

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (89-75) (RUC)

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,  
DALLAS, TEXAS, 11/22/63  
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING

DATE: 10/13/69

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The below is being provided for the information of the Bureau:

On 10/9/69, EDGAR EUGENE BRADLEY, 12208 Emelita Street, North Hollywood, California, telephone number 761-8709, telephonically contacted SA PAUL E. QUINN at the Canoga Park Resident Agency at approximately 9:10 a.m. It is to be noted that BRADLEY has furnished information to the Los Angeles Division in the past.

BRADLEY stated that he is in the process of gathering information to solidify his pending suit against MARK LANE; TV KPIX, San Francisco, California; the Reverend WESLEY BRICE; the "Los Angeles Free Press"; and the Assassination Inquiry Committee of San Diego, as well as numerous John Does for their participation in the accusation against him of allegedly being involved with the assassination of President JOHN F. KENNEDY at Dallas, Texas, on 11/22/63.

BRADLEY said he had recently returned from the State of Texas, where he had been in contact with an individual, whom he refused to identify, who had access to the files of District Attorney GARRISON in New Orleans, Louisiana. According to BRADLEY, this individual had informed him that by letter dated 4/10/67, a THOMAS A. THORNHILL had written a letter to a MIKE KARMAZIN, not further identified, which stated as follows: "My information concerns a man named EDGAR EUGENE BRADLEY. One of my witnesses will testify to the fact that Mr. BRADLEY tried to hire him to assassinate Mr. KENNEDY during his 1961 campaign in California."

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BRADLEY related that the THOMAS A. THORNHILL who had sent the above letter had resided with a CAROL AYDELOTTE at 6543 Fulton Avenue in Van Nuys, California. He stated CAROL AYDELOTTE and several of her associates have attempted to cause him problems in the past. BRADLEY related he had also obtained the following information from his contact in Texas:

On 12/18/67, BILL TURNER, a former FBI Agent and an investigator on District Attorney GARRISON's staff, along with a BILL BOXLEY, whose true name is WILLIAM C. WOOD, also an investigator for District Attorney GARRISON, went to 6543 Fulton Avenue, Van Nuys, California, to interview THOMAS A. THORNHILL. They found Mrs. CAROL AYDELOTTE residing at this address, and she indicated she lived there with her husband and THOMAS A. THORNHILL. She informed BOXLEY and TURNER she was familiar with THORNHILL's allegations regarding BRADLEY. TURNER wrote in a memorandum addressed to District Attorney GARRISON dated 2/16/68 that AYDELOTTE's acquaintance with BRADLEY covered a span of the assassination and that BRADLEY was constantly harping on the fact someone should kill President KENNEDY. CAROL AYDELOTTE gave TURNER and BOXLEY the names of two people who would corroborate their story against BRADLEY. They were DENNIS MOWER of Lancaster and Reverend WESLEY BRICE, Pastor of the Hollywood Bible Presbyterian Church in North Hollywood, California.

According to BRADLEY, TURNER and BOXLEY interviewed MOWER in Lancaster on 12/12/67, and in a memorandum from TURNER to GARRISON, TURNER indicated that MOWER confirmed that BRADLEY had attempted to recruit MOWER to assassinate President KENNEDY. MOWER also claimed that he had reported this incident to FBI Agents JAMES HOLBROOK and PAUL E. QUINN. BRADLEY added that BOXLEY interviewed BRICE on 12/20/67, but the results of this interview were not known to him.

It is to be noted that DENNIS MOWER has been associated with the militant Minutemen group and was interviewed on numerous occasions by SAs PAUL E. QUINN and JAMES E. HOLBROOK in an attempt to locate two Federal fugitives, JOSEPH CAREY and KEITH GILBERT, who are also members of the Minutemen. During all of these interviews with MOWER, he was completely uncooperative, and in the past has attempted

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to cause problems concerning the investigation to locate GILBERT and CAREY. GILBERT was subsequently apprehended, but CAREY is still an IO fugitive. SA QUINN advised that in all contacts with MOWER, he never mentioned any association with BRADLEY, nor provided any information relative to BRADLEY.

It is to be further noted that during the investigation to locate GILBERT, SA QUINN received an anonymous telephone call during the late hours of the evening in which the caller indicated that SA QUINN should terminate his interest in the GILBERT case or serious consequences would take place. This information was furnished to the Bureau.

BRADLEY related that if he received any additional information he felt would be of interest to the Bureau, he would contact the FBI immediately and furnish them with that information.