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A.P. Welch Co. covering the shipment of the 25 cartons containing the 700 rifles from Century Arms, Inc. to Alden's. Mr. OUIMET pointed out that Federal regulations require that dealers in firearms are required to record firearms sold by serial number and purchaser as well as date of purchase.

On 3/11/64 Mr. MARK K. GARDNER, U.S. Customs Agent in Charge, St. Albans, Vt., stated the shipment of 700 rifles from Empire Sporting Goods to Century Arms, Inc., St. Albans, was examined on 7/3/62 by U.S. Customs examiners and appraised for contents only and no record was made of rifle serial numbers. Mr. GARDNER furnished a photostatic copy of the Bureau of Customs Consumption Entry \$77 for the shipment which included the 700 used Italian rifles. The shipment arrived in St. Albans, Vt. on 7/1/62 via Vermont Central Railroad. Mr. GARDNER also furnished a photostatic copy of the Examination and Appraisement for Entry \$77 dated 7/3/62.U

Mr. GARDNER pointed out Century Arms probably did not take possession of the shipment until 7/5/62 as the shipment was not examined until 7/3/62 and July 4 was a holiday.U

On 3/11/64 Mr. ABE SHINDEL, Manager, H.P. Welch Co., Burlington, Vt., furnished a duplicate of that company's shipping order B-3686 dated 7/6/62 for 25 cartons containing 700 rifles from Century Arms, Inc. to Alden's of Chicago. Mr. SHINDEL stated this shipment was taken to Boston, Mass. and then transferred by the Welch Co. to another trucking company for delivery to Alden's. He stated his Somerville, Mass. office, located at 400 Somerville Ave., would have the records of the company who picked up the rifles from the Welch Co. U

For the information of the Boston Office, talian Carcano carbine #2766 was included in the above mentioned shipment of 700 used Carcano carbines from Century Arms, Inc. to Alden's of Chicago. This number is similar to the number C2766 which appeared on Italian Carcano rifle used to assassinate President KENNEDY.U

By letter dated 2/21/64 the President's Commission requested the Bureau to obtain originals or (if necessary) photographic copies of all documents relating to the rifle serial number 2766 shipped by Century Arms, Inc. to Alden's. The documents should include but be not restricted to purchase orders, invoices, shipping documents, bills of lading, shipping records, receipts, sales records, inventory records, etc. of Empire Sporting Goods, Century Arms, Inc., Alden's and any other person or firm which owned or handled the rifle. U

Referenced airtel instructs all offices to submit exhibits obtained to the Bureau, attention FBI Laboratory, with the request that the Laboratory assign identifying number and make four photographic copies of each exhibit so two may be furnished to President's Commission, one for Bureau files and one for files of the Dallas Office. These exhibits should be furnished to the Bureau under caption of this airtel. U

The above mentioned five exhibits obtained on 3/11/64 will be forwarded to the FBI Laboratory by separate communication. U

Information copy of this airtel is being furnished to Chicago in view of the investigation being conducted or to be conducted at Alden's of Chicago.

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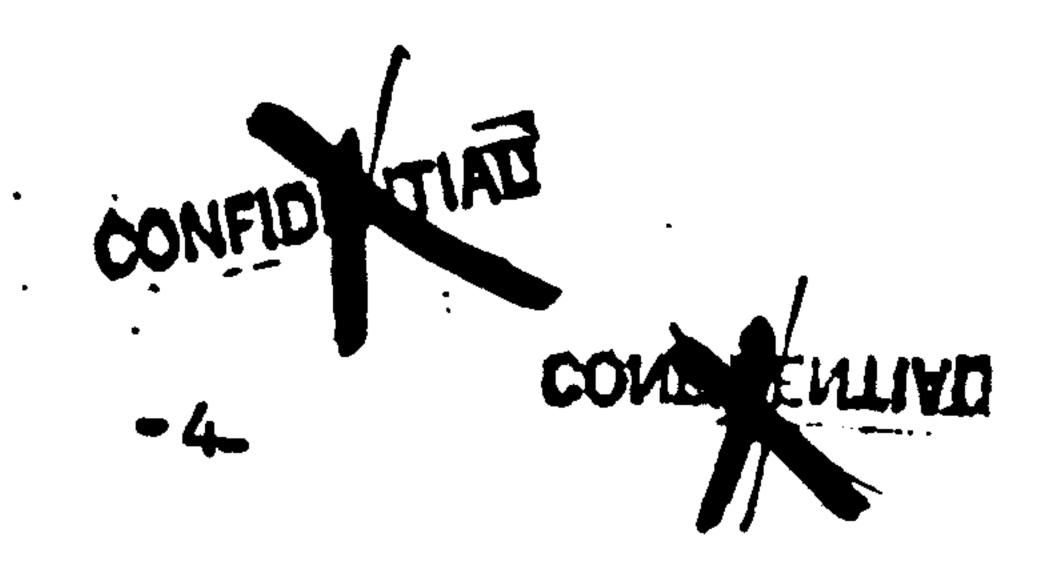
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- 1. Contact H.P. Welch Co., 400 Somerville Ave., and determine from that company's shipping order B-3686 to whom they consigned load of 700 Italian rifles from Century Arms, Inc. to Alden's of Chicago.
- 2. Set out appropriate lead to have records of receiving trucking company checked in order to determine when shipment arrived at Alden's.U

Boston is requested to give this matter expeditious attention.



