenue
St. Louis 7, Missouri

SIDNEY FREED, Director of Marketing, Publishers Company, Inc., 1106 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C., advised IC RAYMOND BROZ, JR., on April 8, 1964, he had received a letter from SUDBECK that had been written on the reverse side of a price list of Publishers Company, Inc. This letter was made available by FREED.

A review of this letter discloses it is nearly illegible in part; however, the following is a translation of same:

"Publishers Co., Inc.
1106 Connecticut Ave. N.W.
Washington, D.C.

You state you have complete details on the assassination of President KENNEDY. I suggest you add the following. On November 8, 1963, I offered to invest \$175,000,000 in Russia. This offer backed my oil securities valued at \$200,000,000. This offer to invest in Russia hoping Russia would withdraw all troops from East Germany and let the German people work out their own destiny. If you will sell these 201 shares Allen Oil, Eatson, Texas, I will pay you 10%. If sold at best value, I will pay you 50% and give you an order for \$500,000 worth of books. President JOHN F. KENNEDY was murdered to keep him from approving my offer to invest \$175,000,000 in Russia. Act at once on this offer.

Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Smith. I wish to sue this fraud brokerage company for \$200,000,000 (two hundred million dollars). I would like to engage your law firm to handle this suit against Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Smith, Executive Office, St. Louis, Missouri.

It is noted the above translation makes no effort to spell the words in the same manner they are spelled in this letter. This letter is signed JOSEPH C. SUDBECK, 3709 Carter Avenue, St. Louis 7, Missouri.

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Date: 4/20/54

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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)
FROM: SAC, WFO (89-75)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN F. KENNEDY, DALLAS,
TEXAS, 11/22/63
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING

ReBuairtel to WFO and Detroit, 4/17/64, instructing that complete background details concerning CARTERON, including his arrest for possession of a weapon, be verbally furnished to the Metropolitan Police Department.

The information was verbally furnished, 4/17/64, to Detective FRED L. BARKER, Special Investigations, Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D.C., by SA LAWRENCE S. MOHR.

3 - Bureau
1 - WFO

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AIRTEL

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C. C. Wick

Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

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FBI

Date: 4/7/64

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Mr. Tolson	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. Felt	
Mr. Gale	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Sullivan	
Mr. Tavel	
Mr. Trotter	
Miss Holmes	
Miss Gandy	

Transmit the following in

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Via AIRTEL

(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)
 FROM : SAC, BALTIMORE (89-30)
 RE : ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, 11-22-63, DALLAS, TEXAS. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING

On 4/6/64 HARRY KENNETH JOHNSON, 341 E. Moreland Road, Willow Grove, Pennsylvania, telephone OL 9-0293, area code 215, telephonically advised that on 4/3/64 he had parked his car in front of a Congressman's car at Friendship Airport, Baltimore, Maryland, and while walking by the car he noticed a book on the front seat stamped "Top Secret", and upon further notice he saw that it was a reprint of Presidential Fact Finding Committee on the Assassination of President Kennedy. JOHNSON noted that the car appeared to have a door lock not secured and he considered this a major breach of security and, therefore, was notifying the Baltimore Office.

JOHNSON stated the car was a black Mercury with Washington D.C. license 7J173 and had a plaque, blue with white lettering, which said "Member of 83rd Congress H 51".

LEAD: WASHINGTON FIELD

At Washington, D.C.

Will attempt to determine discreetly to whom license number 7J173 and plaque lettered "Member of 83rd Congress H 51" were issued, and advise Bureau, Baltimore and Dallas.

No further action being taken by Baltimore, WACB.

- 3 - Bureau
- 1 - Dallas (Info.)
- 2 - WFO (89-75)
- 1 - Baltimore
- CJSR:lw
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 all info to be sent
 Review to be sent
 4-8-64
 AR:WW

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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M. Per _____
 Special Agent in Charge

cc Rosen

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FBI

Date: 4/8/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)

Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI ATTENTION: MR. ROSEN

FROM: SAC, WFO (89-75)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN
FITZGERALD KENNEDY, 11-22-63, DALLAS, TEXAS
MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING

Re Baltimore airtel 4/7/64.

