

535 Copeman Blvd.  
Flint 3, Michigan  
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Mr. Robert Kennedy  
Attorney General  
The Justice Department  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kennedy:

I don't know what to make of some information I gained on November 22, the day President Kennedy was assassinated. It may have an indirect relationship to his death, therefore I am passing it on to you for your evaluation.

I first heard that the President had been shot while at Flint Junior College where I teach economics. This was about 2:00 P.M., E.S.T. I was on my way to a motion picture being shown at the college by the French Club. I remarked to a fellow faculty member that it looked like the damned conservatives in Dallas had got to the President. After the picture, about 4:15 P.M., I asked some students who were walking down the hall, how the President was. They said he had died and something to the effect that it would happen in Dallas. I again remarked that it was probably due to the radical right element in Dallas.

I made these statements because I was angry and I was aware of the Stevenson incident in Dallas a few weeks earlier, and I remembered Vice-President Johnson's previous encounter there. Also, only a few weeks ago I had seen the CBS News documented report on "The Case History of a Rumor". This was the rumor apparently spread by the radical right about Operation Water Moccasin. I was amazed at the organization and communication within this group which was revealed by the report.

The surprising thing is that within a few minutes after arriving at home, shortly after 5:00 P.M., a phone call was answered by my daughter. She said it was someone who wanted CE 9-6154. Within a minute the phone rang again and I answered. A prominent right wing Republican said "This is \_\_\_\_\_". I said, "Yes?" There was a moment of silence and he then said, "Is this CE 9-6154?" I said rather angrily, "No, this is CE 4-9651". He then hung up without an explanation.

I think this was a purposeful call and not a wrong number. I don't know the man personally and have never seen him so I haven't followed up on it as yet. I have hesitated to write this letter because, obviously the incident of and by itself has no connection with the death of the President. On the other hand the information may be of value if it fits in with other nation wide information which you may have.

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As I said at the beginning, I don't know what to make of the phone call, except that it might indicate a highly organized, highly communicative conservative group here.

Apparently the evidence is conclusive against Oswald, but there had to be a motive, and also an acceptable motive for Jack Ruby's killing of Oswald.

If you have further interest in the above mentioned incident please let me know.

cc: Theodore Sorensen

Sincerely,

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