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for your information the Legal, Attache, Micico, City is currently submitting to the Bureau 25 copies of aletterbead. memoranda prepared by that office in captioned matters. The Legat in Mexico requested by routing slip Merch 11, 1964 whether this number of copies should continue to be substitted or whether a lesser number will suffice. The Legat indicated that there would be a savings of clerical time in the event a lesser number than 25 would suffice in captioned natters.

For your information, the Bureau needs an original and 9 copies of a letterhead memorandum from the Legat in Hexico reporting results of investigation in Hexico to handle dissemination responsibilities at Seat of Government. Your should immediately inform the Bureau how many copies of letterbead memoranda your office needs from the Legat In Mexico to satisfy reporting and investigation responsibilities of your office in each of the captioned matters.

Upon receipt of your commnication;, the Bureau will give appropriate instructions to the Legat in Mexico in these matters.

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Letter to Dallas
Re: - ASSIASINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
NOVEMBER 22, 1963, DALLAS, TEXAS

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka 62-109060 105-82555

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dissemination at Seat of Government to other Government agencies and when a large number of personnel were handling the various facets of captioned investigations at Seat of Government, we instructed the Legat in Mexico to furnish 25 copies of letterhead memoranda to the Bureau. The Legat has now raised the question as to whether the number of copies can be decreased in order to achieve clerical savings in Mexico City Office. Upon receipt of requested data from Dallas appropriate instructions will be issued Legat Mexico in captioned matters.

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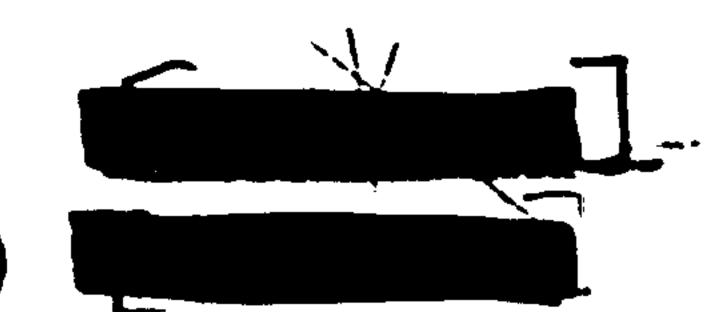
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The following communication addressed to Mrs. and Mr. WYNDON BAINES JOHNSON, Washington, D. C., and bearing the return address Rochester, N.Y., 14261, was forwarded to Federal Bureau of Investigation Headquarters, Washington, D. C., by the Secret Service:

"Dear Sir:

I want to know who is responsible for Kennedys Assiination. I would like to see you as soon as possible. There are twof foreigners behind assasanation. I worked for the U.S. Government in 1935 to know 1959 I was wooking for President Eisenhower and Edgar Hoover. You ca check

Yours truly



(Signed)

The following investigation was conducted at Rochester, N.Y., by SA ROBERT G. AULENBACHER:

On March 11, 1964,
Rochester, N.Y., advised that he sometimes also spells his last name that he resides at the above address with his wife, that he was born in Germany on November 17, 1898, fought with the German Army during World War II against the Russians on the Russian Front, and immigrated to the United States from Germany on April 23, 1923. On August 26, 1926, he began working for the New York Central Railroad handling packages and mail and was retired on a pension on December 21, 1955, and has not been employed since that time.

advised that he had recently written a letter to President LYNDON JOHNSON relative to the assassination of the late President JOHN F. KENNEDY, however, he stated he could not remember the general content nor the details of the letter.

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The above quoted letter was then read to at which time he advised that he is quite certain that this letter is the one which he recently wrote to President LYNDON JOHNSON.

was asked whether or not he had any information of any kind whatsoever relative to the assassination of the late President JOHN F. KENNEDY to which he replied in the negative. He was then asked why he made the statement in his letter that there are two foreigners evidently behind or responsible for the assassination. To this he stated that the identities of the two foreigners whom he had in mind are Premier KHRUSHCHEV of Russia and FIDEL CASTRO of Cuba. In answer to a question as to why he thought these two individuals had anything at all to do with the assassination of the late President JOHN F. KENNEDY he replied by stating that the late President JOHN F. KENNEDY had publicly talked against Premier KHRUSHCHEV and CASTRO and that consequently he undoubtedly had incurred their wrath and therefore they are the foreigners behind the assassination which he refers to in the above quoted letter.

At this particular time, also stated that he believed that the "Communists, Nazis, and Klu Klux Klan," are also behind the assassination. When questioned as to why he thought these three groups were responsible for the assassination, he replied as follows:

He believed that the Communists may possibly be responsible for the assassination because KENNEDY had always talked openly against Communism. He thought the Nazis were responsible because he knows that the Nazis had always wanted to run the United States and also because it is public knowledge that they hated members of the Jewish race. He thought that the Klu Klux Klan were also responsible because it is his belief that the Klu Klux Klan are against all religions, especially Catholics. was unable to explain his reasons any further.

It was then pointed out to that there is an obvious inconsistency between the first and the third sentences in the above quoted letter, in view of the fact that the first sentence requests knowledge as to who is responsible for the assassination and in the third setnence a statement is made that there are two foreigners who are behind the assassination.

