UNITED STATES GOVE emorandu**m** Belmont/ November 5, 1964 l - Mr. Sullivan (R. E. Lenihan) FROM 1 - Mr. DeLoach (J. O'Beirne) 1 - Mr. Conrad ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT SUBJECT: (R. F. Frazier) JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY 1 - Mr. Rosen 1 - Mr. Belmont 11-22-63 1 - Mr. Malley DALLAS, TEXAS 1 - Mr. Shroder MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING 1 - Mr. Rogge We are in receipt of another letter dated 10-29-64, from George C. Thomson, a civil engineer from Glendale, California. Thomson has claimed in the past to have "definite proof of the innocence" of Oswald. Thomson in a prior communication furnished the Director an eightpage, allegedly scientific, evaluation of the Warren Commission's report entitled "The Quest for Truth" which, according to Thomson, proves without any question of a doubt that Oswald is innocent. Thomson was interviewed by Bureau Agents on 10-7-64, and admitted his theories were based on published reports and his own feelings concerning the assassination. The Agent noted that during the interview Thomson appeared "wild-eyed," very nervous, was of the opinion his analysis of the assassination was "momentous," and gave the impression that he was right and the Commission wrong. In Thomson's most recent letter to the Director, he refers to his prior contacts with the Bureau and reiterates his feelings concerning the "importance" of his findings, and while complimentary of the Director and

the Bureau, he desires the Director to assure him that the information he has furnished is "not only correct" but that "its correctness" will be given to Oswald's mother and family. He concludes the letter with the statement, "The very foundations of liberty depend upon your decision."

OBSERVATIONS:

We have no positive evidence at this time Thomson is suffering from na mental illness. There are indications he is not rational at times. He has been interviewed and his information found useless. It is felt acknowledgement of his present letter would merely stimulate further communications from him.

RECOMMENDATION:

That Thomson's letter not be acknowledged and that no further action be taken in this matter.