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J. Edgar Hoover 🦠 FBI Director 💮 Washington, D.C.

December 3, 1963.

I may be taking of your valuable time for no reason, but I feel I must tell this to you.

On November 14, I think it was, of this year, I was told by one of our customers when he came to get a starter repaird, that, 💥 🕮 🗀 as he tole me, president Kennedy "just got shot,"

The customer either said, " in Washington," or near the Whitehouse.*

The customer said he had heard it on the radio. I was shocked at the time and when he left, I turned the radio on, and heard . nothing about it, I ask my wife if he had, and she hadn't. I forgot about it as a worse kind of joke, then president Kennedy was shot, causing more shock, because every radio station was telling of the tradgedy,.

It was four or five days after president Kennedy's death before I thought much of the Nov. 14, 1963, account, since then I've checked to find out what radio station he was listening to, I called him on . the telephone, to ask what station he heard it on, and any further details on the matter, I made a tape recording of that phone call, He told me he'd been listening to radio station K. N. I. T. here in Abilene, Texas, he was with someone that he ask if KN. I. T. was right, and they said again K. N. I. T.. he said he had a boy employed that was a radio fanatic and he could tell any thing about it. I haven't talked with the radio fanatic, I did call the radio station, and they said they did not make the announcment. that call was today, since the radio station denies that they made the announcement, and I'm told they did, I feel its up to me to tell it to you.

It may still be a nasty joke, then you may not think so. so here it is. The customer's name is Jerry Owens, he operates a service station, and garage at 1302 No. Treadaway, Abilene, Texas.

I don't know the name of the radio fanatic, as Jerry called him. I'm sending the exact dialogue of the telephone conversation between myself and Jerry Owens, it was made. 12/1/63 December 1, 1963.

I have wrote the dialogue from the tape recording.

I've also inserted some comments between lines of the dialogue.

If I've been taking up your time needlessly, let me know how you feel about this, for my mind will not be clear until I know, one way or the other.

My name is Loring Wilson (Sonny) Wiseman Jr. (Loring Wilson (sonny)Wi seman Jr.) I live at 1717 No. Treadaway, Abilene, Texas. Phone OA-2-2854. Which is a company phone.

Please let me know what you plan if anything about this matter.

Thank you very much.

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