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TO DIRECTOR 62-109060 AND DALLAS 89-43
FROM NEW ORLEANS 89-69

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,
November
DALLAS, TEXAS, NOV. TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE, MISCELLANEOUS-
INFO CONCERNING, *office of origin* 00: DALLAS.

THE NEW ORLEANS STATES-ITEM RED FLASH EDITION, MAY TWENTYTWO INSTANT, REPORTED THAT GORDON NOVEL, ELUSIVE *District Attorney* FIGURE IN DA JIM GARRISON'S KENNEDY ASSASSINATION PROBE, SAID IN A TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH A NEW ORLEANEAN, TODAY, THAT BULLETS FIRED IN NASHVILLE, TENN., YESTERDAY, DID NOT STRIKE HIM BUT HE HAD SUFFERED A SHOULDER WOUND FROM FLYING GLASS. THE ARTICLE STATED THAT NOVEL WAS WITH RADIO NEWSMAN GARY EDWARDS IN NASHVILLE WHEN SHOTS WERE FIRED AT THEM AS THEY SAT IN A RADIO STATION TRUCK IN FRONT OF EDWARDS APARTMENT.

THE ARTICLE REPORTED THAT NOVEL AND EDWARDS LEFT NASHVILLE IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE SHOOTING AND CALLED RADIO STATION OFFICIALS FROM BOWLING GREEN, KY., SEVERAL HOURS LATER TO REPORT WHAT HAD HAPPENED.

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THE ARTICLE SAID CHARLES F. WALKER, PRESIDENT OF THE RADIO STATION, TOLD POLICE NOVEL WAS IN NASHVILLE AT REQUEST OF RADIO STATION AND ACCORDING TO WALKER HAD AGREED TO DISCLOSE INFORMATION THAT " WOULD BLOW THE NEW ORLEANS INVESTIGATION WIDE OPEN".

THIS SAME ARTICLE REPORTED THAT ~~DEAN ANDREWS, JR.~~ AND HIS ATTORNEY, SAM MONK ZELDEN, DURING A HEARING ON A MOTION TO QUASH A PERJURY INDICTMENT AGAINST ANDREWS, ASKED CRIMINAL DISTRICT JUDGE FRANK SHEA TO ORDER THE ORLEANS PARISH GRAND JURY TO TURN OVER TO ANDREWS THE ENTIRE TRANSCRIPT OF HIS TESTIMONY BEFORE THE JURY. ZELDEN REPORTEDLY SAID THAT NO WHERE HAD THE DISTRICT ATTORNEYS OFFICE SPECIFICALLY SPELLED OUT WHERE IN ANDREWS'S TESTIMONY HE IS SUPPOSED TO HAVE PERJURED HIMSELF. ZELDEN SAID THAT ALTHOUGH THE JURY HAD RELEASED ABOUT TEN PAGES OF TESTIMONY THE SPECIFIC PART OF THE TESTIMONY WHICH ALLEGEDLY WAS FALSE IS NOT SPELLED OUT.

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ANDREWS AND ZELDEN SAID IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO
PREPARE ANY KIND OF DEFENSE WITHOUT A COPY OF THE ENTIRE
TESTIMONY OF ANDREWS.

THIS SAME ARTICLE REPORTED THAT ON FRIDAY, FIVE FIGURES
IN GARRISON'S INVESTIGATION WERE SUBPOENAED BY FEDERAL
DISTRICT COURT IN CONNECTION WITH A ONE THOUSAND DOLLAR
SUIT FILED BY ANDREWS AND IDENTIFIED THOSE SUBPOENAED AS
DR. NICHOLAS ~~CHETTA~~, ORLEANS PARISH CORONER, DR. ESMOND F.
~~FATTER~~, WHO TESTIFIED HE PLACED PERRY RUSSO UNDER HYPNOSIS,
ALBERT V. ~~LABICHE~~, GRAND JURY FOREMAN, WILLIAM ~~GURVICH~~
AND LYNN ~~LOISELL~~, INVESTIGATORS FOR THE DA. *district Attorney*

THE ARTICLE REPORTED THAT ALAN ADELSON, ATTORNEY FOR
EARL RUBY, BROTHER OF THE LATE JACK RUBY, BRANDED AS
"COMPLETELY INCORRECT" GARRISON'S CHARGES THAT RUBY WAS
CONNECTED WITH LEE HARVEY OSWALD AND CLAY L. SHAW. THE
ARTICLE SAID THAT ADELSON HAD STATED THAT GARRISON TOLD HIM
LAST WEEK THAT HE HAD DISCOVERED A CODE TELEPHONE NUMBER
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KNOWN TO OSWALD AND SHAW THAT TURNED OUT TO BE JACK RUBY'S
UNLISTED PHONE NUMBER IN DALLAS. ANDREWS ALSO SAID GARRISON
HAD TOLD HIM HIS THEORY OF THE CASE AGAINST SHAW WHICH HE
COULD NOT REPEAT BECAUSE HE HAD BEEN ASKED NOT TO AND THAT
THE ONLY PART HE WAS CONCERNED WITH WAS GARRISON'S STATEMENT
THAT RUBY, OSWALD AND SHAW WERE ALL WORKING FOR THE GIA. *(Central Intelligence Agency)*
ANDREWS SAID HE WENT TO DALLAS AND CHECKED OUT THE INFORMATION
WITH PEOPLE WHO KNEW RUBY AND HE SAID "IT IS COMPLETELY
INCORRECT."

NEW ORLEANS STATES ITEM, MAY TWENTYTWO INSTANT,
REPORTED THAT REPRESENTATIVE RISLEY ~~TRICHE~~ OF ASSUMPTION
PARISH, ATTEMPTED DURING DEBATE ON GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS, IN
THE LOUISIANA HOUSE, TODAY TO GET THE LA. LEGISLATURE TO APPROPRIATE
FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS TO ~~DR~~ JIM GARRISON TO HELP DEFRAY THE
COST OF HIS INVESTIGATION INTO THE ASSASSINATION OF
PRESIDENT KENNEDY, BUT THE LA. HOUSE REJECTED THIS EFFORT.
NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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