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however, he did state positively on many occasions during the course of the interview that he does not know who is responsible for the assassination of the late President JOHN F. KENNEDY, but that he thinks that possibly foreigners may be responsible for it and identified the two foreigners as being Premier KHRUSHCHEV and CASTRO, mentioned above. He could not go any further in explaining this theory.

was then asked if he had ever worked or been employed or drew any pay from the United States Government. He answered this in the negative. He was then asked for what reason he made this statement in the letter quoted above, that he had worked for the government in 1935. In answer to this question he could only state that he did not mean that he actually was employed by the United States Government, but because of his complete familiarity with everything that is happening throughout the country and throughout the world he thought he was really connected with the United States Government. He could not go any further in explaining this statement.

He denied that he ever verbally or in the above quoted letter stated that he was working for President EISENHOWER and EDGAR HOOVER in 1959, but stated that the letter was written to reflect that he was "looking" for President EISENHOWER and EDGAR HOOVER in 1959 and had made a special trip by air from Rochester, N.Y. to Washington, D. C. in 1959 for personally conferring with both of these officials, however, upon arrival in Washington was advised that President EISENHOWER was in California and that Mr. HOOVER was out of town, however, he did manage to talk to one of his assistants.

Since August of 1959, a Rochester, N.Y., has either by mail or personally contacted the headquarters of the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Washington, D. C., or the Buffalo Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. These contacts in general reflect that was in a mental hospital from 1935 to 1939, that he had been an "undercover" man, that in 1951 he had discovered how to make medicine from a distillation of water and horse chestnuts that would cure any ill, had offered it to former President EISENHOWER's personal physician who declined to accept it and that he himself had never used it, that he believed there was a conspiracy against him to keep him from selling or using the medicine because it would put doctors and druggists out of business, that he had very secret information he wanted to impart directly to Mr. HOOVER "behind closed doors," has requested Agents to accompany him from Rochester or Buffalo, N.Y., directly to Washington, D. C., that the Russians cut the Atlantic cable, that Russia is

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ready to shoot a rocket to Washington, D. C., and that Russia is ready to strike on four fronts, that he wanted to go to Washington to see President KENNEDY, also behind closed doors, that the New York Central Railroad tracks could not be used to transport troops, that "I am the smartest undercover agent the U. S. has. I know the what kind of work i did for the German Government. Would you please send me aeroplane ticket and I will be in Buffalo immediately. I have 2 names I will be in blue serge suit."

1 - Mr. Belmont; 1 - Mr. Mohr; 1 - Mr. DeLoach; 1 - Mr. Sullivan; 1 - Mr. Rosen; 1 - Mr. Malley; 1 - Mr. Bland; 1 - Mr. Coakley; 1 - Mr. Sizoo; 1 - Mr. Branigan

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Ronorable J. Lee Rankin General Counsel The President's Commission 200 Maryland Avenue, N. E. Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

There are enclosed for your information copies of three articles appearing in the French newspaper "L'Express" dated February 20, February 27, and Harch 5, 1964. There are also enclosed translations of the articles hade by this Bureau.

For your further information, there is chelicised a menorandum setting forth a summary of information appearing in the files of this Bureau concerning Thomas Gittings Buchanan, Jr., the author of the above articles. "

It has been reported to this Bureau that the Author, Mr. Buchanan, has previously met with a representative ex the President's Commission.

Upon removal of the classified enclosure this document becomes unclassified.

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Sincerely yours,

niemo Branigan-Sullivan 3-16-64, MAB:hrt., OSWALD, "INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - CUBA." CONFIDENTIAL ES enclosed memorandum conderning Buchanan contains info received through confidential informants which, if disclosed, could possibly identify these

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March 17, 1954

THOMAS GITTINGS BUCHAMAN, JR.

Background

Buchanan was born March 14, 1919, at Baltimore, Maryland. Ils graduated from Lawrencoville Echool, Lawrenceville, New Jersoy, in 1935. Es attended Yale University for one year in 1936 and 1937 and attended George Washington University for one year in 1939 and 1940. He served in the United States Army from 1942 to 1945 and held the rank of Captain at the time of his discharge. He is married to the former Harriet Patterson and has two children.

Euchanan was employed as a reporter by the "Washington Evening Star" newspaper from 1945 to 1948. When an official of this newspaper confronted Buchanan with the allegation that he was a Communist Party (CP) member. Duchanan readily admitted his CP membership. This resulted in his dismissal from this newspaper.] No then became affiliated with the Civil Dights Congress (CRC) and served this organization as Mational Legislative Director from 1949 to 1950. He was a registered lobbyist for the CRC during 1949. The CRC has been cited as subversive pursuant to Executive Creer 10453. In later held various positions in privato incustry in the Baltimore, Haryland, area.

Duchanan took up residence in Paris, France, in October, 1961, where he was reportedly employed as an engineer by Lo Materiel Telephonique, an electronics firm.

CP and Related Activities

Duchanan reportedly espoused the doctrines of Marxism at approximately ago 15. In executing a Personal History Statement for the United States Army in December, 100-354341

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1942, he listed his political affiliation as "communist." In this statement he also admitted having been affiliated with the Friends of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade in 1935. The Friends of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade was a communist front.

Buchanan joined the Youth Club of the CP at Washington, D. C., in 1943. During a radio interview conducted by a representative of the CP at the Detroit, Michigan, in 1943, Duchanan went and considerable detail regarding his reasons for becoming a CP nember. He held numerous positions of leadership within the CP in Unshington, D. C., during 1949 and 1950. He was reported to have contributed articles to "The Worker," a communist newspaper, in 1952. He transferred his CP nembership to Baltimore, Maryland, and was identified as a member of the CP at Baltimore in 1953.

