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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 ATTENTION: INSPECTOR J. R. MALLEY
 FROM: SAC, NEW YORK
 ASSASSINATION OF JOHN F. KENNEDY,
 NOVEMBER 22, 1963,
 MISC. INFO CONCERNING.

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There is enclosed herewith a copyrighted article by DOROTHY KILGALLEN, which appeared in "NEW YORK JOURNAL AMERICAN", 9/25/64, concerning captioned matter.

The essence of this article is as follows:

1. An unidentified woman who witnessed the killing of Officer J. D. TIPPITT was warned by the police that her life would be in danger if she talked about the case to anyone. She allegedly gave a description of the killer, which does not fit that of LEE HARVEY OSWALD.
2. Another eye witness to TIPPITT's slaying, Mrs. HELEN MARKHAM, allegedly identified OSWALD in the line-up but states she has been told not to talk by several Dallas detectives, FBI Agents and Secret Service Agents. Mrs. MARKHAM subsequently gave a taped interview with Attorney MARK LANE which is reportedly set forth verbatim in an additional article in this issue.
3. A Dallas police officer SEYMOUR WEITZMAN taken the day after the slaying, reportedly indicated that the rifle, which he found was a 7.65 Mauser.

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4. An affidavit was taken from a cab driver WILLIAM WAYNE WHALEY, who reportedly identified OSWALD as a fare on 11/22/63. However, District Attorney HENRY WADE subsequently told the press conference that the cab driver utilized by OSWALD was one DARRYL CLICK.

5. An allegation that an affidavit was taken from MICHAEL RALPH PAINE, estranged husband of Mrs. RUTH PAINE, that he knew that LEE HARVEY OSWALD worked in the Texas Book Depository Building, and thought of calling the FBI when he heard the President had been shot, but did not because he felt the FBI was aware of his presence there. Further, that Mrs. PAINE stated that she notified the FBI after she obtained OSWALD's employment in the book depository but believed he was working in an annex.

Reported excerpts from each of the aforementioned affidavits are set forth in an adjoining article in this issue of the "JOURNAL AMERICAN".