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Feb. 14, 1964

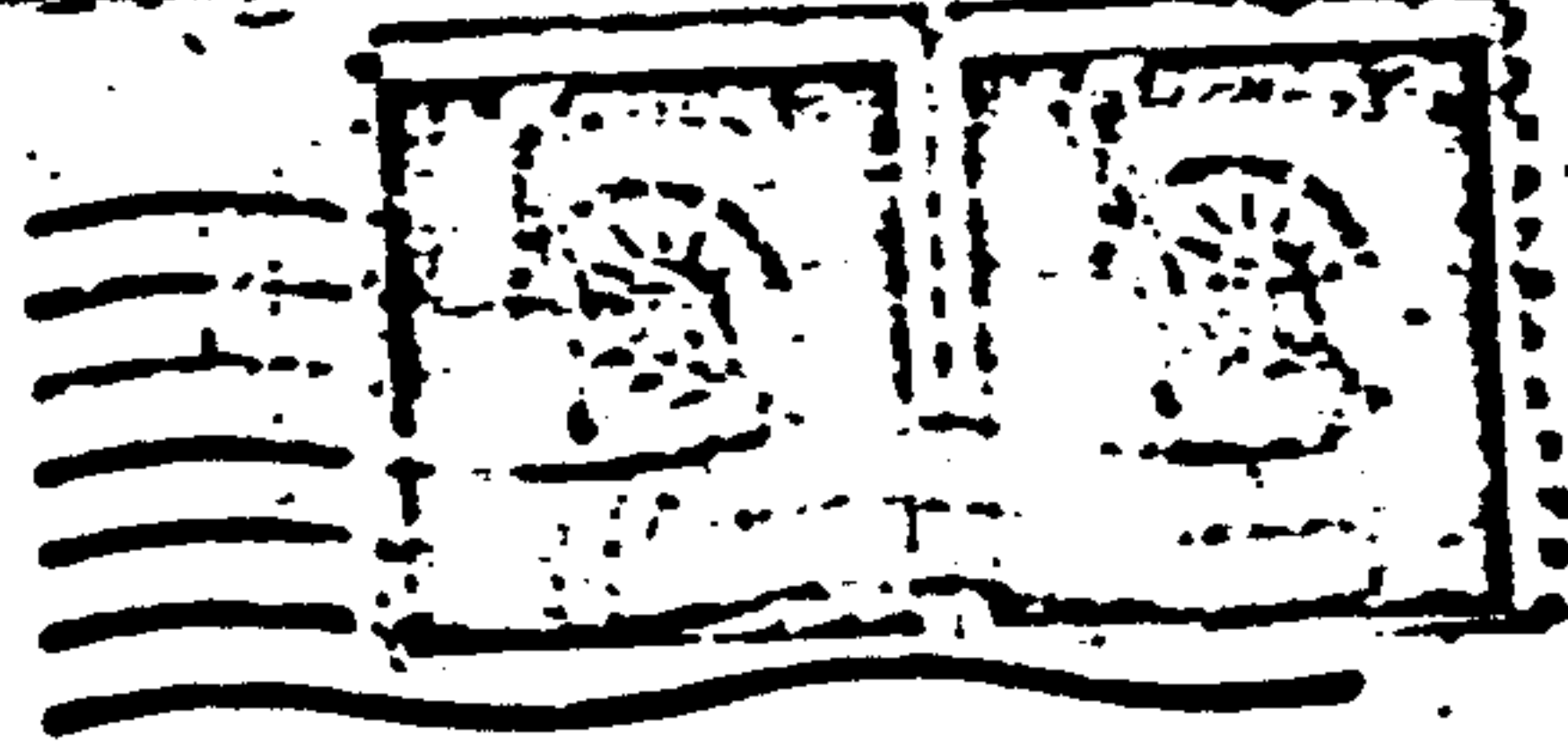
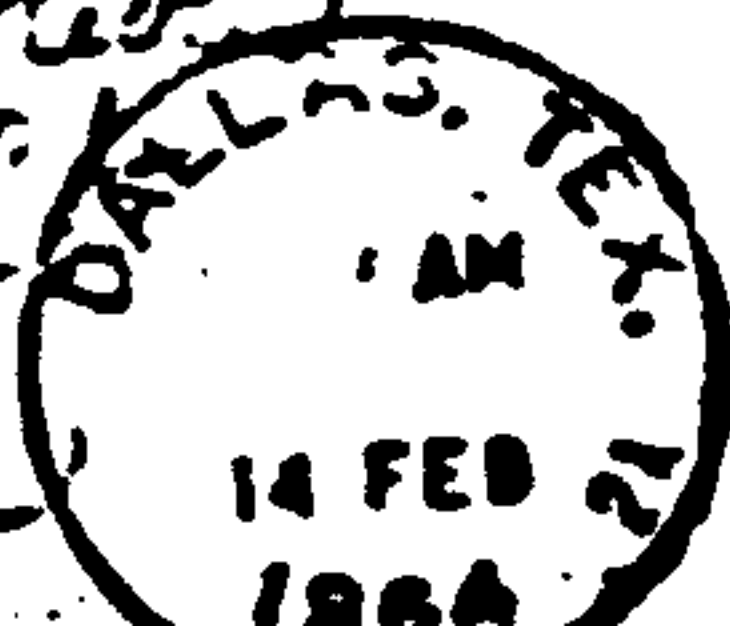
Mr. Jack Ruby

Dear Sir: I won't say this little  
missive was written during my  
idle moments, as I do as you,  
read my bible which I take time to  
do daily. Keep up the wonderful  
work.

God is our only help, don't for-  
get he said I will forgive so  
many times. Just be sincere in  
asking for forgiveness. God Bless  
those of us that are prejudiced  
against.

I am in the same category  
as you, Latin Americans or any  
other. We are Americans as  
Negroes whom were brought

Willie Frank Tolson  
6910 Webster St  
Dallas 9, Texas



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up under the barriers of inequality  
and deprived of the rights of 1st  
Class Citizenship, yet we have sac-  
rificed our lives and relatives for  
the security of America.

I know of no perfect but the  
father or his son Jesus. He asserted  
that we have to love ye one and  
another, no color was mentioned.

In the physiological studies I was  
warned never to be guided by  
emotions, but who doesn't, when  
God said there is a time for all  
things or one sin is no greater  
than the other.

Mr. A. Groves  
5222 - W. Olympic Blvd  
Los Angeles 36,  
Calif.



Mr. Jack Ruby



Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> 1964

Dear friend Jack.

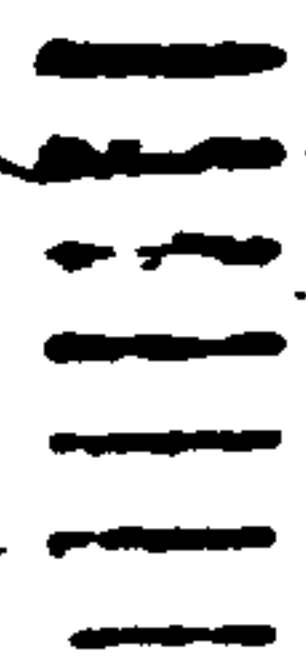
It sure was nice to hear from you. I hope this letter finds you in good health.

As you know, or didn't I tell you that I went into Sawtelle Vet Hospital for a prostate operation. Well I stood there two weeks. And I've been back twice in the last 2 weeks. But I think I've got it beat.

About the dog. He just loves to eat everything but food. The only thing he hasn't eaten is the furniture. He sure is mischievous, but I love him. I named him Shultz. And I thank you for taking the trouble to see that I get him.

I pray that everything comes out good for you. How is Eve, give her my regards. Do you still have the club or have you disposed of it. I showed your letter to some of the people that use to know you. And they told me to let you know that they wish you well. I'll drop down

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
7044 Lyndon Ave  
CHICAGO IL



AIR-MAIL

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Feb 14, 1964

Dear Jack:

Your letter was most welcome.

My good wishes and prayers  
are always with you during these  
difficult days for all of us.

Eileen and the children are okay  
now but we have all been plagued  
with colds and sore throats.

Please Jack write to me & let me  
know if there is something I can do to help.

My prayers & all my heart are  
with you - all the time.

Your favorite brother in law.

Haines

AFTER FIVE DAYS RETURN TO



of that the way ever be understood?  
I understand the president will have to  
prayer change things in  
Piedmont add that I never something  
about possibly it's hard  
and in other ways you believe



**U. S. TREASURY DEPARTMENT**

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

DISTRICT DIVISION

DALLAS 1, TEXAS

OFFICIAL BILLING

Joe S. Eby  
c/o Dallas County Jail  
Dallas, Texas

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**IMPORTANT NOTICE - READ CAREFULLY**

To remove the tax lien which is filed in your name, the attached Certificate of Release of Federal Tax Lien must be filed with the Recording Official where lien is recorded. This certificate and the release fee, if applicable, should be presented to the Recording Official

U. S. TREASURY DEPARTMENT - Internal Revenue Service

Form 648  
(REV. NOV. 1961)  
(Formerly Form 647)

U. S. TREASURY DEPARTMENT - INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE  
**CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE OF FEDERAL TAX LIEN**  
(To be used to Release Tax Liens under Section 6325(a), I.R.C. of 1954)

DISTRICT

**Dallas, Texas**

SERIAL NUMBER

**E-9762**

I hereby certify that as to the following-named taxpayer the requirements of Section 6325(a), Internal Revenue Code of 1954, have been satisfied with respect to the taxes enumerated below, together with all statutory additions provided by Section 6321; and that the lien for such taxes and statutory additions has thereby been released. The proper officer in the office where notice of internal revenue tax lien was filed on or about July 28, 1960 is hereby authorized to make notation on his books to show the release of said lien, insofar as the lien relates to the following taxes.