He was reported in attendance at a meeting attended by CP leaders at Daltimore in 1954. He was extremely active in and attended numerous meetings of the Civil Rights Congress (CRC) in Baltimere during 1954. In 1954 and 1955 he was active in the Freedom of the Press Committee at Daltimore, an organization dominated and controlled by the CP. During interviews with FDI Agents in 1952 and 1953, Buchanan readily admitted CP nembership. During an interview in August, 1956, he stated that he was no longer a CP nember but would not elaborate on reasons for quitting the CP, stating only that he had lost interest. Investigation subsequent to 1956 did not uncover any significant CP or related activities on his part.

NOTE:

Classified "Confidential" as it contains information reported by confidential informants and sources which, if disclosed, could possibly identify these sources. Buchanan's name is included in the Reserve Index.



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TO

DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)

DATE: 3/18/64

FROM

SAC, NEWARK (62-3060)

SUBJECT:

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY 11/22/63 DALLAS, TEXAS

Re Bureau airtel to Newark, 3/12/64.

Enclosed herewith for Bureau and New York, one copy each, and Dallas, 25 copies, is insert setting out results of Newark investigation concerning letter from EDWARD MALEK to FBI postmarked 3/9/64 at Sayreville, N.J.

Receipt of this letter was personally acknowledged at time of interview.

It is noted during interview MALEK alternately rambled in his conversation and sat silently staring. He was most difficult to understand, did not carry on a normal conversation did not answer questions and did not furnish any additional information.

In view of [MALEK's] reported mental condition and in view of the fact there is no indication he ever had any contact with OSWALD or RUBY, no further investigation is being conducted in this regard.

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On March 16, 1864, Chief RAYMOND SWEENEY Sayreville, New Jersey Police Department, advised SAS FRANCIS J. LUSKY and STAFFORD C. FOSTER he has known EDWARD MALEK as a Sayreville resident for over 20 years. He described MALEK as harmless but a "local nut" who is well known to members of the local police department. MALEK is single, lives with his parents, travels frequently, and periodically works as a construction laborer to finance his travels. SWEENEY advised MALEK has frequently spoken as if he had knowledge of local criminal cases under investigation, but to date such has never been verified.

On March 16, 1964, Detective Captain DOUGLAS SPRAGUE and Detective EDWAFD WODARCZYK, Sayreville Police Department, who heard mention of name EDWARD MALEK referred to him as a "nut" and asked if MALEM was now "pestering the FEI".

On March 16, 1964, EDWARD MALEX, 32 Smith Street] Sayreville, New Jersey, advised he had no additional information concerning OSWALD or RUDY. He stated he had never known either one prior to the assassination of President KENNEDY, but he believes he may possibly have seen both prior to that time. MALEX stated he drinks heavily and when he does he "likes to travel". In such condition, he has traveled throughout the United States. During such travels he "could have met" both CSWALD and RUBY as mentioned in his letter. He did not further explain his travels other than to state he has been drinking since he was in the United States Marine Corps during world War II. MALEX stated he drank heavily while in the Marine Corps and in 1942 was medically discharged as "a mental case".

MALEK stated he had no additional information but had written the FBI so "The FBI could fill in the movie people when they made a picture or wrote a book about the case".

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ATTN ASST DIRECTOR N. P. CALLAHAN

FROM DALLAS (89-43) 2 P

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, NOVEMBER ,TWENTY-TWO, LAST, DALLAS, TEXAS. MISC INFO CONCERNING.

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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT! KENNEDY, NOV TWENTYTWO, DALLAS.

INFORMATION CONCERNING.

REBURAD AND DALLAS TEL MARCH NINE.

FOR INFO BUREAU, WHILE AGENTS IN PROCESS OF OBTAINING DESIRED PHOTOGRAPHS AND MANIFEST OF WILLIAM WAYNE WHALEY, THE CITY TRANS-PORTATION COMPANY WAS CONTACTED TELEPHONICALLY BY SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE OF SECRET SERVICE, FORREST SORRELS, WHO ADVISED HE WOULD BE EN ROUTE TO THE CITY TRANSPORTATION COMPANY TO OBTAIN MANIFEST AND PHOTOGRAPHS SIMILAR TO THOSE REQUESTED BY THE COMMISSION. COMPANY IN- O FORMED SORRELS THAT THIS WORK WAS PRESENTLY BEING DONE BY THE FBI, AND THAT THE FBI HAD CUSTODY OF THE MANIFEST. COMMENT MADE BY SORRELS UN-KNOWN.

THE DALLAS OFFICE HAS NOT CONTACTED, OR BEEN CONTACTED BY, SE CRET SERVICE CONCERNING THIS MATTER AND NO CONTACT CONTEMPLATED INAS-MUCH AS IT IS NOT KNOWN IF COMMISSION WADE SIMILAR REQUEST OF SECRET:

DALLAS OFFICE CONTINUING TO OBTAIN XTEMS, REQUESTED IN RERAD

AND WILL BE FURNISHED TO BUREAU AS, ADVISED IN RETEL.