The records of the Department of Motor Vehicles, Washington, D. C., reflect that 1964 D. C. license 7J173 is a cover number, the identity of which is not released to the public. According to Mr. CHARLES HEFLIN, Department of Motor Vehicles, this tag is listed to the Lend-Lease Office of the Lincoln-Mercury Division for a 1964 four-door Mercury for the use only of the U. S. House of Representatives Majority Whip, 261 Constitution Avenue. The Washington Telephone Directory reflects that the District Sales Offices of the Lincoln-Mercury Division of the Ford Motor Company are located at 261 Constitution Avenue, N. W. The House Majority Whip is HALE BOGGS from Louisiana. (Mr. HEFLIN advised that the U. S. Secret Service had also made inquiry concerning the listing of this number on 4/3/64.)

No further action being taken by WFO.

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- ③ - Bureau
- 1 - Baltimore (Info)
- 1 - Dallas (Info)
- 1 - WFO
- TJJ:MCP

AIRTEL

Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

4/9, 1964

- Director
- Mr. Tolson
- Mr. Belmont
- Mr. Mohr
- Mr. Callahan
- Mr. Casper
- Mr. Conrad
- Mr. DeLoach
- Mr. Evans
- Mr. Gale
- Mr. Rosen
- Mr. Sullivan
- Mr. Tavel
- Mr. Trotter
- Mr. Clayton
- Miss Gandy
- Miss Holmes
- M
- Mr. Malley
- Mr. D. Moore
- Mr. Sizoo
- Mr. Stanley
- Mr. White
- Mr. Lunn
- Mrs. Henley
- Miss Martis
- Reading Room
- Mail Room
- Teletype Room
- See Me
- Call Me
- Note & Return

It is suggested that Mr. DeLoach call this to the attention of Congressman Boggs, so that he will be prepared for possible criticism.

Handwritten initials and signature

A. H. Belmont
Room 5736, Ext. 555

APR 22 1964

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

Tolson _____
 Belmont _____
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 Casper _____
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 Tele. Room _____
 Holmes _____
 Gandy _____

TO : MR. BELMONT

DATE: 4/8/64

FROM : A. ROSEN

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN KENNEDY
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS

Reference is made to the airtel from the Baltimore office in the above-captioned matter indicating a book on the front seat of a car believed belonging to a Member of Congress was seen at Friendship Airport. The book was stamped "Top Secret" and it was a reprint on the Presidential Fact Finding Committee on the Assassination of President Kennedy. The door of the car did not seem locked and the individual reporting this to the Baltimore office thought this was a major breach of security.

This matter has been checked by the Washington Field office and we have ascertained that the black Mercury with Washington, D. C. license 7J173 is a lend lease car by the Lincoln Mercury Division of the Ford Motor Company. The car is supposed to be assigned to the U. S. House of Representatives to the Majority Whip, 261 Constitution Ave. N.W. The Majority Whip of the House of Representatives is Representative Hale Boggs (D-La.) who is a member of the Presidential Commission looking into the Assassination of President Kennedy.

The Washington Field office in checking this today ascertained that the Secret Service was also interested in this same matter.

1 - Mr. DeLoach

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CIA was originally
 4/12/64. The
 car was for
 material was irrelevant.
 The car was locked
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Memorandum

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Belmont	_____
Mohr	_____
Casper	_____
Callahan	_____
Conrad	_____
Felt	_____
Gale	_____
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Holmes	_____
Gandy	_____

TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: 4/14/64

FROM : A. Rosen

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS

Memorandum from Rosen to Belmont dated 4/8/64 set forth information indicating that a book stamped "Top Secret", which was a reprint of the Presidential Fact Finding Committee on the Assassination of President Kennedy, was observed in the front seat of an automobile whose license was issued to Representative Hale Boggs (D. La.), who is a member of the President's Commission.

Congressman Hale Boggs was confidentially advised of this on April 12, 1964, by Mr. DeLoach. He stated the car was his; however, the material was irrelevant and also stated the car was locked.

Secret Service Agent Tom Kelley telephoned concerning this same incident and inquired what action the Bureau was taking concerning this incident inasmuch as the Secret Service had been supplied the same data and they did not wish to duplicate action the Bureau might take.

RECOMMENDATION:

If approved, Tom Kelley of the Secret Service will be advised that this incident was discussed with a member of the President's Commission, without identifying Hale Boggs as the person it was discussed with, and we are taking no further action.