NAME OF TAXPAYER

**Jack Ruby**

RESIDENCE OR PLACE OF BUSINESS

**4727 EGMAR - Dallas, Texas**

TYPE OF TAX AND PERIOD (a)	ASSESSMENT DATE (b)	REFERENCE NO. (c)	AMOUNT OF ASSESSMENT (d)
<b>Income 1959</b>	<b>5-27-60</b>	<b>60 BR 300661</b>	<b>3,321.16</b>

PLACE OF FILING

**Dallas, Texas**

TOTAL

**\$ 3,321.16**

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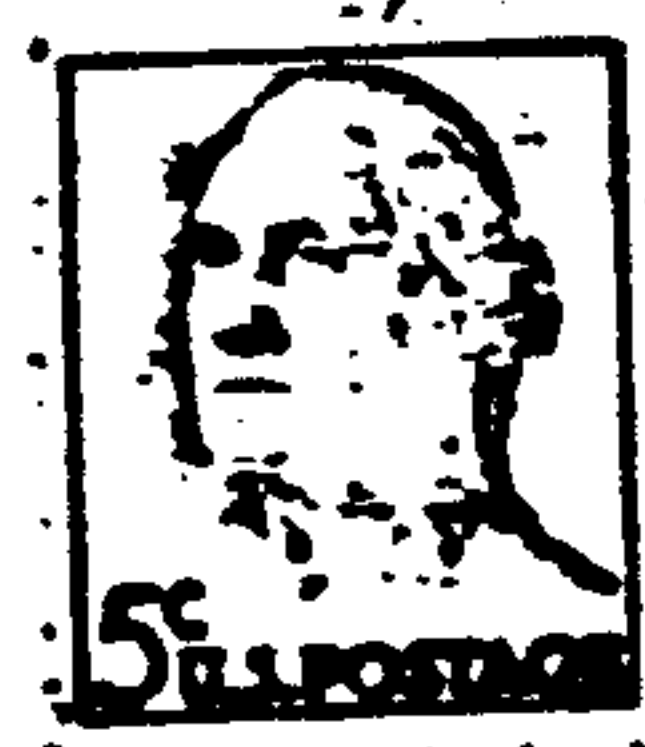
**Dallas, Texas**

on this,

The effectual prayer of a righteous man availeth James 5:16

Titus 2:13

are on a 57 acre dairy farm here. About 100 miles north of Seattle and a 10 min. drive from the Canadian border. We are called of our dear Lord to use the tythe money in this way. My children are both married and we have a hired man. We all love the Lord Jesus Christ very much because He first loved us. John 15:13 John 3:16 and gave His Life for us. He paid for our sins on that cross. Praise His Precious Name Forever!) 1<sup>st</sup> John 1:9 Matthew 4:4 and 6:6 John 6:37 Titus 1:2 also 1<sup>st</sup> Peter 5:7+8 Rev. 3:20 James 1:5+6 Heb. 11:6 May God draw you by His Spirit, James 4:7+8 John 6:44 Please let me know about the Bible. In Christ Mrs. Focht.



✓  
Mrs. George Focht  
Rt. 1 - Box 390  
Everson, Wash.

NORTH BERGEN  
1 08 17  
PM  
1964  
N. J.



*Handwritten signature or initials*

Dear Jack -

As your trial is going to start Monday, that is the start of selecting a jury, I wish to convey my prayers & good wishes that you'll come out on top. It is unthinkable that a man who avenged the cold blooded slaying of a man like John F. Kennedy could be dealt any punishment. Every one I ever mentioned you to has expressed the same sentiment. Most said "He did a good job." Do not forget Jack that thousands & thousands of us through out the 50 states are rooting for you. We want to see the Mc Maghtera rule be the deciding factor and set you free to again walk the streets as the old Jack Ruby a tough gee but a kind hearted guy under a rough exterior. Wishing you the best. Keep your spirits up and take care of you health.

Your friend  
John W. Ruby  
9108 South Ave  
First Bergen

And don't forget Jack in Melvin Bell's you  
have without a doubt the greatest lawyer  
in the country. In my almost 30 years & Ten  
I have watched and read of the greatest  
and this man you have is without a doubt  
the top. In his hands you are safe.

DUPLICATE  
BILL DECKER, Sheriff  
DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

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PRISONER'S CASH FUND RECEIPT

DATE 2-22/68 AMOUNT \$ 100

RECEIVED Chio 500 DOLLARS  
100

FROM Mail

CREDIT TO CASH FUND  
NAME Chio 500

CASH  MONEY ORDER  CHECK

Amount as shown Received in I D

BY \_\_\_\_\_ DEPUTY  
POSTED AND DEPOSITED

Mr. Thomas L. Perry  
P.O. Box 520  
Silbury, Ontario  
Canada

Personal

DUPLICATE  
BILL DECKER, Sheriff  
DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

246542

PRISONER'S CASH FUND RECEIPT

DATE 2/27/64 AMOUNT \$ .05

RECEIVED Five Cents ~~COIN~~

FROM Mail

CREDIT TO CASH FUND  
NAME Jack Ruby

CASH MONEY ORDER CHECK

Amount as shown Received in I D

BY \_\_\_\_\_ DEPUTY

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BY \_\_\_\_\_ DEPUTY

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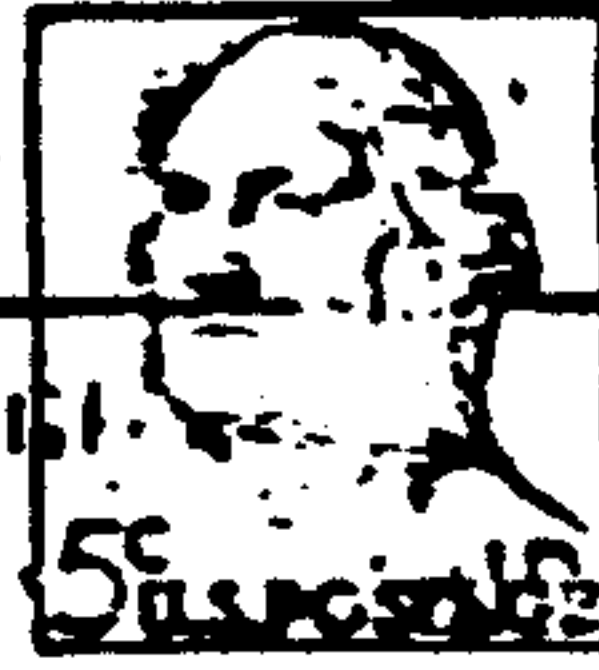
Feb. 17, 1964  
1581 Seymour Ave.,  
Utica, N.Y.

Dear Friend,

I received your thank  
you note. It made me feel  
very proud, as you signed  
it from your friend Jack Ruby.  
I am enclosing five dollars,  
(5.00) for your defense fund.  
Keep your chin up. This too will  
pass, and you will be happy  
again. Our law calls it a  
dirty word, but it was  
retaliation. President Kennedy  
said, "Any sneak attack would be  
met with massive retaliation."  
A sneak attack ended our  
President's life, and we retal-  
iated. I want to write things  
to cheer you, but when I think  
of the torture you are going  
thru, it burns me up. You  
are a brave man. Do not

