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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Houston, Texas

June 24, 1964

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

On June 13, 1964, Reverend Elton L. Stephenson,
Chaplain, Methodist Hospital, Houston, Texas, resi-
dence 9223 Fordshire, furnished the following informa-
tion:

On June 2, 1964, The Reverend Mr. Stephenson
obtained fifty one-dollar bills from the University
State Bank in Houston, Texas. On June 13, 1964, he
noticed that one of these bills had the following
statement hand printed in ink around the border of
the reverse side: "Help! Kennedy will be shot Nov
22, 1963 Warn him please!"

Two other bills have mustaches drawn on
Washington's picture as does the bill with the above
statement on it. One of the bills has a swastika
drawn on Washington's forehead. The Reverend Mr.
Stephenson stated he knew nothing further regarding
the source of these bills or the identity of the
writer who placed the statement on the bill. He
turned the bills over to the Federal Bureau of
Investigation.

On June 23, 1964, Mr. H. M. Dudley, Jr.,
Vice President, University State Bank, Houston, Texas,
advised that it would be utterly impossible to trace

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these one-dollar bills back to determine where they came from. He stated that if he still had the original band that bound the fifty one-dollar bills, he could determine what banking establishment in Houston furnished these bills to his bank. He stated, however, that this binder is no longer available.

Mr. Dudley canvassed the employees of the bank who customarily count and handle the money and no one was located who had any recollection of having seen this money.

Mr. Dudley further stated that had his employees seen the markings on the bills they would have withdrawn them from circulation which is customary with his bank.

Set out below are the results of the Federal Bureau of Investigation Laboratory examination of these bills:

D-230 Three one-dollar bills furnished to the Houston Office by Reverend Elton L. Stephenson, Chaplain, Methodist Hospital, Houston, Texas.

One of the bills bears hand printing on the reverse side in the wording "Help! Kennedy will be shot Nov. 22, 1963, warn him please." All three bills have mustaches drawn on Washington's picture. One of the bills has a swastika drawn on Washington's forehead.

The hand printing on D-230 was compared with the material in the Anonymous Letter File but no identification was effected.