1 - Mr. DeLoach

JRM:mpd (6)

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ANONYMOUS COMMUNICATIONS
KEEP ENVELOPES

OFFICE OF DIRECTOR
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

April 9, 1964

REC-23

The attached material was sent
to the Director from an anonymous
source from Great Barrington,
Massachusetts.

- MR. TOLSON
- MR. BELMONT
- MR. MOHR
- MR. CASPER
- MR. CALLAHAN
- MR. CONRAD
- MR. DELOACH
- MR. EVANS
- MR. FOLEY
- MR. GALE
- MR. RUTENFRANZ
- MR. SULLIVAN
- MR. TAVEL
- MR. TROTTER
- MR. JONES
- TELE. ROOM
- MRS. HOLMES
- MRS. METCALF
- MRS. GANDY

*Assassination of President
John F. Kennedy*

Handwritten notes:
 Via 0-7
 nm 4-16-64 RDE/lek
 25 copies to Director
 1 copy to Dept. of Justice
 1 copy to FBI
 1 copy to NY (all above info)
 (NOTE: On 4-16-64, instructions were given to the NY office to contact the source and to report back to the FBI.)
 JOESTEN

Joachim Joesten

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 [Illegible signatures]
 BARRITT
 [Illegible initials]

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The Truth About the Assassination
of President John F. Kennedy

Lee Harvey Oswald was not the assassin of President Kennedy. He did not kill Patrolman Tippit either. Oswald was wrongfully accused and "convicted" on both counts in the worst judicial frameup in history. All the charges against him were trumped up. Material evidence was doctored, faked, or insofar as it would have favored the accused, suppressed. Witnesses were intimidated or hushed up. In some cases, statements which they had never made were put into their mouths by the police. And then the defenceless accused was railroaded to death.

These are the basic findings of a painstaking private investigation which I undertook early in December 1963, on the spot in Dallas, on behalf of a leading German magazine. Since then, I have written a book of about 100,000 words on the case which sets forth in detail why Oswald could not possibly have murdered President Kennedy or the policeman. The book will first be published in Paris (probably in May or June of this year), later also in Germany and Britain, among other countries.

My investigation also brought out, beyond a shadow of doubt, that Oswald never was a genuine Communist. His "marxism" was nothing but a pose, his propaganda for Castro a sham, his "defection" to Russia a Missy cover for an intelligence assignment, which he bungled. Oswald went to the Soviet Union as an agent for the C.I.A., was found out and neutralized at Minsk where he worked practically as a slave laborer. Upon his return to this country, he became a stool-pigeon and agent provocateur for the F.B.I. on whose instructions he set up his phony "Fair Play for Cuba Committee" in New Orleans. At the same time, he was being trained for another intelligence mission, this time to Cuba, which he botched again.

This double failure as a secret agent made Oswald "repugnant" in the eyes of his employers. And when some of the intelligence figures who had manipulated Oswald joined the conspiracy to assassinate President Kennedy, they arranged for him to be sacrificed as the most convenient scapegoat.

Oswald, demonstrably innocent of both the killings that have been attributed to him, was not a victim of judicial error. The way his case was handled by the Dallas police and district attorney excludes any possibility of an innocent mistake having been made by overzealous or inept prosecutors. The Dallas police chiefs and District Attorney Henry M. Wade knowingly and deliberately framed this innocent man because they themselves were in league with the real assassins of President Kennedy. They callously sacrificed Oswald in order to shield the real perpetrators of "the crime of the century."

These are not "wild charges." The shocking fact that Oswald's accusers were themselves implicated in the plot to assassinate the President of the United States is brought out in my book and in the present report in minute, carefully documented detail.

Expect no solid grains of truth from the Warren Commission. Its performance to date clearly shows that the mandate it has received from President Johnson is not to uncover, but to hush up the true facts about the assassination.

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From all present indications, the Warren Report will be nothing but a glorified coverup heaped on top of the F.B.I.'s shoddy coverup for the crimes committed by the Dallas police.

Why, it may be asked, should President Johnson wish to keep the lid on the true circumstances of his predecessor's death? Legitimate as this question may sound, it is in fact a bit naive. Who put Lyndon Johnson in the White House? Not the ballots of the American people. The bullets of a powerful gang of fellow-Texans did.

I do not suggest that Johnson personally instigated the plot or that he actively took part in it. At this stage of my inquiry, I do not think that he was in any way directly involved. But he is the beneficiary of a crime conceived and executed by the power elite of his home state, Texas.