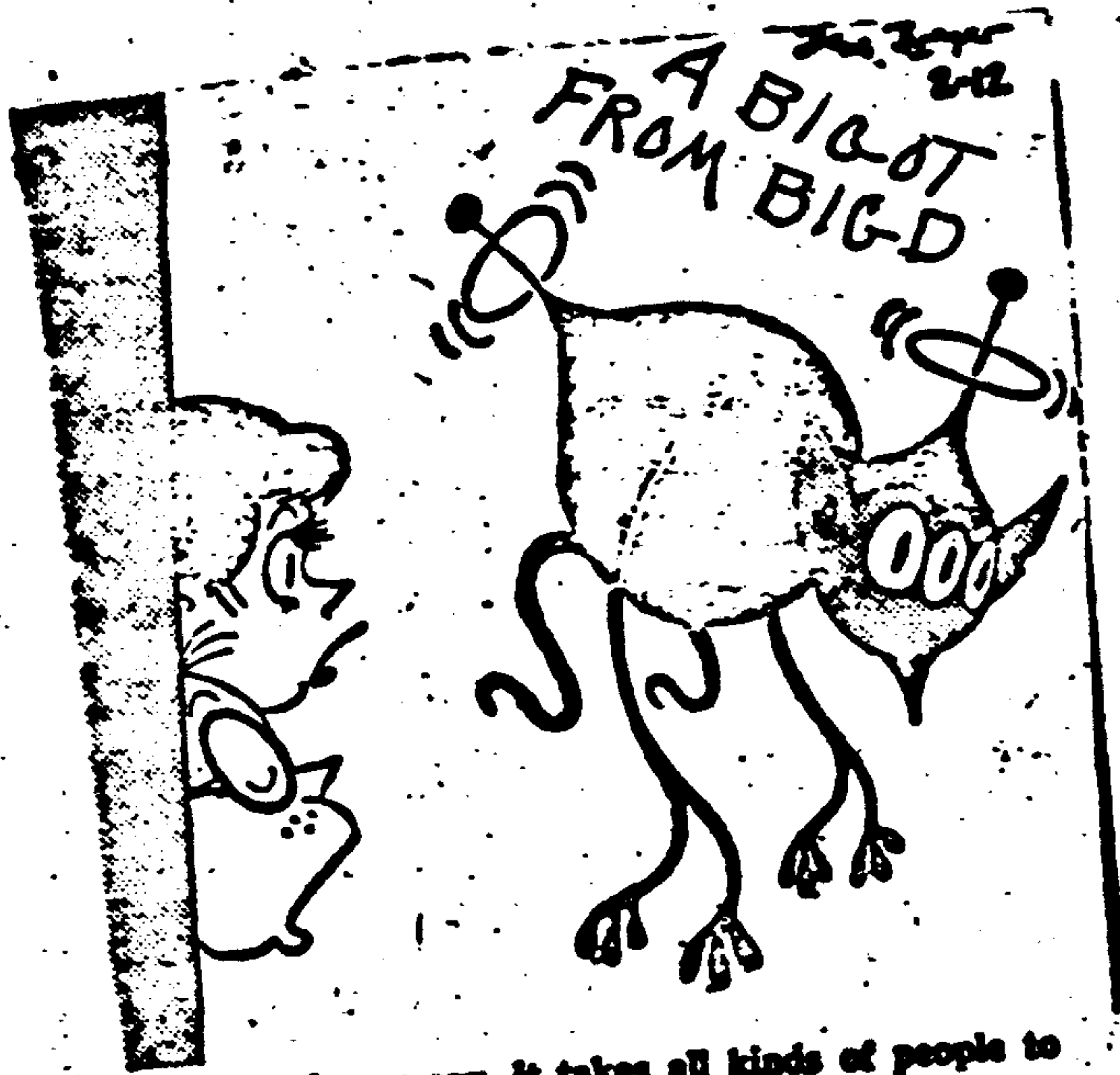
~~RETURN TO~~

Catherine Hart  
1581 Seymour Ave., Utica



U T I C A N Y  
5 C E N T S





"Like I always say, it takes all kinds of people to make a universe . . ."

forget. They can't take that away from you. I wish I had the power to take your place at that trial. I know you will have a happy ending. When your troubles are over, I am going to ask you to send me an autographed picture. It would have a place of honor in my home. Your sister's picture was in our newspaper tonight. The New York Sunday News had a two page spread about your lawyer, Mr. Belli. The heading, in inch high type is "The Man Who Hopes to Free Jack Ruby." I suppose you get the news in Dallas. Before I close, I want you to know I am praying for you. Always, remember you are a man that can take it,

Like I always say, it takes all kinds of people  
to make a universe...

DUPLICATE  
BILL DECKER, Sheriff  
DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

246544

PRISONER'S CASH FUND RECEIPT

DATE 2-22-64 AMOUNT \$ 5.00

RECEIVED Five 00/100 DOLLARS

FROM mail

CREDIT TO CASH FUND  
NAME Arb Ruby

✓ CASH MONEY ORDER CHECK

Amount as shown Received in I D

BY \_\_\_\_\_ DEPUTY

POSTED AND DEPOSITED

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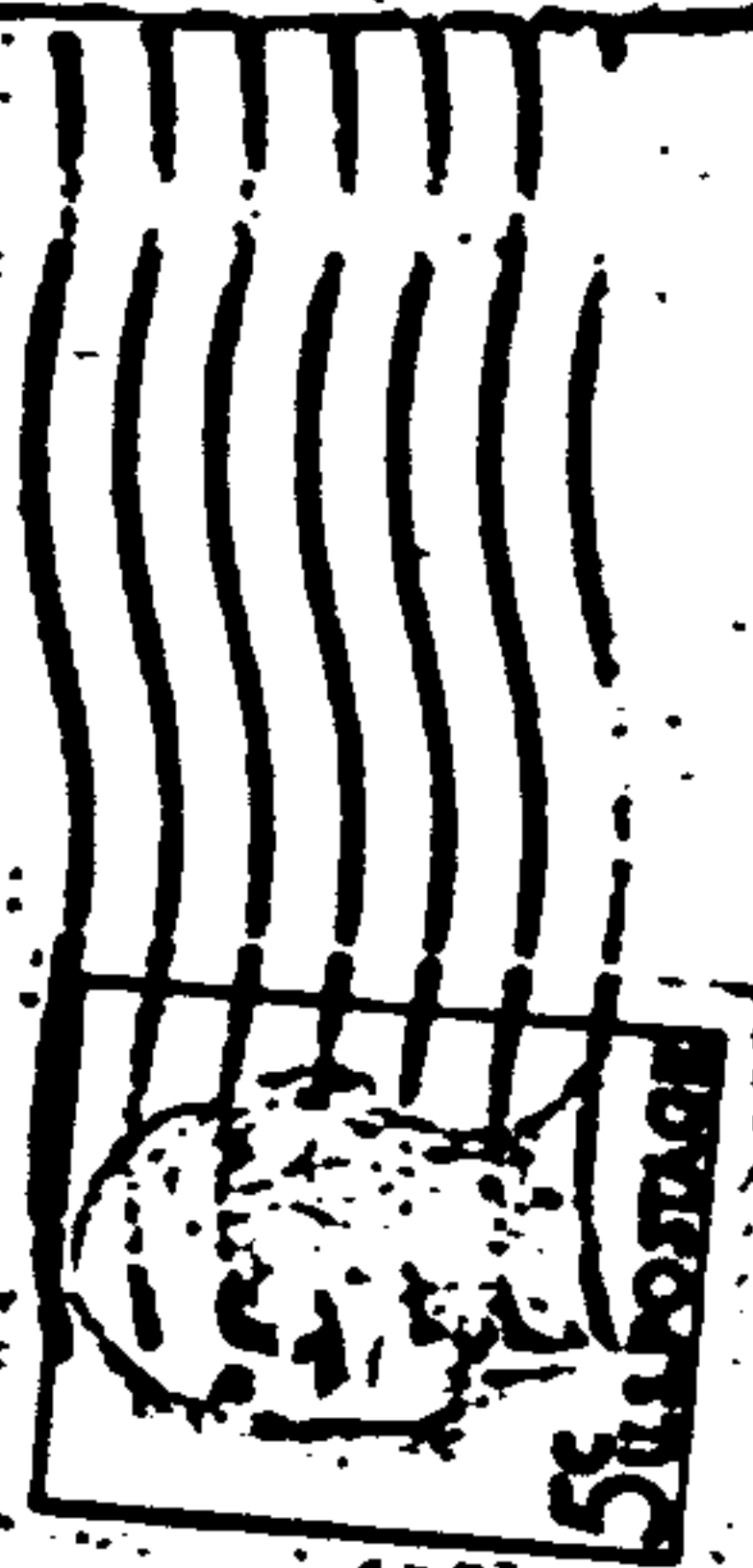
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We learned with devastating certainty on Friday, November 22, 1963, at 1:30 p.m. that the destiny of this nation is directly in the hand of God. Each one of us, then, by his own ethical conduct, will help to protect the lives of our Presidents. Our Government, nevertheless, has its duty. It should act promptly, prudently, to strengthen the Secret Service and its code of Presidential protection, to pass laws controlling firearms and move vigorously in improving law enforcement at every level. If we do not act, there will be, inevitably, another Black Friday—an afternoon when each one of us dies a little as the life of a President slips away through a mortal wound inflicted by an assassin.

*My ethics say we acted  
one new law. That is, an  
to all protection from over.  
e President is wounded*

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JACK RUBY AND DEFENDER  
TE OF TEX. DALLAS CITY

Mr Dominick Zito  
422 N 66 St Philadelphia Penn  
Dear Sir Jack Ruby E.M. (5)  
Very sorry about case you  
have been handling as usual.  
I hope you come out free-  
men because you love unan-  
dled wires because the constitution  
of United States did not stop  
to be killed. 4 president of  
United States was Mr Lincoln  
April 14. 1865 and Mr James Garfield  
July 2. 1881 and Mr William  
McKinley Sept 6. 1901 and  
F. J. Kennedy November 22-  
1963. It is about time  
that some change in America

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should be take at same  
Time because is prove last 100<sup>00</sup>  
years they shot 4 president  
and they not stop by  
kill 4 our president is  
very shame so I ask to  
ask your Defender and law  
of land and people of this  
Country and in name  
almighty God to put you  
to prison.

Sign. *Domest. J. J. J.*

Mr. Jack Ruby

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fingers are crossed tightly for you. It is wonderful that you have such splendid attorneys.

Wishing you the very best possible in your effort to regain your freedom when your case comes before the jury for determination.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Lucy V. Staples  
1235 Coombs Creek Drive  
Dallas, Texas, 75211

No. 2

January 29, 1964

Mr. Jack Ruby  
c/o Hon. Tom Howard  
Attorney-at-Law  
1934 Main St.  
Dallas, Texas

Dear Mr. Ruby:

Since writing, and before mailing my letter marked No. 1 (so marked that you may easily distinguish it for first reading from this second one, marked No. 2), on second thought I remember hearing you, on television, wonder "why such a man as President Kennedy should be lost to us." Who can say exactly! Perhaps his soul shines over the world today, and is, by being out of the physical body, more potent to eventually carry to a successful conclusion the mission upon which he so boldly embarked while on earth, in which case he, in a very real sense, is not lost to us. In fact, is it not possible (and who can deny it with certitude) that all creative spirits of the good and pure who have left this earth, play some role as co-creators with God in bringing about favorable conditions on earth, even to the gentle unfolding of a flower and bringing it to a higher beauty? And perhaps this very fact stands as a factor in the acceleration of evolution which now appears to be taking place throughout most of the world.

