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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,

Bidwell

DALLAS, TEXAS, NOVEMBER TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE, MISCELLANEOUS,
INFORMATION CONCERNING.

RE NEW ORLEANS TELS MARCH FIFTEEN LAST.

RE: CRIMINAL DISTRICT COURT HEARING, MARCH FIFTEEN LAST.

LEAD ARTICLE IN THE TIMES PICAYUNE NEWSPAPER FOR MARCH SIXTEEN INSTANT CONTAINS A RESUME OF THE SECOND DAY'S HEARING DURING WHICH PERRY RAYMOND RUSSO WAS ON THE STAND THROUGHOUT THE DAY UNDER CROSS EXAMINATION. THIS ARTICLE HIGHLIGHTED THE FACT THAT RUSSO WAS UNABLE TO POSITIVELY IDENTIFY A PICTURE OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD AS A MAN HE HAD KNOWN AS "LEON OSWALD" IN NEW ORLEANS. RUSSO IDENTIFIED TWO OTHER PHOTOS OF OSWALD BUT STATED HE WOULD ^{EX-107} "NOT GO OUT ON A LIMB" ON THE THIRD PICTURE.

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DEFENSE ASKED RUSSO IF HE WAS CERTAIN THAT HE SAW OSWALD IN NEW ORLEANS IN OCTOBER, SIXTYTHREE. RUSSO TESTIFIED HE
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WAS ALMOST SURE HE HAD SEEN OSWALD IN OCTOBER, SIXTYTHREE, IN THE APARTMENT OF DAVID W. FERRIE. DEFENSE ATTORNEY THEN POINTED OUT THAT OSWALD HAD LEFT NEW ORLEANS ON SEPTEMBER TWENTYFIVE, SIXTYTHREE, ON HIS WAY TO HOUSTON AND MEXICO AND THAT HE NEVER RETURNED, REFERRING TO FINDINGS OF THE WARREN COMMISSION. AT THIS POINT, THE STATE OBJECTED, ASSERTING THAT THE WARREN REPORT WAS "NEVER PROVEN AS A FACT IN THIS COURT."

RUSSO TESTIFIED THAT ON ONE OCCASION HE VISITED A RESIDENCE OF DAVID FERRIE IN KENNER, LOUISIANA, ALONG WITH THREE OTHER PERSONS, TWO OF WHOM HE IDENTIFIED AS AL LANDRY AND LEFTY PETERSON. NEW ORLEANS INDICES CONTAIN NO INFORMATION IN THE NAME AL LANDRY, AND AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED, INDICES NEGATIVE CONCERNING LEFTY PETERSON.

DEFENSE ATTORNEY ASKED IF ONE OF THE PEOPLE AT FERRIE'S KENNER HOME WAS LAYTON MARTINS. RUSSO TESTIFIED HE DID NOT KNOW ANY LAYTON MARTINS. *Lu*

NEW ORLEANS FILES CONTAIN INFORMATION TO THE EFFECT THAT A MRS. JERRY W. LEWIS, NEW ORLEANS, TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED
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THE NEW ORLEANS FBI ON NOVEMBER TWENTYSIX, SIXTYTHREE, TO ADVISE THAT HER EX-HUSBAND, EDWARD C. MARTINS, AND HIS BROTHER, LEIGHTON PATRICK MARTENS, IN JULY, SIXTYONE, WENT ON AN OVERNIGHT CAMPOUT WITH SEVERAL INDIVIDUALS AFFILIATED WITH THE CIVIL AIR PATROL, INCLUDING DAVID FERRIE. MRS. LEWIS SAID HER EX-HUSBAND LATER TOLD HER THAT DURING THE CAMPOUT, THEY MET SOME CUBANS WHO WERE IN MILITARY TRAINING OF SOME SORT.

REPORT OF SA WARREN C. DE BRUEYS ENTITLED "LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA, IS - R - CUBA" DATED DECEMBER TWO, SIXTYTHREE, AT DALLAS, PAGE TWO EIGHT FIVE, CONTAINS AN FD THREE ZERO TWO INTERVIEW WITH DAVID WILLIAM FERRIE AT NEW ORLEANS ON NOVEMBER TWENTYFIVE, SIXTYTHREE. IN THIS INTERVIEW, FERRIE ADVISED THE FBI THAT ON NOVEMBER TWENTYFOUR, SIXTYTHREE, WHILE PASSING THROUGH ALEXANDRIA, LOUISIANA, HE TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED HIS RESIDENCE IN NEW ORLEANS AND TALKED TO LAYTON MARTENS, WHO INFORMED HIM THAT HE, FERRIE, WAS BEING ACCUSED OF BEING IMPLICATED IN THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY.

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MARTENS IN INTERVIEW WITH BUREAU AGENTS ON NOVEMBER TWENTYFIVE, SIXTYTHREE, ADVISED THAT HE LIVED AT THREE THREE THREE ZERO LOUISIANA AVENUE, NEW ORLEANS, THE HOME OF DAVID FERRIE.

THE DEFENSE, ACCORDING TO THE NEWS ARTICLE, HINTED THAT MARTENS HAD ONCE BEEN A ROOMMATE OF FERRIE. DEFENSE ASKED RUSSO IF HE HAD EVER MET A LOUIE LANE OR A JOE KENNY, THE LATTER BEING A MUSICIAN. RUSSO TESTIFIED THE NAME KENNY "RINGS A BELL" BUT THAT HE DID NOT KNOW EITHER ONE. L.c.

INDICES NEW ORLEANS OFFICE CONTAIN NO IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION IN THE NAMES LOUIE LANE OR JOE KENNY.

THE FINAL EDITION OF THE NEW ORLEANS STATES ITEM FOR MARCH FIFTEEN LAST, IN REPORTING DEFENSE QUESTIONING OF RUSSO RELATIVE TO RUSSO'S VISIT TO FERRIE'S RESIDENCE IN KENNER, BROUGHT FORTH FROM RUSSO THAT RUSSO TRAVELED TO THE FERRIE RESIDENCE IN A CAR WITH AL LANDRY AND TWO OR THREE FRIENDS WHOM HE IDENTIFIED AS PETE PETERSON, WHOM HE ALSO SAID WAS IDENTICAL WITH LEFTY PETERSON, AND DEL MARQUAD. RUSSO
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IDENTIFIED MARQUAD AS ADELE MARQUAD WHOSE MAIDEN NAME WAS
ADELE LAPORTE. RUSSO SAID HE HAD SEEN LEFTY PETERSON IN DA

GARRISON'S OFFICE. NEW ORLEANS INDICES CONTAIN NO IDENTIFIABLE
INFORMATION IN THE NAMES PETE PETERSON OR ADELE MARQUAD NEE
LAPORTE.

BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED OF DEVELOPMENTS IN DAY'S
HEARING.

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