Thanks to the Bobby Baker scandal, Johnson was on his way out of the White House, when the Texas gang forcefully put him back with a few well-placed shots. Other factors that contributed to the decision to kill Kennedy were the resentment of the big oil interests of Texas at the late President's tax reform proposals; the wrath of the Cuban adventurers inside and outside the C.I.A. at Kennedy's moderation in the matter; the hate of fanatical segregationists of the Beckwith and General Walker stripe. The John Birch Society, rehearsing a factual version of "Seven Days in May."

The assassination of President Kennedy was more than "the crime of the century." The way it has been presented to the American people - the most gullible on earth - constitutes the most monstrous fraud ever perpetrated by officialdom and connived at by a supine, cowardly press. It was the most blatant attempt to fool all the people all the time this country has ever witnessed. So far it has achieved complete success. Historically, the perfect crime was committed on November 22, 1963.

The present report, which for the first time spells out the whole, awesome truth about the assassination, will not make glaring headlines. It is not likely ever to see the light - in this country - as a printed book. But it will make its way, I am sure, onto some library shelves where scholars of the future, endeavoring to shed some light on 20th century obscurantism, then will find the source material which the powers-that-be and the controlled news media of 1963-64 strove desperately to withhold from the public.

I am not writing this for the general public which has been securely lulled into uncritical acceptance of the preposterous Oswald hoax. My report is destined for the few discerning and independent minds who have sensed all along that something was terribly wrong in the official version but who had no way of getting at the facts. More power to these earnest truth-seekers!

Notice to the Assassins: You can kill me, too, but you can no longer stop the truth. Every fact that will be brought out in the present report, every name that will figure in it, every hidden aspect uncovered thereby, is already contained in my 320-page book manuscript due to be published in Paris soon. Numerous copies of it have been placed in safe hands throughout Europe. Anything that may happen to me will only enhance the worldwide repercussions of my expose.

P.S. Libel suits will be particularly welcome.

The Joesten Report

The Truth About the Assassination
of President John F. Kennedy

As publication of this report in book form appears unlikely in the United States in the foreseeable future (at any rate during the Johnson regime), it will be made available to a select group of American readers in the form of a limited mimeographed edition. It is to be published in successive instalments in the spring and summer of 1964, with some possible additions later.

This 100,000 to 150,000-word report will be divided into three main parts as follows:

Part I - The Frameup of Lee H. Oswald (in three volumes)

Part II - Oswald, Secret Agent (two volumes)

Part III - Why Kennedy Had to Die (two or three volumes)

In view of the tremendous amount of work involved in the preparation, writing and mimeographing of this report and the comparatively small number of copies that can be produced and sold in this non-commercial operation - I prefer, for obvious reasons, not to rely on any outside help - I am compelled to charge a fairly high price. Each volume will be priced at \$10 a copy. Accordingly, Part I will cost \$30 a copy, Part II \$20 a copy and so forth.

However, in order to make acquisition of this documentary possible to as many public and college libraries as may care to give their clientele an opportunity to scan the uncensored facts about the assassination, a special library rate amounting to a 40% discount will be available to them. This discount will not be available to any government agency.

All orders should be addressed directly to the author and publisher, at his legal residence, as follows: Joachim Joesten, 87-70 173rd Street, Jamaica 32, New York City (Phone: JI 6-3103).

Publication of "The Frameup of Lee H. Oswald" is expected to take place in late April or early May, 1964. The three volumes of this part of the work will aggregate about 50,000 words. Tentative chapter headings: (1) That Self-Betraying Detour; (2) "Ambush Building Chosen with Care"; (3) Image of Texas Justice: Prosecutor H.H. Wade; (4) Trial by Television; (5) Presumption of Guilt; (6) The Sacred Cows; (7) Mr. Wade's Fourteen Points; (8) A Matter of Curtain Rods; (9) Could Oswald Shoot Around the Corner? (10) Unworried Killers; (11) Laughing Hyena on a Bus; (12) Police Alert Before the Crime; (13) "Secret Service Checks in Vain"; (14 and 15) Who Killed the "Good Cop?" (16) The Quarry at Bay; (17) That Monstrous Rifle Frame

Contents of Parts II and III will be announced later. French-reading students of the matter can save themselves a lot of money by ordering instead the trade book "Oswald, L'Impossible Assassin" which will be published in May by Editions de Trévise, Paris. Copies of this book may also be ordered from the author at the price of \$4.00, plus postage.

