

Memorandum

TO : SAC, DALLAS (100-10461)

FROM : SA ROBERT P. EMBERLING

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka
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DATE: 1-9-64

Re: WILLIAM McEWAN DUFF, aka William McEwan McDuff,
Bill Duff, "Scottie", "Scotty"

Re Dallas airtel to Bureau 1-9-64.

For assistance in conducting extensive investigation at Dallas, a complete review of all references on DUFF has been made. The following individuals have been interviewed on the dates indicated in an effort to locate DUFF who allegedly was seen with OSWALD 7 or 8 months ago on one occasion.

On 12-10-63, JOE LORIA, 4230 Oak Lane, furnished original allegation that he saw DUFF, who he knew as "SCOTTY", with OSWALD. (page 299, Dallas report 12-23-63)

On 12-10-63, Mrs. LEE WHITLEY, 1346 Classen Drive, telephone FL. 2-4735, was interviewed re her daughter having been engaged to DUFF. (page 300, Dallas report 12-23-63)

Done 1/10/64 Dallas files reflect that in January, 1963, information was received that DUFF had met and married FRANCES BERNARD, 5201 Willis, Dallas; they married three weeks after having met on a bus in Los Angeles. The marriage was annulled after she allegedly called DUFF's brother at 7614 East Glendon Way, Alhambra, California. (page 308, Dallas report 12-23-63)

Done 1/10/64 On 12-11-63, Lt. ELMO CUNNINGHAM, Dallas PD, advised his file on DUFF reflected DUFF had been given polygraph examination in connection with assault on General WALKER, and had been absolved. Lt. CUNNINGHAM stated he had contacted FRANCES BERNARD who he had previously interviewed and she had no information re DUFF. (page 308, Dallas report 12-23-63)

Done 1/13/64 On 12-12-63, JEFF WOOSLEY, I.N.S., 1402 Rio Grande Building, made available Alien Registration File No. A1133075

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an DUFF and stop was placed with I.N.S., Dallas, to be notified in the event they received current address for DUFF. (page 307, Dallas report 12-23-63)

On 12-12-63, HERMAN GERRARD, -6214 La Vista, stated he had known DUFF but could furnish no information as to his whereabouts (page 305, Dallas report 12-23-63)

On 12-13-63, Mrs. FRANK MEIR, manager of apartment building, 5420 Lewis St., advised DUFF formerly resided that address. (page 302, Dallas report 12-23-63)

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On 12-16-63, CHARLES HOLLOWAY, Apt. 123, 5420 Lewis St., Assistant Manager, Skillex Drug Store, 5400 East Grand Avenue, Dallas, stated he was formerly roommate of DUFF at that address and that DUFF left Dallas 7 or 8 weeks previous for Oklahoma City. (page 303, Dallas report 12-23-63)

On 12-17-63, Sergeant BRADY KELSEY, U. S. Army Recruiting Station, advised DUFF tried to enlist in Army 7-30-63 but was rejected for moral reasons on 8-16-63. (page 306, Dallas report 12-23-63).

1001 On 12-16 and 17-63, JUANITA BUCHANON, owner, El Dorado Lounge, 3010 North Haskell, advised she met DUFF while he was hanging around that bar 7 or 8 months ago. She identified ANDRE ANGELES (PH) and REID TIPPINS (PH) as individuals acquainted with DUFF, and stated ANGELES, who is using the alias DON MOON, was acquainted also with JACK RUBY. Mrs. BUCHANON furnished information indicating that ANGELES could be located at a telephone number in Washington, D. C. (page 304, Dallas report 12-23-63)

In Richmond report of SA ROLAND M. COCKRAN dated 12-20-63 (serial 2017), interview is reflected with DON BLAKE MOON, 426 Belleview Drive, Apt. 102, Falls Church, Virginia, who stated on 12-1-63 he had never heard of ANDRE ANGELES nor had he ever used such alias. He stated he had been attempting telephonically to contact REID RIPIN, not TIPPINS, a Dallas artist, through Mr. and Mrs. BUCHANON who operated the El Dorado Bar in Dallas, for the purpose of obtaining a commercial artist job in the Washington, D. C. area. MOON stated he was not

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acquainted with OSWALD, RUBY or DUFF. He stated he had been in the Carousel Bar in Dallas and recalls seeing man identified to him as JACK RUEY, owner of the bar, in 1954, but has not seen since. (It should be noted that the Carousel Club was not in existence in 1954).

Page 442 of Dallas report of 12-10-63 reflects a review of the Dallas PD file on the shooting of WALKER. Captain O. A. JONES of the Dallas PD described DUFF as a pathological liar, and lazy. He stated DUFF was asked to leave the WALKER residence.

Page 99 of Dallas report 1-7-64 reflects investigation by Oklahoma City with negative results in effort to locate DUFF.

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1. Will contact Dallas PD for all information that would assist in locating DUFF including obtaining photograph.
2. Will contact Dallas County SO for all information that would assist in locating DUFF including obtaining photograph.
3. Locate and interview FRANCES BERNARD, 5201 Willis, re her knowledge of DUFF. It should be noted that Lieutenant CUNNINGHAM at the Dallas PD apparently knows where she can be located if not at the Willis address.
4. Will consider reinterviewing following individuals mentioned above in effort to locate DUFF:

JUANITA BUCHANON, El Dorado Lounge, 1010 North Haskell - She should be questioned closely as to the discrepancy in the information she furnished and that obtained from DON BLAKE MOON mentioned above. Efforts should be made to obtain from her the present location of a Dallas artist, REID PIPIN, in order that he may be interviewed concerning DUFF.

CHARLES HOLLOWAY, Apartment 123, 5420 Lewis Street

JEFF WOOSLEY, I.N.S. - Close liaison should be maintained with him inasmuch as all alicis are required to

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report their current residence address during the month of January each year. Inquiries at 5420 Lewis St. and 5201 Willis St. should be considered in view of DUFF's former residence at those locations.

In the event DUFF is located, it should be borne in mind that Butte, Los Angeles and Oklahoma City are conducting investigation to locate him.