In speaking of the possibilities of continuing an unfinished mission after departure from this world, it is well to remember those majestic words of the great Victor Hugo who says:

"For half a century I have been writing my thoughts in prose, verse, history, philosophy, drama, romance, satire, ode, song. I have tried all; but I feel I have not said the thousandth part of what is in me. When I go down to the grave, I can say, like so many others, 'I have finished my day's work'; but I cannot say 'I have finished my life.' My day's work will begin again next morning. The tomb is not a blind alley; it is a thoroughfare; it closes in the twilight to open with the dawn."

These words bear out Herbert Spencer's prediction that thought can never monopolize Consciousness. Consciousness as an Infinite Spiritual substance looks down on Mind and Thought and Body as Matter and declares: "I possess you both, Mind and Body. You are my instruments through which I express my Will." It is that which affirms: "I think, therefore I am." Consciousness is eternal and Infinite, and, therefore, is warranted in this bold manner to its finite instruments, Mind and Matter, both of the latter being material in the sense that neither is, as it were, Pure Consciousness - Pure Spirit; hence you can readily see the wisdom of Spencer's prediction, and can also understand that



And now returning to a subject of a different tone, another thought occurred to me after writing my first letter, and this is about the ability of the Science of Psychiatry or Psychology or Neurology (all of which are comparatively new sciences) to determine the cause of an emotional "blackout" in any case other than those relating to physical brain damage (and perhaps this is, in itself, far from being a perfect science/considering all its ramifications), as being beyond present human limitations. As a single instance of mental "blackout" not due to brain damage, the phenomenon of somnambulism (sleep walking) might be cited. This sort of blackout, commonly referred to as "sleep" is certainly due strictly to an emotional state in which the mind is totally unaware of any sort of movement or action taken while in a state of somnambulism. It has been said by some of the world's greatest thinkers and students that emotions, as potent thoughts, are continually at work in the subconscious mind; so it would seem from the above (and other instances that could be given) that emotions in complex limited man do actually exist in a way ~~is~~ independently of thought, or we might say, precede thought as its potentiality, the time interval between the two being in the ordinary case during waking hours ~~is~~ almost instantaneous. These buried emotions - buried in the subconscious, are capable, under great emotional stress, of asserting themselves in some sort of unconscious action. This fact would tend to bear out the contention of yourself and that of your attorneys, that the action for which you stand charged was committed under great emotional stress, thus resulting in mental blackout.

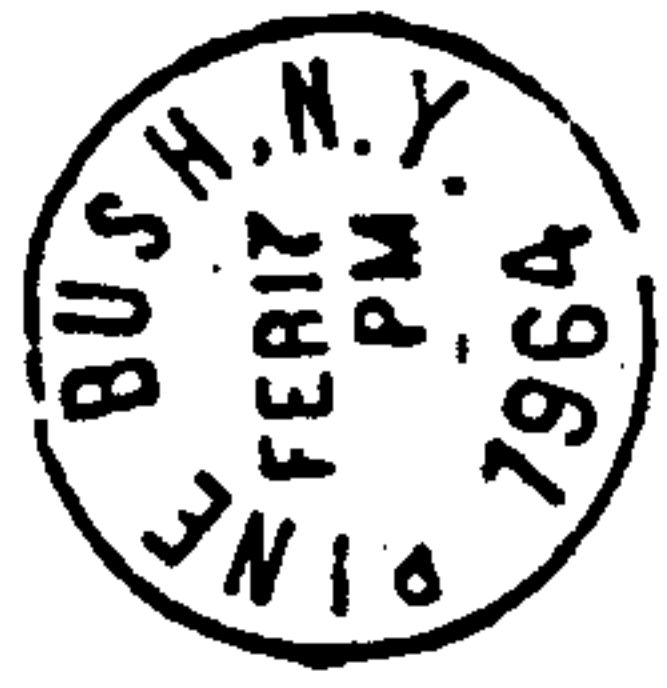
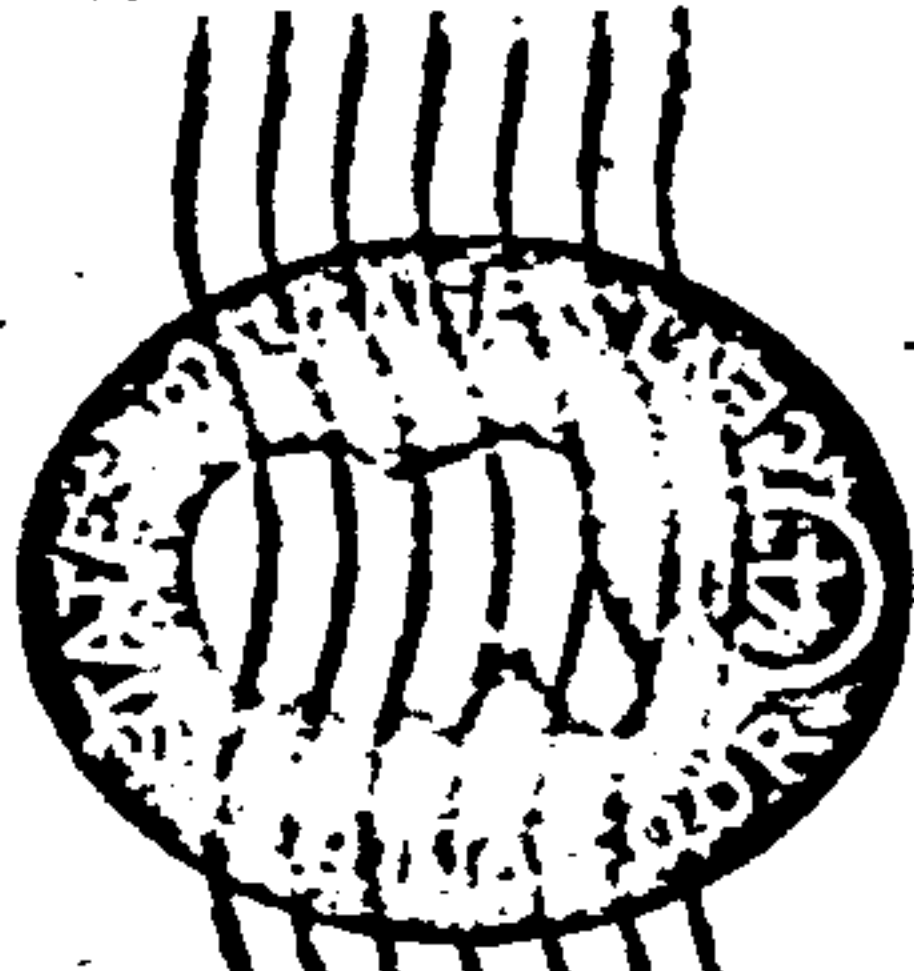
Considering you are capable of extreme emotional states, it is easy to see how this happened when we take into consideration the emotional weight under which you were laboring as a result of that dreadful tragedy in Dallas. It is said by some great thinkers and students that the human body is composed of close to 6,000 known subtle wave movements (not to mention unknown ones), and that these waves have a direct bearing on the mind. Man is indeed wonderfully made - "made" as Shakespeare in his great wisdom says, "of such stuff as dreams are made of."

What I have written in these two letters will give you something to think about while you are physically inactive. You perhaps already have a pretty good idea of all these matters, but you may find herein a new light reflected on them from a different angle. And I find it is always well to endeavor to see things from all possible angles.

Again closing with the wishes already expressed, I am

Sincerely,

Mrs. Lucy V. Staples



Mr. Jack Rudy  
Dallas, Texas  
Dallas, Texas

TOWN OF SHAWANGUNK

ARTHUR J. VOSHAGE  
Justice of the Peace  
WALKER VALLEY, N. Y.

February 17, 1964

Mr. Jack Ruby  
County Jail  
Dallas, Texas

Dear Mr. Ruby:

It should make you  
feel relieved to get this trial over with.  
You only did what thousands of other  
red blooded men would have done, if  
they had the opportunity. Good luck.

Sincerely  
Arthur J. Voshage

Feb 18, 64  
157 N Wynne  
Colville, Wash.

Hi Jack,

Just a note this time, I know  
you're more than busy now. I sent  
the old license license last letter, so  
anyone F. B. I. etc, can check me out  
if necessary. <sup>Clay</sup> L. Olson and myself and  
many people still think you should  
get a medal instead of what the  
churches, that they call Henry Wade  
thinks.

Just heard on T.V. he is after 1st  
degree. Maybe he hasn't heard of  
the other 49 states. I suppose Texas  
& H Wade know it all. I suppose I should  
clarify the above statement, because I  
have some friends in Texas myself.  
D.P. for good people.

Sure glad Belli from Calif is behind  
you, she spent a few years there  
myself.

Well Jack, I'm not radical, but  
I can tell you this, there are a  
hell of a lot of people behind you  
up here. Big up here, I mean  
Wash, Idaho and Montana.