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Current New Books by JOACHIM JOESTEN

A. - In English

- THE NEW ALGERIA - approx. 300 pages, nine maps - Price: \$6.95
To be published in May, 1964, by Follett Publishing Co., Chicago
- OMASSIS: A Biography - 192 pp., cloth. Price: \$3.95
Just published (March 1964), by Abelard-Schuman, New York
- THEY CALL IT INTELLIGENCE (Spies and Spy Techniques Since World War II) - 314 pp., cloth - Abelard-Schuman, 1963. Price: \$5.00
- GERMANY'S OTHER HALF (A Journalist's Appraisal of East Germany) - 207 pp., cloth - Abelard-Schuman, 1963 - Price: \$5.00
(Published under the pen name of Franz von Nesselrode)
- THE PRUDENT MAN (Tax Dodging as an Art) - 157 pp., cloth - Abelard-Schuman, 1963 - Price: \$2.95 (Pen-Name: H.F. Millikin)
- THE RED HAND - 200 pp., cloth - Abelard-Schuman and Robert Hale (London), 1962. Price: \$3.95

B. - In German

- IM DIENSTE DES MISSTRAUENS (Das Geschäft mit Spionage und Abwehr) - 204 pp., paperback - Rütten und Loening Verlag, Munich, 1961
Price: \$2.75
- Ölnächte im Wettstreit - 150 pp., cloth - Verlag August Metzger, Baden-Baden, 1963 - Price: \$3.25
- GOLD, DOLLAR, RUBEL - 155 pp., paperback - Signus-Verlag, Gütersloh, 1963 - Price: \$1.25

C. - In French:

- OSWALD, L'IMPOSSIBLE ASSASSIN - about 300 pp., paperback - Price: \$4.00 - Scheduled for publication in May 1964 by Editions de Trévise, Paris.

Older books by Joachim Joesten of which copies are still available:

In English: NASSER: THE RISE TO POWER (Odhams Press, London, 1957) 124 pp., cloth, \$3.50. -

In German: Präsident Kennedy (Deutsche Verlags-Anstalt, Stuttgart, 1961) - 246 pp., cloth - Price: \$3.75. - 51 parient die Welt (Karl Blessing Verlag, Düsseldorf, 1953) - 544 pp., cloth - Price: \$15.00.

These books may also be ordered direct from the author: Joachim Joesten, 87-70 173rd Street, Jamaica 32, New York City. Phone: OJ 5-1221.

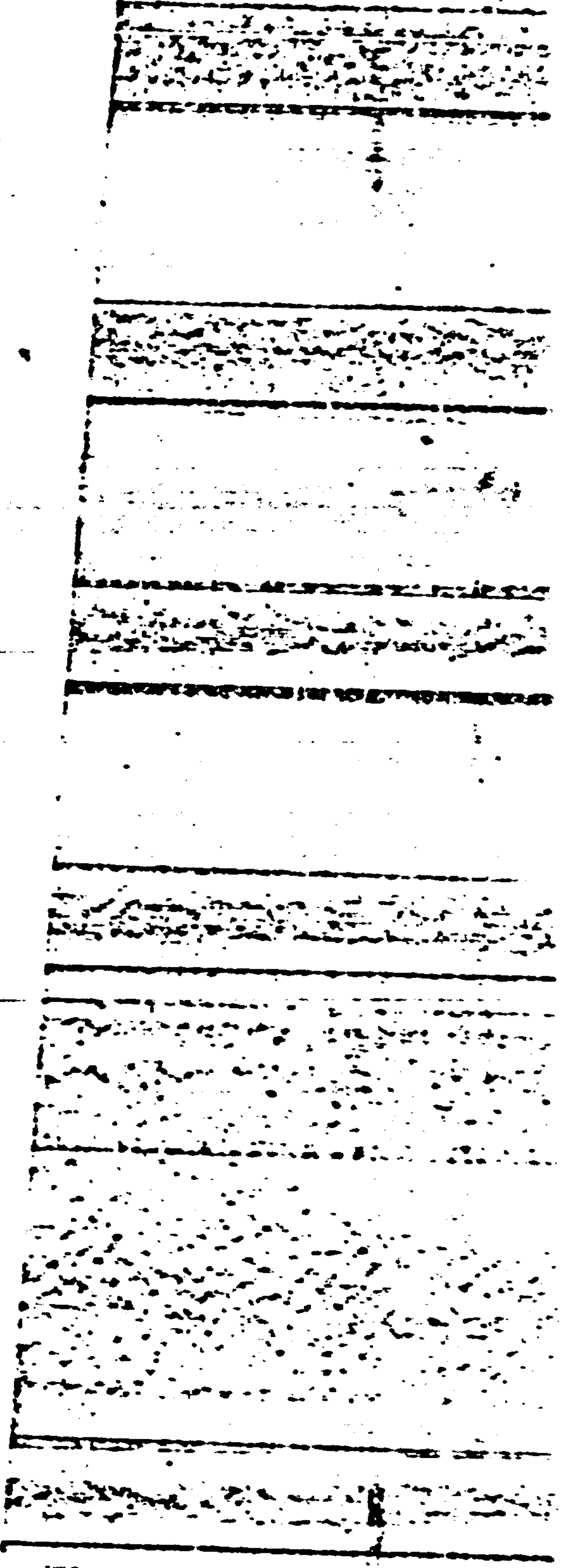
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Date: 4/17/64