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UNITED STATES GA Memorandum Callah Mr. Belmont 3/16/64 DATE: TO A. Rosen **FROM** SUBJECT: 11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS Dallas teletype of March 10, 1964, contained information indicating the possibility of duplication on the part of the FBI and the Secret Service in connection with a request made by the Commission to the Bureau to obtain certain material in Dallas. This matter was taken up with Mr. J. Lee Rankin today who had been in New York and unavailable for interview. Mr. Rankin commented that he certainly wanted to eliminate any possibility of duplication of effort and advised that in this

This matter was taken up with Mr. J. Lee Rankin today who had been in New York and unavailable for interview. Mr. Rankin commented that he certainly wanted to eliminate any possibility of duplication of effort and advised that in this instance it appeared the letters which had been sent out by the Commission contained statements which confused the witnesses, causing the witnesses to feel they were obligated to bring in certain material to the Commission for testimony when actually the Commission had requested the FBI to obtain this information.

Mr. Rankin said he would see that the letters emanating from the Commission to the witnesses were sufficiently clear so there would be no possibility of misinterpretation in the future.

The Secret Service did not receive any request from the Commission. However, the Secret Service in Dallas did attempt to advise the witnesses what material was desired based on the letters they had received from the Commission when the Secret Service was contacted by the witnesses relative to arrangements for transportation from Dallas to Washington, D. C.

DETAILS:

By letter dated March 6, 1964, the Commission requested we obtain certain maps, manifests and other items pertinent to the bus and cab rides taken by Oswald after the assassination. The Secret Service in Washington, D. C. was contacted and advised that hey had received no request of any kind from the Commission relative to the above items. They advised they were handling the transportation problems of the witnesses who the Commission desired be brought to Washington and that Inspector Joseph Kelley of Secret Service had seen the Commission's letters to witnesses Whaley and McWatters. It was Kelley's

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Memo to Mr. Belmont from A. Rosen Re: Assassination of the President

recollection that the letters did ask the witnesses to bring certain material with them to Washington.

Mr. Forrest Sorrels, Secret Service, Dallas, Texas, was contacted and advised that no request had been made of him to do anything with reference to picking up any items to be made available to the President's Commission. He stated that witnesses McWatters and Whaley contacted the Secret Service relative to transportation to Washington, D. C., and at that time indicated they were confused as to just what they should bring with them as instructed from the letters from the Commission. Mr. Sorrels stated he looked at the letters to the witnesses, presumed the Commission would like to have original documents of the material referred to in their letters, and suggested they go to their respective employers and ask for this material. Sorrels stated that a short time later cab driver Whaley called him by telephone and stated the FBI had been to the City Transportation Company, by whom he was employed, and had obtained the information he was trying to get from his employer and 'he therefore did not know what to do. Sorrels stated on learning this he told Whaley to forget the request in the letter and merely proceed to Washington as instructed in the letter, inasmuch as the FBI was apparently handling the desired material.

In discussing this situation with Mr. Rankin he was advised that the Bureau had run into a situation where the City Transportation Company had made comments to the effect that there had been a duplication of effort on the part of the FBI and possibly the Secret Service in Dallas. Mr. Rankin was advised the Bureau felt he should know of the possibility of the duplication of effort.

After obtaining the full facts on this matter, Mr. Rankin stated that this situation, wherein it appeared there had been a duplication, was undoubtedly caused by the wording in the letters sent to the prospective witnesses and that instructions would be issued immediately in order to eliminate any repetition of this type of situation.

ACTION: None - submitted for information.

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THE FOREIGN SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Imerican Embassy.

Date:

March 5, 1964

To:

Director, FBI (105-82555)

From:

Legat, Paris (105-1067)(P)

Subject: LEE HARVEY OSWALD

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Re Paris airtel 2/27/64.

On March 4, 1964, Lt. Colonel W. L. Adams, Jr., Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, furnished results of inquiry in the captioned matter which are set forth in the enclosed letterhead memorandum. It is noted that the official report received from G-2 headquarters makes no mention of the medical information set forth in my airtel of reference concerning the psychiatric evaluation of as being a paranoiac individual. Accordingly, such data has not been included in this memorandum.

In view of the fact, however, that been diagnosed a paranoiac as well as the fact that he may have already come to the attention of the Bureau additional leads, if any, are being left to the discretion of the Bureau.

This case is being maintained in a pending status in order to furnish to the Bureau any additional information we may receive from the Portuguese police concerning. General PROTERO, who is mentioned in my letter to the Bureau, February 3, 1964 and its enclosure.

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In Reply, Please Refer to File No. WASHINGTON 25, D.C. March 5, 1964

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

Information was previously received from a BETH COX, who had a boy friend named HOWARD COHEN stationed in Metz, France, with the U. S. Army. According to this information one of COHEN's friends "translated or decoded the G.I. paper's headlines to read, 'Kennedy will be assassinated Thanksgiving Day,' and later changed it to read the very day he died."

On March 4, 1964, Lt. Colonel W. L. Adams, Jr., Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, furnished the following additional information:

Captain HOWARD C. COWEN, assigned to the U.S. Army Depot at Metz, France, advised on February 18, 1964, that during the evening of November 22, 1963 he conversed with an acquaintance named DENNIS DE WITT. During the conversation, DE WITT said that a friend of his, had predicted President Kennedy's assass nation for November 22, 1963. According to DE WITT, had first predicted that the assassination would take place on November 28, 1963 but later reportedly changed the date to November 22, 1963.