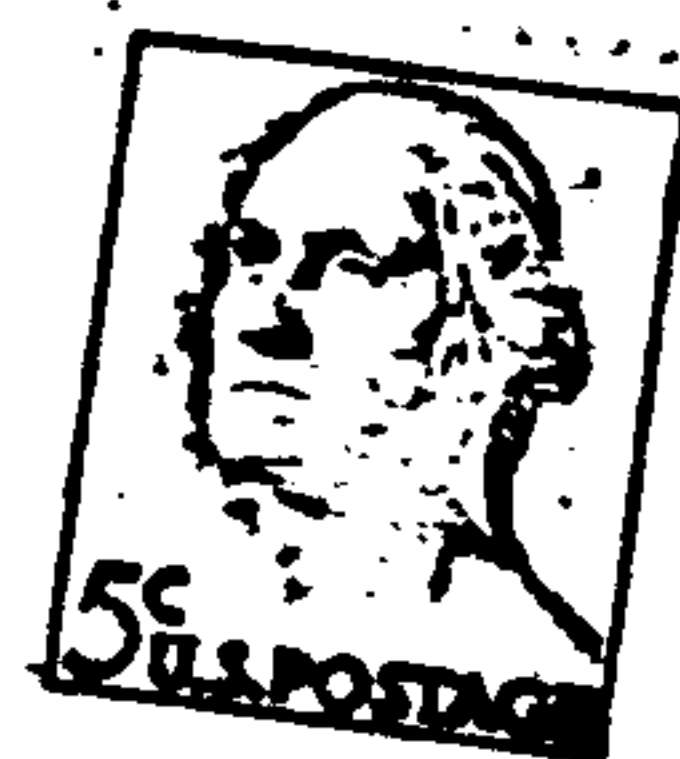
I imagine there are a few people  
in the county jail, in Dallas who  
feel the same. Who would they, I mean.  
If you happen to have a few minutes some  
time, drop a line. Regardless Jack, you're  
behind you. Good luck  
(over) Jack Walsh

J Walsh  
157 N Wynne  
Colville, Wash.

Air Mail



P.S. Attached envelope etc, but forget that part,  
unless you find time.



Jack Welch  
157 N Wynn  
Colville, Washington

Sec C. G. ...  
Sec ...  
14017 ...  
Placidville, N.J.

PLACIDVILLE  
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Mail From ...

4 Churchill  
1401 N. Main St  
Pleasantville N.J.  
Feb. 18, 1964

Dear Jack Ruby,

I hope you get free,  
because I feel it isn't your fault.

I saw the hole thing on T.V., and  
I think if I was there I would of  
shot that nut to if I had the chance.

I thought the world of President  
Kennedy, and when I heard that it  
shocked me.

I am glad you shot Oswald, but  
the only thing I am worried about  
is your life, you deserve it.

My Judge Brown sentenced you I  
know he made a big mistake for doing  
it because I know you only shot  
an over sized piece of trash and I  
didn't know it was against the  
law to shoot trash.

I hope and pray that everything goes  
alright for you, and may God bless  
you. I won't you to know I am  
for you all the way.

S. A. G.

Just sent this  
little note today  
In hopes  
that it will cheer you  
And sort of help  
to let you know  
That someone's  
thoughts are near you.  
Mary Eda May  
and Praying for your  
release.



Birmingham, Ala.  
Saturday Feb 15th 1964

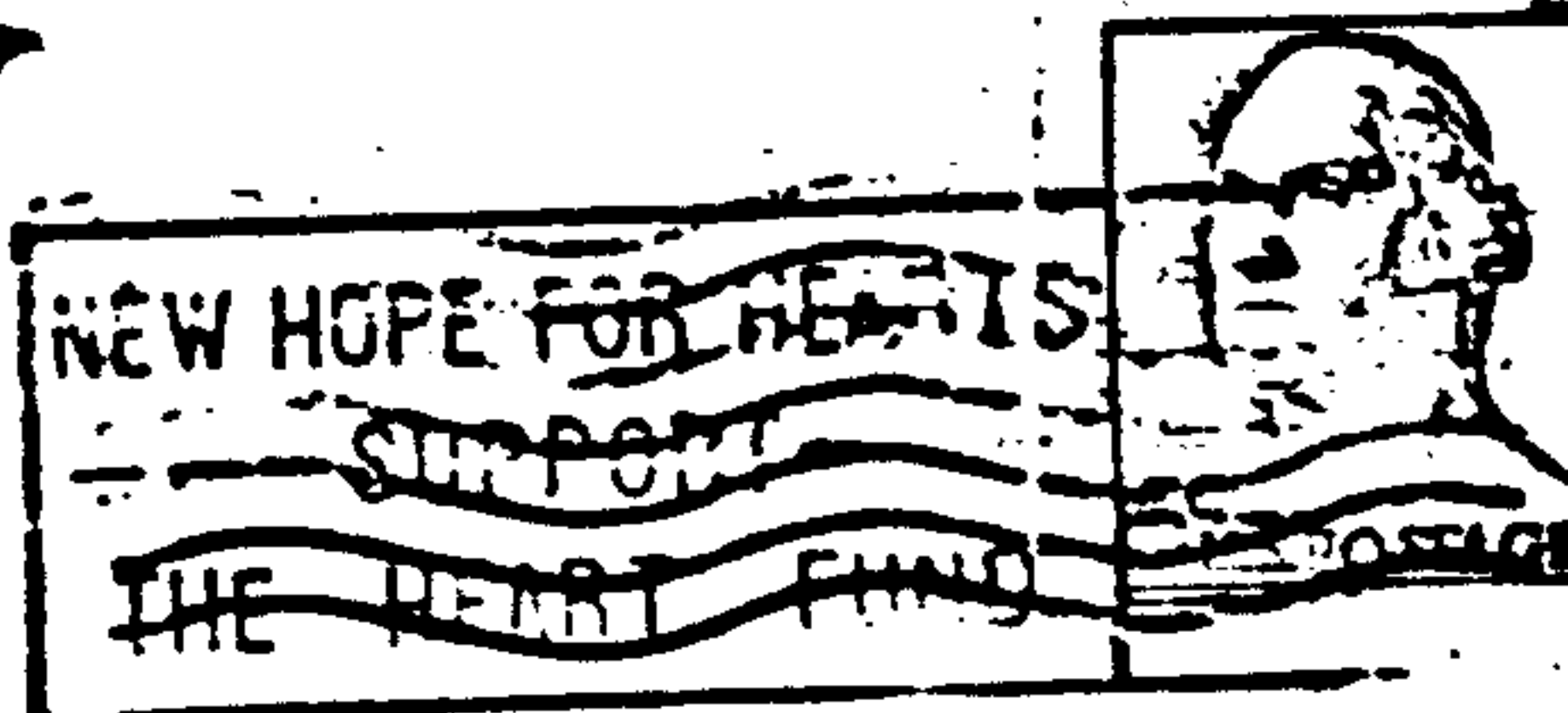
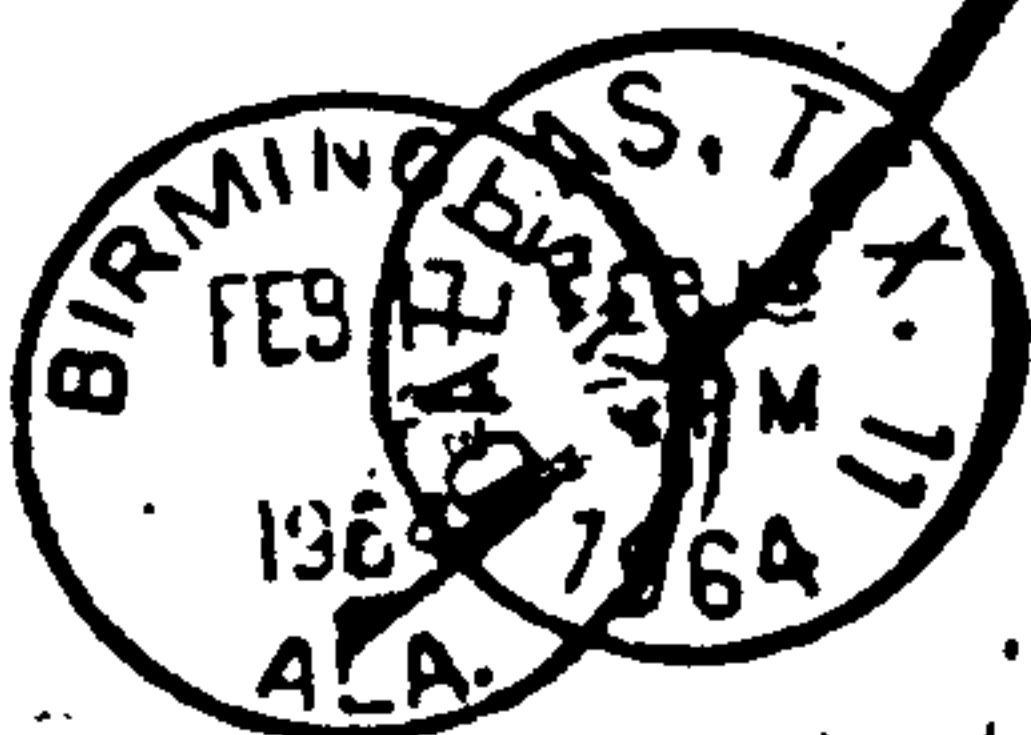
Dallas City Jail,  
Mr Jack Ruby

Dear Mr Ruby:

I can not restrain from writing to you. I am for you 100 % I hope you come clear. If I had anything to do with it, you would be a free man. I think you are a perfect Gentle man. I hope the Spirit of God is with you. If God is for you, Who can be against you? I felt the same about President Kennedy as you did. President Kennedy was a wonderful President and I miss him greatly. If you come clear you will hear from me again. I hope the Lord will make his face to shine on you. you are a good looking man and have an innocent looking face. May God be with you in my prayer. I can not sign my name. Guess you know why. I dont know you personall, but I feel you need a friend in a time like this.

I am so sorry for you.

Very Sincerely,  
A. Friend



Marie Russell  
9 "Silver Bell Nursing Home"  
704 N. W. 3<sup>rd</sup> St.,  
Okla. City,  
Okla.



"ABCD" MAIL FLIGHT  
BETTER BUSINESS SERVICE



Jack Ruby  
P.O. County Jail

I wouldn't want you killed because  
of too many die.