Via AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)
 FROM: SAC, CHARLOTTE (89-46)(P)
 RE: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
 JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
 DALLAS, TEXAS, 11/22/63
 KILLING A FEDERAL OFFICER

RE: JAMES M. O'BRIEN, aka. J. MIKE
 O'BRIEN, JAMES MICHAEL O'BRIEN

Re Charlotte teletype to Bureau, Chicago, and Dallas,
 11/29/63 concerning information furnished on 11/28/63 by Mrs.
BLANCHE GILTNER of Chester, S.C., re one JAMES M. O'BRIEN.

By airtel of 11/29/63 Charlotte furnished to Dallas
 25 copies of FD 302 reflecting the interview with Mrs. GILTNER.
 Charlotte presumes this has been included in a subsequent Dallas
 report but does not know the date of that report and, accordingly,
 Charlotte is not heading its current material to show what its
 supplements.

Reference is also made to Chicago teletype of 11/29/63
 to the Bureau and Dallas advising that efforts to identify
 O'BRIEN at Elgin, Ill., had been unsuccessful.

There are enclosed for the Bureau 2 copies of FD 302
 of Mrs. GILTNER and 2 copies of insert reflecting investigation
 at Chester, S.C., and for Dallas 25 copies each of insert and
 FD 302. Cleveland is being furnished 3 copies of the FD 302;
 3 copies of the insert; and 3 copies of the FD 302 of Mrs.
 GILTNER on 11/28/63.

When recontacted on 4/15/64, Mrs. GILTNER stated that
 shortly after the second visit of Mr. O'BRIEN she had been

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contacted by a Secret Service agent who was aware of O'BRIEN's visit and statements on November 22, 1963. She furnished this Agent the information concerning O'BRIEN's second visit, which was quite recent at that time. She had also loaned him the original registration card for 11/22/63 which he had returned by mail presumably after copying.

On 4/16/64 SA JAMES M. UNDERHILL contacted Mr. VERNON SPICER, Agent in Charge of the Charlotte Office of Secret Service. Mr. SPICER stated he is the one who had recontacted Mrs. GILTNER and this was done on January 22, 1964. He stated that his Washington headquarters had forwarded him 2 copies of Charlotte FD 302 covering the original interview of Mrs. GILTNER on 11/28/64 with a form routing slip indicating it was for appropriate investigation. On his contact with Mrs. GILTNER he had obtained the same information as that furnished by her to Agent UNDERHILL on 4/15/64 with the exception she had also mentioned a Mr. HELMS had been there when O'BRIEN came in the second time but that HELMS would have no further information. SPICER said that in an effort to identify O'BRIEN he had a check made with the Highway Patrol at Columbia, S.C., but found no record of traffic ticket to O'BRIEN. A check had also been made by Secret Service at Nashville, Tennessee, which had not located any Tennessee driver's license for O'BRIEN and had developed information that there is no alphabetical listing of automobiles registered in Tennessee. He had also requested a check by Secret Service at Elgin, Ill., which had been based on the information in O'BRIEN's original registration and had not succeeded in developing any information of the actual identity or address of O'BRIEN. No investigation has been conducted by Secret Service at Lima, Ohio.