According to Colonel Adams, Captain COWEN reported the above conversation to officials of the 766th Army Intelligence Corps Detachment at Metz. A short time later Captain COWEN also related his conversation to a girl friend named BETH COX. Her present address, according to Colonel Adams, is LISA BETH COX, 616 West 116th Street, New York 27, New York.

Colonel Adams stated that was the subject of a closed investigation by the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, U. S. Army Communications Zone, Europe. He advised further that according to local Army records at Metz. France, on February 18, 1964, was reassigned to Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., as a patient on December 3, 1963 and was ordered to proceed to that destination on or about December 4, 1963.

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To:

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Director, FBI (62-109060)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT

JOHN F. KENNEDY___

11/22/63 DALLAS, TEXAS

Re Legat, Paris letter to the Director 3/5/64. captioned "Lee Harvey Oswald, IS - R - Cuba."

Attached for WFO and Dallas is one copy each of referenced letter and enclosed LHM containing information WFO is instructed to contact concerning appropriate sources at Walter Reed Hospital and determine is still a patient. Ascertain his psychiatric evaluation noting has previously been described as a paranoiac individual. Determine if the psychiatric evaluation can be furnished to the President's Commission. Prepare an LHM under the caption of include the information which was furnished by Legat, Paris deleting the caption Lee Harvey Oswald. Also include the results of your inquiry. If officials at Walter Reed Hospital a recommend that not be interviewed, comply. Otherwise interview him to fully resolve alleged predicateon regarding the assassination of President Kennedy.

is no longer at Walter Reed Hospital and has either been discharged from military service or transferred to another base, set out lead with appropriate background so that he may be interviewed.

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was attached to Headquarters Company, U. S.

Army General Depot, Metz, France, and has in the past had
several articles published in the controversial English
language newspaper "Overseas Weekly," published in Germany.
He allegedly on 9/15/63, had a six-column article published in
this newspaper, which included his photograph, regarding his
refusal to buy U. S. Savings Bonds. In November, 1963, he
appeared in Switzerland after he left his unit in Netz, France
and contacted various U. S. newspaper representatives in an
attempt to interest them in a story of how the U. S. Army
was persecuting him and attempting to brainwash him.
is described as 5' 9" 165 pounds, medium build, Army serial
number and date of birth 6/10/38, Chicago, Illinois.

The property stamp should be deleted from your LHM and prepare 25 copies in insert form and forward to Dallas for inclusion in their report. Handle promptly.

NOTE: By airtel dated 12/9/63 Denver Office furnish LHM containing information that one Beth Cox, has a boy friend Howard Cohen who is stationed in Metz, France with the U. S. Army. It was alleged Cohen's friends translated or decoded the G. I. papers headlines to read, Kennedy will be assassinated Thanksgiving Day and later changed to read the very date he ne died. Subsequent investigation conducted by Legat. Paris determined the individual involved was DOB 6/10/38, Chicago, Illinois. Following psychiatric examination at Metz, France, November, 1963 was described as a paranoiac individual and his discharge from the Army was recommended due to his inability to adjust to military life. He was transferred to Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., in December, 1963 and was last known to be at this location as a patient. Regarding allegations of assassination it was alleged had published this information one month before the assassination of President Kennedy. It is anticipated information concerning be furnished to the President's Commission.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

MAR During the course of his public testimony before this Commission, Mr. Mark Lane advised that he had information to the effect that approximately one week before the assassination, a meeting pocurred in the Carousel Club. Present at this meeting were Bernard Weissman, Officer Mippit, and Jack Ruby. As you know, Mr. Weissman is the individual who placed a full-page advertisement in a Dallas newspaper on November 27, 1963, which was very critical of President Kennedy.

Although Mr. Lane named Weissman and Tippit in the public portion of his testimony, he declined to name Ruby until the Commission went back into executive session. Mr. Lane advised the Commission he would attempt to obtain from his source of information permission to reveal the name of the source to the Commission. Mr. Lane has thus far not communicated with the Commission.

On page 719 of SA Gemberling's report of December 10, Mr. Weissman stated in an interview that he had never known Jack Ruby. In the investigation into Mr. Weissman appearing in the aforementioned report, there appeared to be no reference to any possible knowledge of Weissman by Officer Tippit.

The Commission is communicating with Mr. Lane to determine whether he is in a position to reveal the name of his source. We will advise you as soon as we have received any relevant information from Mr. Lanc. In the meantime, we would like your Bureau to advise us if you have any other corrobative information concerning this alleged meeting. REC- 17

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J. Lee Rankin General Counsel

NOTE:

This matter is being closely followed at the Bureau and when the requested information is obtained from Dallas it will be promptly furnished to the Commission.

Our investigation has failed to establish that any such meeting took place. As you are aware, Jack Ruby owns the Carousel Club. Officer Tippit was shot and killed by Oswald shortly before Oswald's apprehension. Bernard Weissman is the individual who was influenced by members of the Dallas John Birch Society to place a full-page advertisement in a Dallas newspaper which was critical of President Kennedy.

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> Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation Department of Justice Washington, D. C. 20530

Dear Mr. Hoover:

The report of Special Agent Manning C. Clements, dated November 30, 1963, at page 6 makes reference to a newsreel film and video tape (closed circuit T.V.) furnished by Mr. Eddie Barker to agents of your Bureau.

It would be appreciated if this film could be shown to various members of the legal staff. A mutually agreeable time can be fixed by contacting Mr. Griffin of my staff.

