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The Hon. J. Lee Rankin
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Commission
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Permit me to point out that Mr. Hoover's book "Masters of Deceit" has been, for years, the bible of right wing extremists in Texas. When President Kennedy signed the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty he became the "traitor" and the "enemy" in the eyes of these hate groups.

John F. Kennedy's assassination was plotted with two objectives in mind. To punish the President and his followers for deviating from the precepts of this bible and to, grossly, discredit liberal thought in America. The plot and the "evidence" were pre-arranged in such a way so as to "frame" the leftist personality of Lee Harvey Oswald. His pre-trial execution with an *a l t e r e d* low power .38 cal. bullet which did not emerge from Oswald's slender body, constituted the traditional lynching of an innocent man for an imputed crime.

Loyalty to the Southern cause, fraternal police solidarity and understanding considerations for national unity have set in motion a nationwide desire to, fraudulently, exploit this incident as justification for the symbolism of the *b l c o d - s t a i n* on the cover of Mr. Hoover's book. Pressures are being exerted upon the Special Presidential Commission to let a lie triumph over truth.

Yours very truly,

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