The foregoing information concerning inquiries by Secret Service is not included in the attached FD 302 or insert.

In view of inquiries made by Secret Service at Columbia, S.C., and Nashville, Tenn., Charlotte is not setting forth leads to check there UACB.

The following investigation should be conducted by Cleveland UACB.

LEADS

CLEVELAND

AT LIMA, OHIO

Will determine if JAMES M. O'BRIEN, J. MICHAEL O'BRIEN, or JAMES MICHAEL O'BRIEN can be identified as having an account with any bank in that town. It is pointed out he reportedly had a pink check form. On identification of O'BRIEN, obtain background information and unless indicated otherwise, interview him concerning the statement he allegedly made at Chester, S.C., on 11/22/63.

AT ELGIN, OHIO

Will endeavor to identify and locate O'BRIEN at 156 Dive St. or through logical sources and, if identified, handle as set out under lead for Lima.

Date 4/17/64

Mrs. BIANCHE GILTNER, manager of Carolina Hotel, 143 Main Street, furnished the following additional information concerning one JAMES M. O'BRIEN, also known as J. MIKE O'BRIEN or JAMES MICHAEL O'BRIEN.

She related that about one month after O'BRIEN had been in the hotel on November 22, 1963, he came to the hotel alone again. On this occasion he indicated he wanted to stay in the hotel for one night but before registering said he wanted to cash a check. He went on to say that he had been stopped by a Highway Patrolman for "crossing a yellow line" and had paid a fine or bail of \$50, which took all his cash. Mrs. GILTNER commented that it did not occur to her until later that the amount of \$50 for the stated offense appears excessive. He had not made any statement as to where this had occurred and she does not know whether he meant it happened in South Carolina.

In any event she indicated considerable reluctance to cash a check but was finally persuaded and he started to write out the check which she noted was on a pink check form drawn on some bank in Lima, Ohio. He put down on the check as identification his automobile license which she could recall only as being a Tennessee license and for a Pontiac car. She did not actually see the car at all. She recalled that he had signed the check J. MIKE O'BRIEN.

At about this point Mrs. GILTNER commented that he had been in the hotel before and he replied that he had not. She insisted he had and produced his registration card for November 22, 1963 and showed it to him. At this he became angry and tore up the check and stuck it in his pocket and walked out. He had not actually registered at the hotel and she did not have any document as a result of his brief stay on this date which she recalled as having been probably late in December, 1963.

Mrs. GILTNER stated she is positive he is the same individual who had been in the hotel on November 22, 1963, and who had made a comment about the assassination of President KENNEDY; however, the matter of his previous comment was not discussed with him on the occasion of his second visit.

On 4/15/64 at Chester, S.C.

File Charlotte 3-15

by SA JAMES M. UNDERHILL: JS

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Date dictated 4/15/64

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Mrs. GILTNER said she had never seen this individual before November 22, 1963, and had no additional information as to his business or any knowledge of any persons he may have contacted in Chester. She stated that during his stay on November 22, 1963, for one night, he had not made or received any calls through the hotel.

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JM: jb

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RE: JAMES M. O'BRIEN, also known as
J. MIKE O'BRIEN, JAMES MICHAEL O'BRIEN

The following investigation was conducted by SA
JAMES M. UNDERHILL at Chester, South Carolina on April 15, 1964:

Lieutenant R. M. EUBANKS, South Carolina Highway
Patrol, Chester, stated that his office does not maintain
copies of arrest tickets by the Highway Patrol Officers
within his District, which comprises seven counties surrounding
Chester, and he was unable to furnish any information concerning
a possible arrest of JAMES M. O'BRIEN or similar name.

Chief E. L. BOSTIC, Chester County Rural Police,
stated he had no record that any of his officers had arrested
or charged anyone named JAMES M. O'BRIEN or person with similar
name. He commented that if an arrest had been made by a Highway
Patrolman anywhere in the vicinity of Chester, the charged
person would have been brought before Magistrate C. T. DeLANCY
in Chester.

With the assistance of Chief BOSTIC, the records of
Magistrate DeLANCY were checked for the period December 11, 1963,
through April 1, 1964, and no record found for one JAMES M.
O'BRIEN or similar name.

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