

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
 DeLoach     
 Mohr     
 Wick     
 Casper     
 Callahan     
 Conrad     
 Felt     
 Gale     
 Rosen     
 Sullivan     
 Tavel     
 Trotter     
 Tele. Room     
 Holmes     
 Gandy   

Top Clipping

Dated 5-26

From Wash. Capital News Service

initiated by masked file

*R. [Signature]*

Assassination of President John F Kennedy

256A

GARRISON 5/28 WA  
 WASHINGTON (UPI) --NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT ATTORNEY JIM GARRISON SAID SUNDAY HE HAD PROOF THAT SOMEONE OTHER THAN LEE HARVEY OSWALD ASSASSINATED THE LATE PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY.  
 GARRISON SAID HE COULD NOT SAY ANYTHING ABOUT THE EVIDENCE BUT WOULD PRESENT IT IN COURT. HE SAID IT WOULD SHOW "THERE IS NO QUESTION ABOUT THE FACT THAT THERE WAS A CONSPIRACY" TO MURDER KENNEDY.  
 IN A TELEVISION INTERVIEW (ISSUES AND ANSWERS--ABC), GARRISON ALSO SAID HE COULD PROVE THAT KENNEDY WAS KILLED BY SHOTS FIRED FROM IN FRONT OF THE CAR IN DALLAS NOV. 22, 1963. THIS WOULD CONTRADICT THE WARREN COMMISSION'S CONCLUSION THAT KENNEDY WAS SLAIN BY SHOTS STRIKING HIM FROM THE REAR.  
 GARRISON HAS ARRESTED A NEW ORLEANS BUSINESSMAN, CLAY SHAW, IN CONNECTION WITH HIS INVESTIGATION OF KENNEDY'S SLAYING, BUT SAID SUNDAY "WE ARE GOING TO HAVE TO DEFER ANY FURTHER ARRESTS TO TRY AND MAKE THEM AT A LATER DATE. THERE WILL BE OTHER ARRESTS AND THEY WILL PROBABLY BE BEFORE (SHAW'S) TRIAL."  
 SHAW HAS BEEN INDICTED BY AN ORLEANS PARISH GRAND JURY ON CONSPIRACY CHARGES.  
 HE SAID THE WARREN COMMISSION OVERLOOKED THE TESTIMONY OF TWO-THIRDS OF THE WITNESSES. THESE WITNESSES BELIEVED THE SHOTS CAME FROM A POINT IN FRONT OF THE MOTORCADE RATHER THAN FROM THE SIXTH FLOOR OF THE TEXAS SCHOOL BOOK DEPOSITORY WHERE THE COMMISSION SAID OSWALD WAITED TO KILL THE PRESIDENT, GARRISON SAID.  
 HE SAID "IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR ANYBODY TO MAKE CONCLUSIVE COMMENTS" UNLESS THE AUTOPSY REPORT ON KENNEDY IS MADE AVAILABLE. "IT IS BEING KEPT SECRET," HE SAID. "NOW I THINK THE FACT THAT IT IS BEING KEPT SECRET RAISES SOME QUESTIONS. AND THOSE ARE THE SIGNIFICANT QUESTIONS."  
 GARRISON ALSO RENEWED HIS CHARGE THAT THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY WAS TRYING TO BLOCK HIS INVESTIGATION BECAUSE SOME OF ITS FORMER EMPLOYEES WOULD BE IMPLICATED.  
 "EVERY LAWYER INVOLVED IN THIS CASE, WITHOUT EXCEPTION, INVOLVED IN THE ATTEMPTS TO DERAIL THE INVESTIGATION AND TO STOP THE CASE, HAS BEEN CONNECTED BY US WITH THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY," GARRISON SAID.

~~HE ALSO SAID OSWALD WAS OBVIOUSLY AN INTELLIGENCE EMPLOYEE OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BUT NOT A CIA AGENT.~~  
 HE ALSO SAID OSWALD "WAS OBVIOUSLY AN INTELLIGENCE EMPLOYEE OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT" BUT NOT A CIA AGENT.

NOT RECORDED

55 JUN 14 1967  
 56 JUN 9 1967

FOR MR. TOLSON  
 WASHINGTON CAPITAL NEWS SERVICE

199 JUN 6 1967

*NY*