Thank you for your continuing cooperation in the work of this Commission.

Sincerely,

General Counsel

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62 107/10/10 2678 Honorable J. Lee Rankin apparanteting Signature of the Signature General Counsel The President's Commission 200 Maryland Avenue, Kortheast Vashington, D. C Pear Mr. Renkin: Reference is made to your letter dated March like 1964, and subsequent conversation with Mr. Burt W. Birlitia. of your staff, regarding the video tape furnished to this. Bureau by Mr. Eddie Barker. ic accordance with Mr. Griffin's request, the 16" millimeter copy of the above video tape will be projected tork memberz of your staff, at the Commission Office, beginning at 9:00 a. m. on Saturday, March 21, 1964. Sincerely yours, 62-109060 1-62-199090 (Fresident's Commission) L Edgar Hoofe, 5 MAB 1-105-82555 (Lee Harvey Oswald) 21-Mr. R. E. Lenlhan 4 BX CQS:mmp. ((1)) NUTE: The video tape referred to can be shown only with specialized, expensive television station broadcast equipment. The Bureau does not have such equipment and Grillin was so advised. He stated that in lieu of the video tape he desired to see the 16 millimeter copy of the tape which we can project with our regular equipment. Photographer noissiamed, Hulgias, who has handled projection of films for the Commission proviously, will handle this projection. eLooch

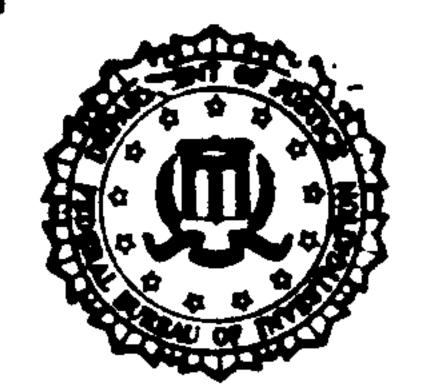
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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In Reply, Please Refer-to File No.

Phoenix, Arizona

March 13, 1964

Tucson, Arizona, sent copies of the following document to Mr. BOB WILLIAMS. Regional Editor of the "New Ulm Daily Journal", New Ulm, Minnesota.

"The Murder, of President Kennedy. The Assassination, of President Kennedy.

"The Murder was planed by, Barabbas, Chief Justice, Earl Warren, and Vice President, Lyndon B. Johnson. The Blood trail of Barabbas, Earl Warren, Started in the State of California, when he was Governor of the State.

"Lyndon B. Johnson, needed a Good Crack Shot, so Jacqueline Kennedy, would not get killed, he needed her bad. Walter Scott's Personality Parade, write New York 17, N. Y. 733 Third Ave.

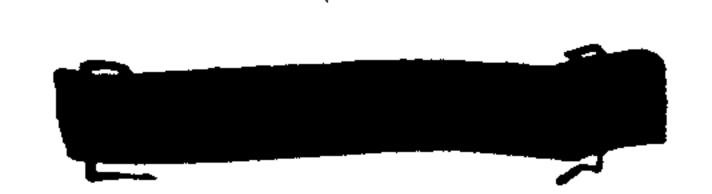
"Q. Who was the secret Service agent in charge of the Kennedy trip through Dallas.?. Where was he when President Kennedy was Shot.?. F. K. M. Madison Wis.

"A. Agent Roy Kellerman was rideing in the right front seat of the President's car, when Kennedy was shot. My, Q. is, in the picture's Camera Captures Death, Did Agent Roy Kellerman, know that the shots would be fired.?. that he stepted out of the front seat, Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy, crawling on her hands and knee's, a big target, to help the Secret Service man in, he has one foot on the back bumper. PROPERTY OF THE FBI

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"It is also written, Dallas Policeman J. D. Tippet, and M. N. MacDonald rushed to the theater and ran into a rear exit. According to police headquater's, Tippet fired a shot MacDonald rushed the suspect—who turned out to be Oswald—and subdued him after a fight. It is also written, Tippit was shot in the street.

"Oswald said, I shot nobody. Ruby hears the words, Ruby shoots Oswald.

"Oswald's teacher remembers him as, tousle haired, pleasent boy, writes a story. A picture of thr teacher, and the school children.

"Mom wants to quiz Oswalds probe.
The mother of Lee Harvey Oswald, fights for her son.
The mother said, that evidence against my son was
circumstantial and, no one saw Lee fire a gun. Mark
Lane, of New York her lawyer, steped in on the fight
with out pay, she still wants to pay him. Lane said,
I have very serious doubts as to Oswalds guilt.
Feb. 18 Attorney Lane, goes on a national speaking
tour, in the United States. The Spy, knows the fight,
with Barabbas the murder, Chief Justice, Earl Warren.
The Glory, has come, for the Spy, to stept, in the
fight, with his, God.

"Where are the Spys, of Europe.?. and the World.?.

"Showman Lawyer, Defends Showman. Melvin Belli:, A dazzling reptation.

"Melvin Belli, San Francisco Californa Lawyer, defends Ruby.

"Attorney, Melvin Belli, goes to New York, starts a fight, with the Dallas Attorneys. The City of Dallas, wants to hang Ruby, to have a Glory.



