

5-21-64

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To: SAC, Los Angeles (89-75)

From: Director, FBI (62-109060) — 3108

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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
11-22-63, DALLAS, TEXAS
MISC. - INFO CONCERNING

ReBuairtel 5-14-64, and LAairtel 5-18-64.

In connection with the interviews of Mrs. E. W. Giaver and Mrs. Nell D. Crane, who observed the film furnished by New York, although these women did not identify this film as the one they observed the day following the assassination, Los Angeles is instructed to submit letterhead memoranda to the Bureau and inserts to Dallas regarding the negative review of this film. Los Angeles also should include results of your investigation to identify the film revealing contacts with KNBH and KNXT as to where this film originated and where it would be located. This will maintain chronological investigative steps involved.

New York has been instructed in referenced airtel of 5-14-64, to submit letterhead memoranda and inserts. New York should also include in the letterhead memoranda and inserts that officials of CBS and NBC, New York, could not locate any additional film, if this is the case, as the film furnished was the only one located similar to the description furnished by Mrs. Crane and Mrs. Giaver. If you have already prepared appropriate letterhead memoranda and inserts and this information is not included, submit supplemental letterhead memoranda and inserts to include this information which will logically conclude this matter.

1 - Dallas (89-43)
1 - New York (89-75)

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- Trotter _____
- Tele. Room _____
- Holmes _____
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Airtel to SAC, Los Angeles
RE: ASSASSINATION OF PRES. KENNEDY

Dallas is instructed it will not be necessary to conduct additional investigation at TV station KLRD in Dallas, in view of the fact Los Angeles has advised the film was not identified. However, Dallas will include the results of inquiries conducted by Los Angeles and New York in a supplemental report under the assassination caption.

In view of the tremendous amount of footage that was filmed in connection with the assassination by numerous TV and news media personnel following the assassination, it does not appear that further inquiry into this matter would serve any beneficial purpose.

NOTE:

This matter pertains to information furnished by Mrs. E. W. Giaver and Mrs. N. D. Crane of Los Angeles, who observed on television the day following the assassination a film revealing two men running next to and possibly away from the Texas School Book Depository Building. In an endeavor to locate this film it was established the film originated from a national hookup in New York City. One film was located by the New York Office depicting two men running in the vicinity of the Texas School Book Depository Building; however, when this particular film was observed by Mrs. Giaver and Mrs. Crane, they stated it was not the film observed. In view of the voluminous films taken during and subsequent to the assassination by various news and TV media, it is felt that this particular matter has been logically pursued and no useful benefit could be derived from further investigation in view of the Commissions anticipated early wind up.