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729PM URGENT 5-29-67

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

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,
 DALLAS, TEXAS, NOV. TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE, MISCELLANVOUS -
 INFO CONCERNING, OO: DALLAS.
 RE NEW ORLEANS TEL MAY TWENTYEIGHT LAST.

THE NEW ORLEANS STATES - ITEM, RED FLASH EDITION, MAY TWENTYNINE INSTANT, REPORTED THAT DISTRICT ATTORNEY JIM GARRISON DURING AN APPEARANCE ON THE ABC RADIO - TELEVISION STATION "ISSUES AND ANSWERS" ANNOUNCED HE WILL MAKE FURTHER ARRESTS LATER IN HIS KENNEDY ASSASSINATION PROBE AND REITERATED HIS CALL FOR A CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY. THE ARTICLE QUOTED GARRISON AS SAYING, "WE ARE GOING TO HAVE TO DEFER ANY OTHER ARRESTS UNTIL LATER BUT THERE WILL BE OTHER ARRESTS AND THEY WILL PROBABLY BE BEFORE THE TRIAL OF RETIRED BUSINESSMAN CLAY L. SHAW.

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THE ARTICLE STATED THAT GARRISON, REPEATING MUCH OF WHAT HE HAS ALREADY MADE PUBLIC ABOUT HIS PROBE, SAID KENNEDY WAS NOT KILLED BY LEE HAVEY OSWALD. THE PRESIDENT WAS KILLED BY A GROUP OF CONSPIRATORS MADE UP OF LATIN AMERICANS OPPOSED TO FIDEL CASTRO AND OF FORMER CIA EMPLOYEES. GARRISON ALSO SAID THAT OSWALD WAS NOT A CIA AGENT BUT HAD "OBVIOUSLY" BEEN AN INTELLIGENCE EMPLOYEE OF THE GOVERNMENT.

THE ARTICLE REPORTED THAT GARRISON ALSO SAID THE CIA, ALTHOUGH NOT INVOLVED IN THE PLOT, "CONCEALED FROM THE WARREN COMMISSION, FROM THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, FROM THE PRESIDENT AND FROM THE WORLD, THE FACT THAT ITS EMPLOYEES, ITS FORMER EMPLOYEES, WERE INVOLVED IN THE ASSASSINATION OF THE PRESIDENT." GARRISON ALSO SAID HE COULD LINK JACK RUBY, THE MAN WHO SHOT OSWALD TO DEATH, TO THE CONSPIRACY.

GARRISON ALSO REPORTEDLY SAID HIS OFFICE HAS ALMOST BEEN PUT OUT OF COMMISSION BY THE LARGE NUMBER OF PRESS INQUIRIES SINCE HIS PROBE WAS REVEALED.

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WHEN ASKED HOW HE WOULD JUDGE HIMSELF IF HE FAILS TO PROVE HIS ALLEGATIONS, GARRISON SAID, "THE QUESTION WILL NOT ARISE, BECAUSE WE HAVE ALREADY PROVED IT AND WE HAVE THE EVIDENCE". HE SAID THOUGH, THAT EVEN IF HYPOTHETICALLY HE WERE TO FAIL "MY EVALUATION WOULD BE" AT LEAST I HAVE MADE AN ATTEMPT TO FIND OUT THE TRUTH AND SO FAR AS I KNOW THIS IS THE FIRST OBJECTIVE INVESTIGATION BY ANY OFFICIAL AGENCY IN THE ASSASSINATION".

NEW ORLEANS STATES- ITEM FINAL EDITION, MAY TWENTYNINE INSTANT, REPORTED THAT CRIMINAL DISTRICT JUDGE EDWARD A. Haggarty, JR. TODAY STIFFENED HIS GUIDELINES FOR ACTIONS BY PERSONS INVOLVED IN THE TRIAL OF CLAY L. SHAW AND HINTED THAT SOME PERSONS MAY BE CITED FOR CONTEMPT. ABOVE ORDER REFERRED TO IN REFERENCED NEW ORLEANS TELETYPE
LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM
NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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