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> ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, NOVEMBER 22, 1963 DALLAS, TEXAS

On November 13, 1975, Intelligence Agent, Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Ft. Worth, Texas, advised the Federal Bureau of Investigation that he, Popham, had interviewed on November 10, 1975, who is an immate assigned to the Ellis Unit, Huntsville State Prison, Huntsville, Texas.

was being interviewed because of an IRS matter involving another individual.

During the course of this IRS interview,

stated he was in prison and was released
during 1960, serving time for Arson. Upon his release
from an unnamed penitentiary,
proceeded to
Irving, Texas, where he established Northside Plumbing
Company. During this employment,
associated with (First Name Unknown) Alexander, who
had some "syndicate ties".
became very
familiar with Alexander's activities and when Alexander
died during 1963,
pursued Alexander's illegal
activities, which included payoffs of various public
officials.

said he was approached by Lee
Harvey Oswald during 1963 and requested
to supply two men to assist Oswald in killing President
John Fitzgerald Kennedy. Oswald said he was in a position

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to pay \$50,000 to each of the two men who would be supplied by told Oswald he wanted no part of such activities.

was slain November 22, 1963, he, went to the Dallas Police Department and advised some unnamed officers about the above described activities. These unnamed Dallas Police Officers advised to "forget it" because such information would not add to the investigation.

IRS Agent stated that had a mental breakdown during 1967 and also has a serious speech impediment.