One wrong, don't make  
it right, So why kill even  
in prisons for electric chair

- Answer - Mrs. Marie Russell

704 N.W. 3<sup>rd</sup> St

Ocala, Fla.

"Silver Bell Nursing Home, Fla."



# The Ten Commandments

1. Thou shalt have no other Gods before me.
2. Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image.
3. Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain.
4. Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.
5. Honor thy father and thy mother.
6. Thou shalt not kill.
7. Thou shalt not commit adultery.
8. Thou shalt not steal.
9. Thou shalt not bear false witness.
10. Thou shalt not covet.



1964

## October

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## November

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## December

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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6	7	8	9	10	11	12

Mr Ruby!

We will be praying for you to be  
freed. We feel sure many citizens of  
these United States felt as you did.  
And also, that Lee Oswald was  
the murderer of our Beloved President  
as he was of Officer Tippitt.  
Best of Luck to you  
Ladies of America

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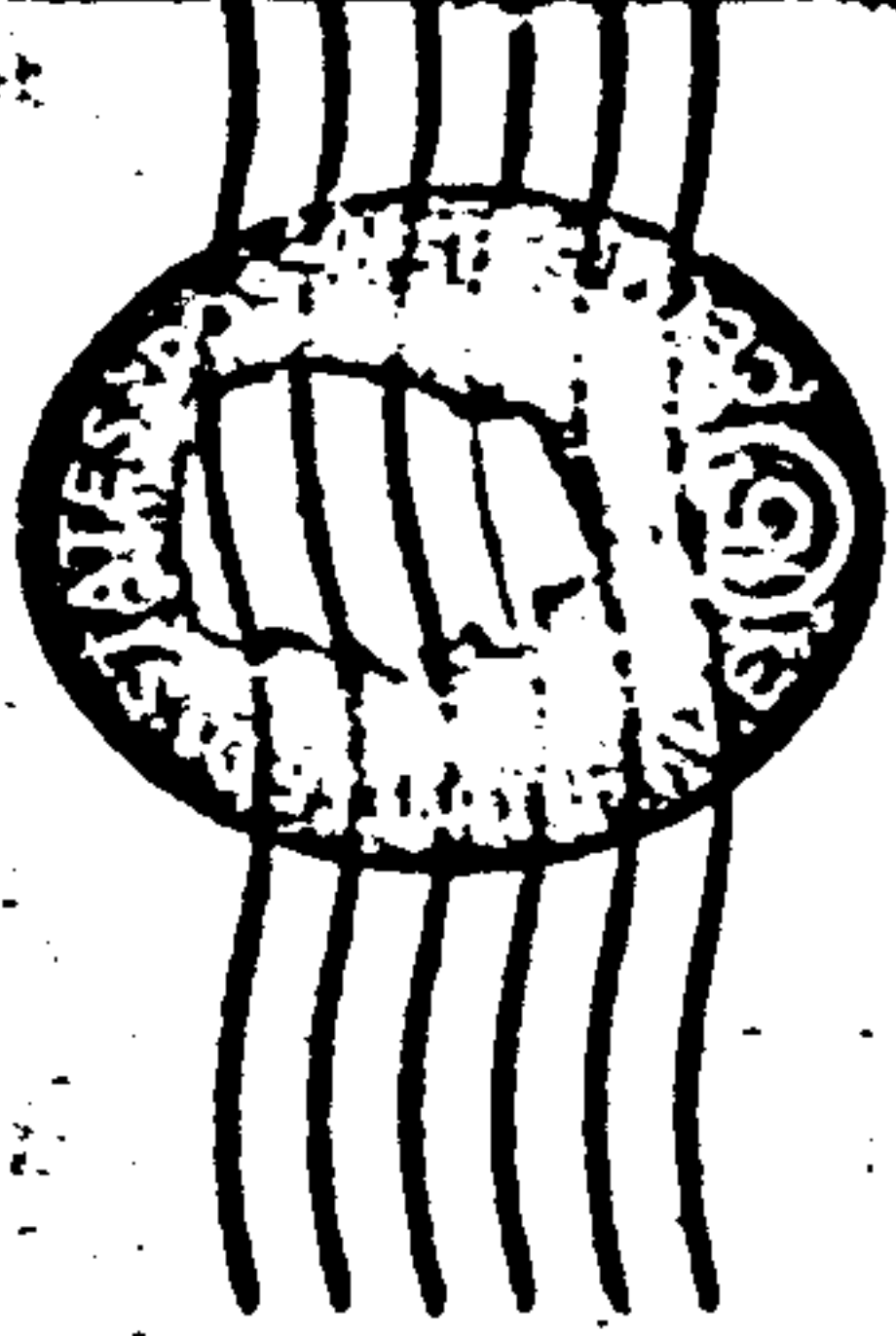
THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Jack Ruby

U.S. POSTAGE

for neither I was ever quite as hurt  
& unbecomingly wounded - in any entire  
American life - as I was when I heard  
about the bullets - an insane monster  
fired at as kind & sincere a man -  
as I felt - was our late President Kennedy  
who meant no harm to anyone,  
and who gave our country true  
pride & self-esteem - and new initiatives  
I shall follow your trial closely -  
because its outcome seems almost  
as important to me as it might to  
you - If my friendship & under-  
standing towards you can possibly  
have any meaning to you - I shall  
be glad to hear from you at any  
time - I am - but - a common man.

Sincerely yours - and one more -



IND.  
- 1964.  
PM  
FEB 18  
ASHVILLE

Mr. Jack Ruby,  
Dallas,  
Texas.

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L-22112

I'm 67 yrs old and proivity all my life,  
my note to you is confortes (Plymouth)  
I'm not catholic feeling in word or deed not man.  
man poor example of Gods worst in whole world

Nashville Ind

Feb 17<sup>th</sup> - 1964

Mr. Jack Ruby, I don't carry it for you

Kind Sir

your love for John Kennedy, your  
love for little John John and your dogs  
one in Gods Kingdom understand's

My dad John A Stewart

Pope John

President John all 3 John's and good  
one's too. I was taught to mind didn't have to be twice.

Cant blame the mother for defending  
her son. Oswald, I never had children Frank  
attho my mother always said if I did I'd didn't  
mind I'd kill it. Well my determination is honor + obey  
why I love dogs they prove smarter than humans.  
There are lots of boys just like Oswald plainly see  
they never minded. I don't like stand his wife took.

no good  
Well Jack Ruby I'll do all I know to help you  
yes man who said give you a medal yes should I that  
whole lot of John Kennedy and his wife and children  
call when thinking to little John John is my boy.  
that alling him that, I'm sure little



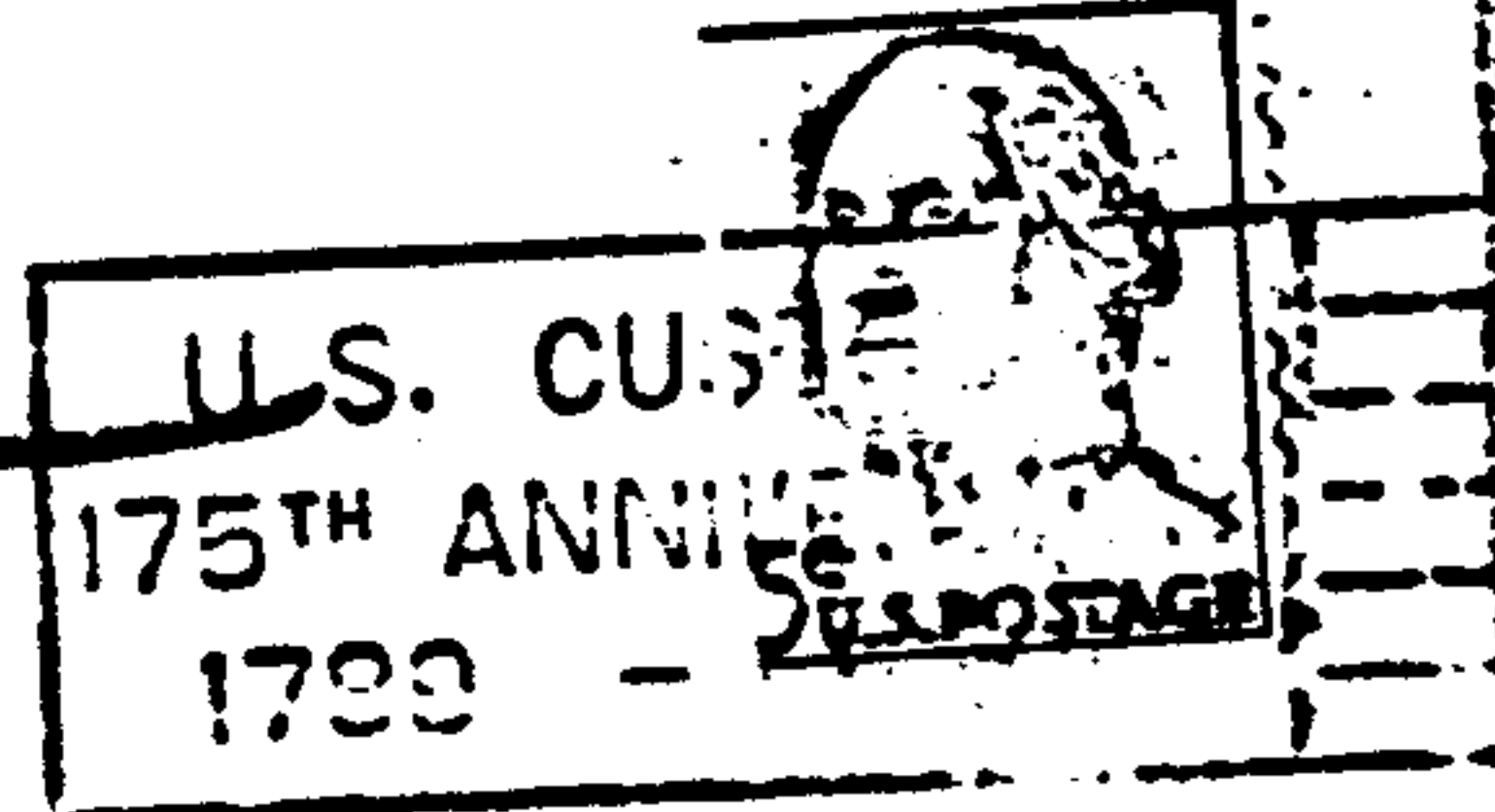
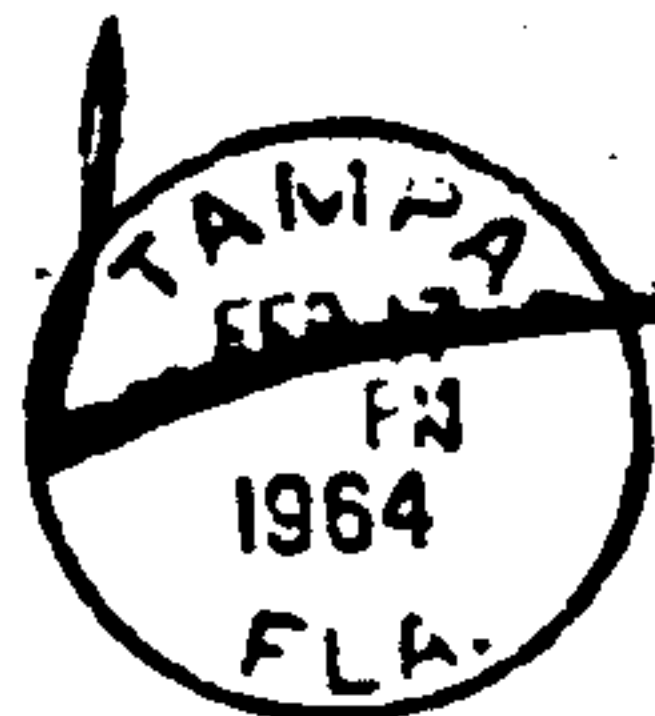
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Dear Jack,

