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TO DIRECTOR (62-109060) AND DALLAS (89-43)

FROM_ NEW ORLEANS (89-69)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY.

DALLAS, TEXAS, NOV. TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE, MISCELLANEOUS OFFICE OF OPICIN INFO CONCERNING. OQ: DALLAS.

NEW ORLEANS STATES-ITEM RED FLASH EDITION. MAY THREE. INSTANT, REPORTED THAT JUDGE EDWARD A. HAGARTY, JR. OVER-RULED A DEFENSE MOTION IN CRIMINAL DISTRICT COURT TO BRING MAGAZINE WRITER JAMES PHELAN TO NEW ORLEANS TO GIVE A SWORN STATEMENT IN OPEN COURT.

THIS ARTICLE REPORTED THAT GORDON NOVEL HAD APPEARED MUNICIPAL COURT, COLUMBUS, OHIO, INSTANT DATE, HAVING BEEN ARRESTED ON MAY TWO, SIXTYSEVEN ON A FOURTH LOUISIANA CHARGE AND WAS RELEASED IMMEDIATELY ON THE TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS BOND UNDER WHICH HE WAS PLACED APRIL ONE LAST. ACCORDING TO ARTICLE, NOVEL'S ARREST STEMMED FROM DIRECT CHARGES OF BURGLARY FILED BY TERREBONNE PARISH AUTHORITIES END PAGE ONE

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MR. DELOACH FOR THE DIRECTOR

Miss Holmes

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IN CONNECTION WITH THE MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE OF EXPLOSIVES FROM AN OIL SERVICE COMPANY'S BUNKER AT HOUMA IN NINETEEN SIXTYONE.

ACCORDING TO ARTICLE MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE BRUCE
JENKINS DENIED MOTION BY NOVEL TO CANCEL THE FOURTH CHARGE
AND CONTINUED ALL FOUR CASES UNTIL JULY THREE NEXT. AT THE
SAME TIME, HE MAVE LOUISIANA GOVERNOR JOHN J. MCKEITHAN
AN EXTRA THIRTY DAYS TO PERFECT FAULTY EXTRADITION PAPERS.

THIS ARTICLE REPORTED THAT OSCAR W. DE SLATTE, A TRUCK
SALESMAN, WAS SUBPOENAED ON MAY TWO BY THE ORLEANS PARISH
GRAND JURY. DE SLATTE CLAIMED HE WAS APPROACHED TWO WEEKS
BEFORE PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S DEATH BY TWO MEN, ONE OF WHOM
CALLED HIMSELF OSWALD. INTERVIEW OF DE SLATTE IS CONTAINED
SPECIAL AGENT
ON PAGE SIX SEVEN SEVEN OF THE REPORT OF SAY WARREN
C. DEBRUEYS, DALLAS, DECEMBER TWO, SIXTYTHREE IN CASE ENTITLED

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA. IS -R -CUBA.
LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM
NO AM BEING SUBMITTED.

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