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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY  
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On November 26, 1963, E. J. McDaniel, Director, Veterans Administration Domiciliary, Thomasville, Georgia, telephonically advised that [Raleigh Odell McEwen], member of the domiciliary, had made some strong remarks about the Attorney General after the news of the death of the President November 22, 1963.

E. J. McDaniel, when interviewed at the Veterans Administration Domiciliary, advised Glen Alred, Jr., the Assistant Domiciliary Officer, would furnish the facts of the

Glen Alred, Jr., Assistant Domiciliary Officer, advised he talked to [Raleigh McEwen] concerning his making statements about the Attorney General. Alred stated [McEwen] told him he would discuss this matter with him on Monday, November 25, 1963.

Alred stated Martin Cozewith, a Section Leader, on November 23, 1963, furnished him with three statements. The first statement reflected [McEwen] stated on Friday after the President's death, that it was a shame the President's brother was not in Dallas at that time so that he may have gotten it too. This statement was signed by Cozewith.

The second statement, signed by Vernon R. Anglin, reflected he overheard [McEwen] make derogatory remarks concerning the death of President Kennedy. Anglin went on to say [McEwen's] remarks were of a highly hatred and gratifying nature and

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his concern of getting the President's brother was his main concern. He stated [McEwen] made further derogatory remarks relative to the Catholic Church and its policies. The third statement, signed by J. P. Sutton, reflected Sutton had remarked in a conversational way to [McEwen] that it was a terrible thing that occurred that afternoon. (McEwen's) reply "I don't know about that, Sutton. It all depends on how you look at it. Look at all the men he has killed," or words to that effect. Sutton then said to [McEwen] that he did not kill them and [McEwen] replied, "No, but his orders did." Sutton stated he then left the office to avoid any further discussion with [McEwen.]

Cozewith and Anglin were interviewed and stated the statements they made were correct but could add no additional information.



The following is descriptive information of McEwen:

Address	Post Office Box 402 Macalenny, Florida
Face	White
Sex	Male
Height	5' 11 1/2"
Weight	133 pounds
Born	February 3, 1919, Inverness, Florida

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