God Bless you and  
good luck. I pray you  
are well and you stay  
well always. Don't let  
them get you down.  
People can be cruel.

I'm enclosing a little  
valentine for you and  
also the three pictures  
the press took of you  
and put in the Tampa  
paper. No I'm keeping the  
best one for I love you

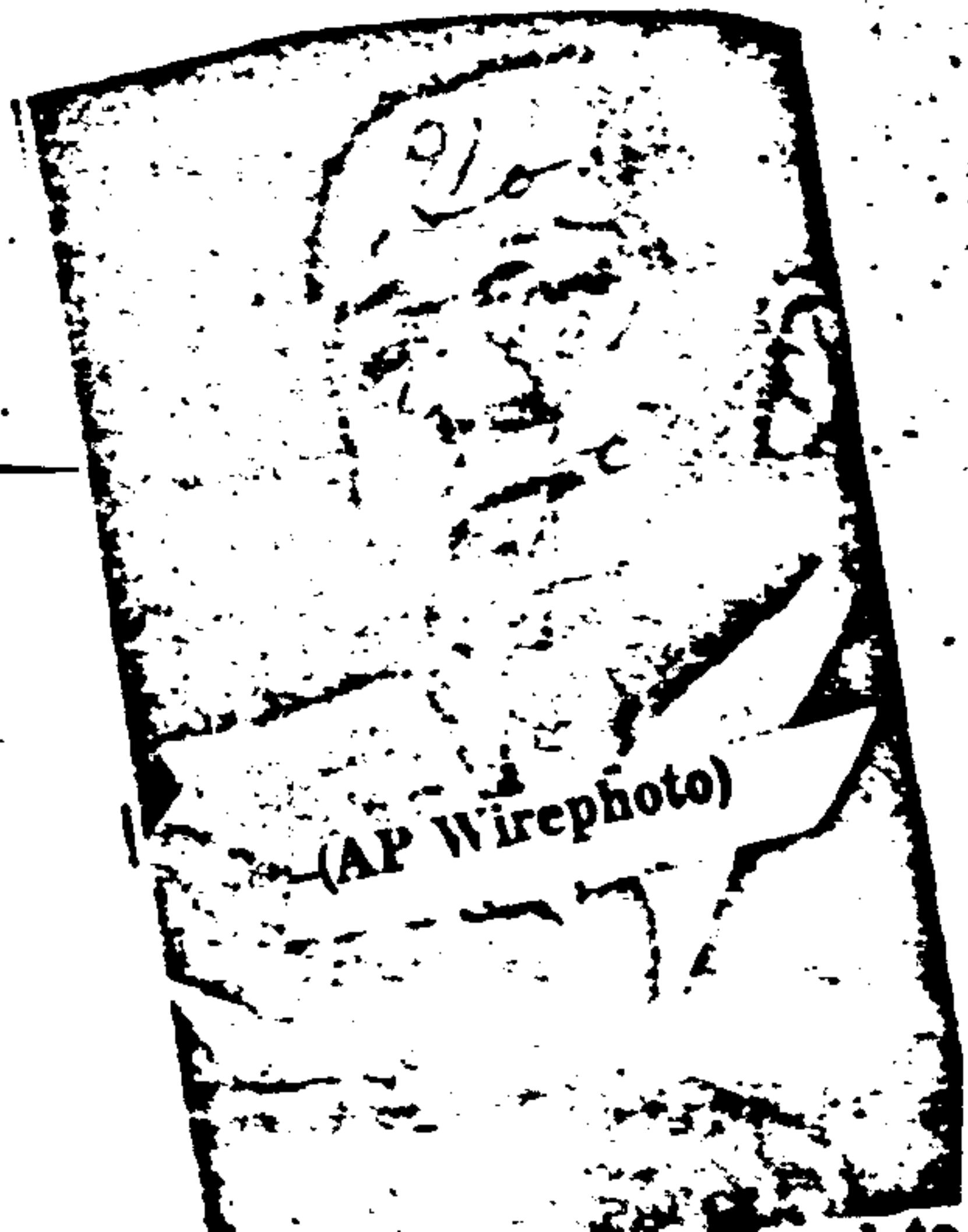
Love  
Mary



God Bless you



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JACK RUBY

505 MAIN ST DALLAS TEX

DEAR BUDDY JUST RECEIVED YOUR LETTER. YOUR FRIENDS WHO ARE  
MANY AS WELL AS MYSELF ARE WITH YOU ALL THE WAY BEST TO EVE  
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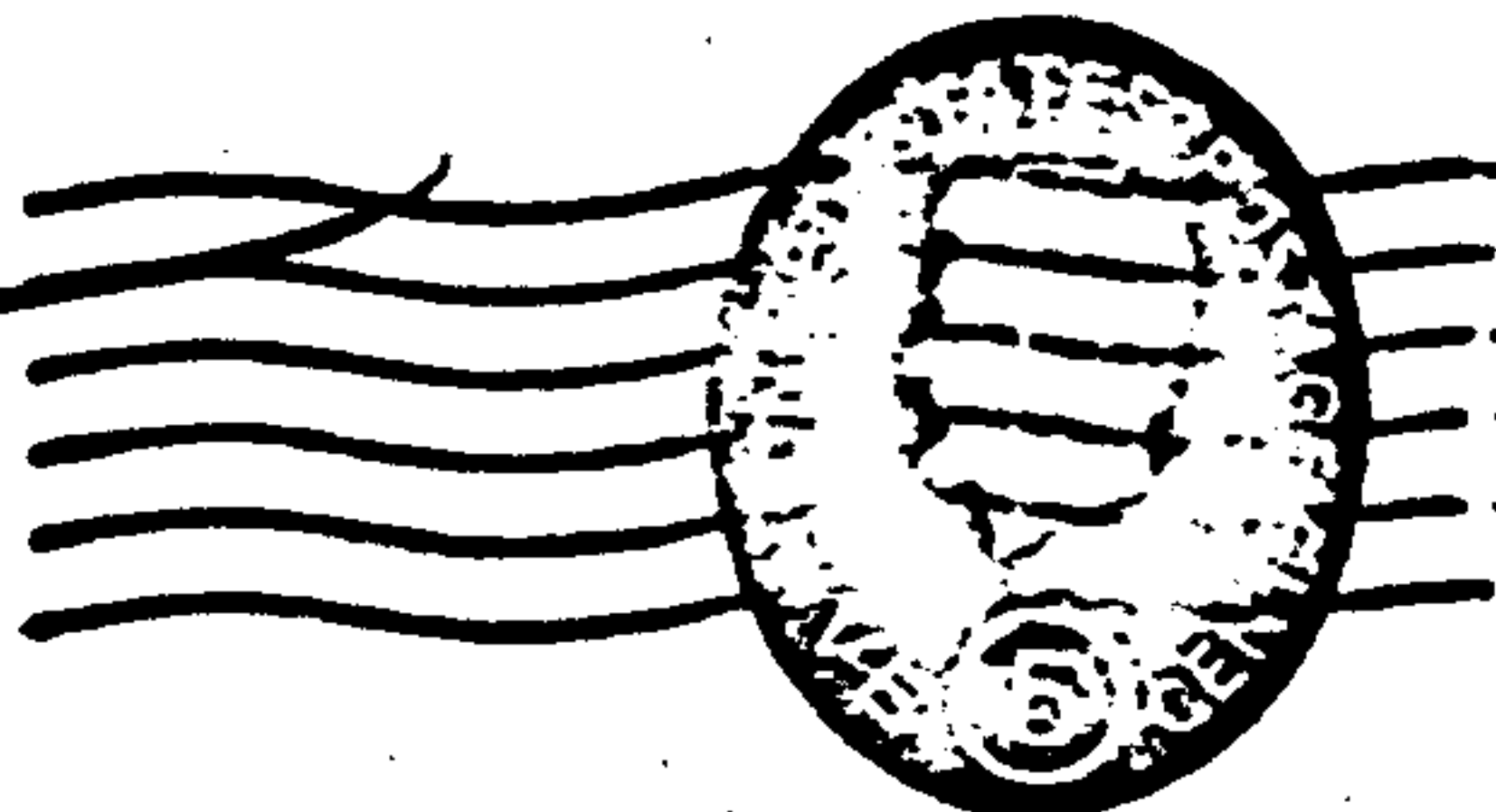
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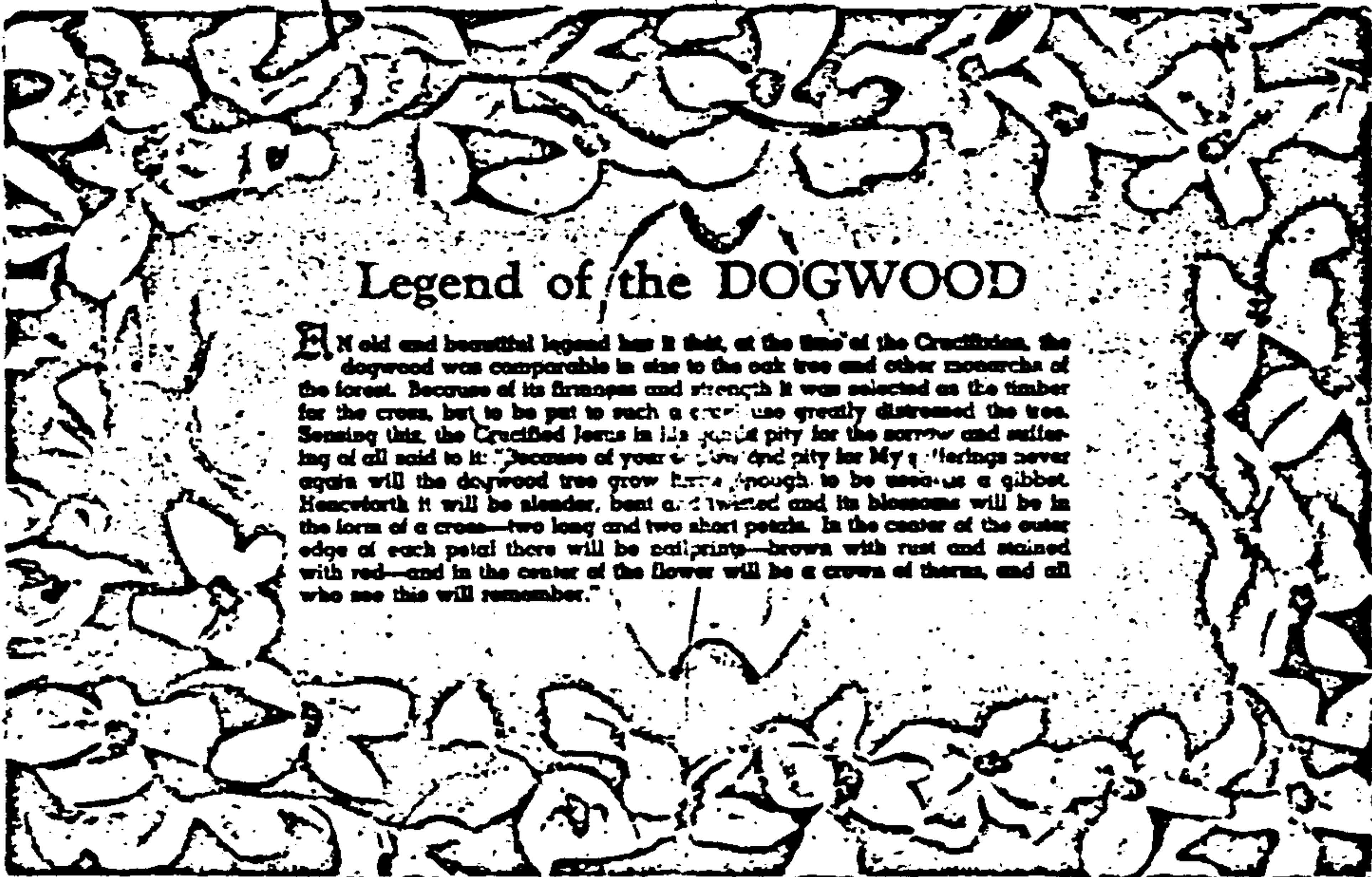
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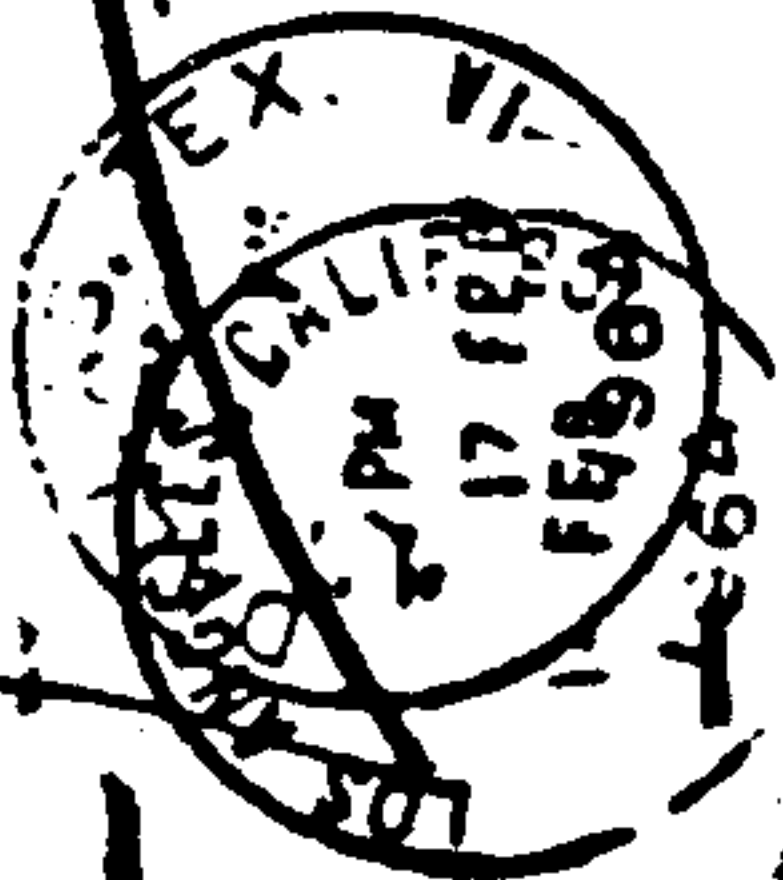
An old and beautiful legend has it that, at the time of the Crucifixion, the dogwood was comparable in size to the oak tree and other monarchs of the forest. Because of its firmness and strength it was selected as the timber for the cross, but to be put to such a cruel use greatly distressed the tree. Sensing this, the Crucified Jesus in His great pity for the sorrow and suffering of all said to it: "Because of your sorrow and pity for My sufferings never again will the dogwood tree grow firm enough to be used as a gibbet. Henceforth it will be slender, bent and twisted and its blossoms will be in the form of a cross—two long and two short petals. In the center of the outer edge of each petal there will be calliprints—brown with rust and stained with red—and in the center of the flower will be a crown of thorns, and all who see this will remember."

*...the so much  
...for H. of N  
...that the year  
...from your kin  
...no - soon be  
...that means  
...my life -*

ESTIS,  
LEERITZ  
AM.  
1964

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*... (partially obscured)*



*Handwritten signature or initials*

*Mr Jack Ruby  
c/o Dallas Police Dept  
Dallas Texas*



Feb 17-64

Dear Mr Ruby

It is with a heavy heart that I write this letter to you tonight where will you spend eternity? God has been most merciful to you, and spared your life, so you could accept Jesus Christ the Messiah of Israel. When Christ died on a cross he died that all might have salvation unless you accept Christ as your personal savior before it is too late. I know

~~AIRMAIL~~

~~FEB 1964~~





name rejected Christ as the  
son of Israel but you  
I not know how lemon  
pie tasted unless you  
taste it, would you? taste  
it that the Lord is good  
to show you if Jesus  
Son and the Messiah  
He will show you in  
a wonderful way that  
you will be praying to  
in Jesus Name to forgive  
for all your sins and  
peace with God for

Without jump there in the  
peace. as many as received him  
to him he gave the power to  
become sons of God to those who  
believe in his name. John 1:12.  
For truly Christ is truly the Jew  
the Messiah wont you accept  
him kneel and pray by your  
bed and let Jesus cleanse you  
of all your sins and God  
has promised us in psalm 103  
thou shalt say. As far as the east is  
from the west, so far hath he removed  
our transgressions from us. and God  
never leaves us alone, he is always  
by our side. he is every where he

delivered Daniel from the lions  
den and god can deliver you also  
you must have the faith to  
accept Christ. many Jewish  
people have accepted Christ  
as their messiah I will be  
praying that god will unblind  
your eyes and your heart also  
your mind to gods message to  
you. may god be merciful  
to you. we will keep on praying  
until you do accept Christ as  
your savior