"Judge Sarah T. Huges, a lady Judge, more guilty then Ruby, gives an Oath to Lyndon B. Johnson, her office is not high enought, to give the Oath, to Johnson. The Oath had to come, from the high office, Barabbas the murder, Chief Justice Earl Warren, could not even give that Oath to, God, Warrens Oath is not legal, also. The planers, of the murder, are more guilty, then the boys that done the shooting. Lyndon B. Johnson, is not the President, of the United States.

"Lyondon B. Johnson, hands, all the people, over to Barabbas, the murder, Chief Justice Earl Warren, to hold down, the cover, Barabbas, can't hold, the cover. The Nations, of the World, called it a plot. JFK death a plot.

"Judge, Sarah T. Huges, a friend of the Johnson, a Kennedy appointee to the federal court. Kennedy signed his own, death warrant.

Johnson had what he wanted, Kennedy in the coffin, His Oath is not legal. Is not the president of the United States, with the coffin in the plane, he gives the orders, with a bluff, to the pilot, Okay, let's get this plane back to Washington. The Dallas, Judge, can now, give the Oath to Ruby:, it would be more just.

"President Kennedy, made another mistake, appointed his Brother, Attorney General, was not elected by the people, Johnson can fire him any time he want's too. Johnson, had said, to the people, I will not take second place, he lied to the people, and took, second place, You can not send the Attorney General, to Europe, the people could not hold him, he was appointed, and had no power, Dicator Johnson, sends him to Europe, to get him bumped off, God, brings Bobby back, to face Johnson, that has murdered his Brother, Johnson's Oath is not legal, Bobby has the same right. Gives Sargent Sgriver another job, to be very, very smooth. It does not seem, that Bobby and Shriver, was in on the planing, of the two days of politicking as written.



"In 1947, the Spy, had the Universe Timed, God, calls the Spy, to follow the Blood Trail of Barabbas, Governor Earl Warren of California.

The Spy, has 80 acres of land in California, followed the Blood Trail for 11 years in California. God, had made a deal with the Spy, He would give him, the Lost Paradise the Old Garden of Eden, to follow the Blood Trail of Barabbas.

"God, sends the Spy, to Cameron Wisconsin, to buy the Old Garden of Eden, the Lost Paradise, and sends Earl Warren Barabbas, to the Highest office in the United States, and the world, Chief Justice.
The Old Garden of Eden, 160 acres of land, the Spy, pays for the Garden, has the Warranted Deed, and Title of Generations, from the beginning to the end. A patent, from the United States, the constitution of the United States, from God.

"Barabbas murders, from the Capitol Madison, the Governor, and 3 top Attorneys, Started, a perpetual poker Game, with the Spy, In the Court, the Spy brushed his own Attorney off, like a fly, His Face of Flint, his Blue Eyes Flashing, in less then 20 minutes, he had the Governor, and 3 top Attorneys. Could not shut the Game off.

"That is how, God, pays his Spy:, anybody that tries, to take him. Barabbas murders better pay their Bill, \$200.00 dollors a day, at the Madison Capitol.

"And plays, penny ante, with Barabbas murders in Barron County, to waite for time. They played over 30 Games, in the Court's, the murders made, every game croker then the other, none could take the Spy, with his, God. God, calls the Spy, to go back on the Bloody Trail of Barabbas, to Minnesota, the State, the Spy, was born in. God, gives the Spy, his Orders, Spy hits the trail, many States, Stops at Tucson Arizona, for the winter. God, calls the Spy, to write Manuscripts, o the Bloody Trail. In the spring, the Spy gets ready to hit the trail, the neighbors had heard the type writer, clicking in his camper.

"He hands his neighbor, a lady his manuscript he just had written, she shakes the manuscript, with both hands, and said, I under stand, ever thing you have written, I have written, a book, on Governor Earl Warren, and his crimes in California, If I publish the book, they will kill me. This is a dangerous thing, and it can't go on. Where are you going from here.?. Minnesota, and Wisconsin, don't go back, they will kill you. The Spy, hits the trail, wondering, if God, had also given her the name Barabbas,. The book, no doubt, would also be a light on the Kennedy Murder.

"The Spy, hits the Bloody Trail again, Wisconsin, Lake Superior, across the Mackinac bridge, into Michigan, to Washington D.C. Camped at Odenton Maryland, wrote two Manuscripts on the Blood Trail. Back to Minnesota.

"The Spy, hits the trail, from Minnesota, to Tucson Arizona, Same Camp, writes manuscript, 17, The Captain, and the Fifty, the Spy, did not know, when the next one would be written.

God, calls the Spy, to write Manuscript, 18. 1+8 = 9, the number Chief Justice.

"In manuscript 17, God, said to the Spy, lay the cards face up on the table, the number is written in the Bible. I wrote where to look. You got the book of sixes in your hand, take the spade 6 in your right hand, the 3 sixes in your left hand, you are holding 666 in your left hand.

"The card in your right hand has a six upside down No. 9 = Chief Justice. Look in your left hand, 666,= 3 times 6 = 18, 1+8 = 9 =Chief Justice. Any number you multiple with 9 =Chief Justice. 3 times 9 = 27, 2+7 = 9.

"The Spy, asked God, about the draft, the people, and I can understand, the draft to war. The people, and even, I, my God, can not understand, the draft, of the president. God, said to the Spy, I will use my Evangelist, Billy Graham, and you, shall all, know, and see the draft. I am, the God, of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob.



"I want you all, on the face of the earth, to look, in my book of law, I will not change one word, of that law.

The 9 Chief Justice, turn the 9 upside down, you have a 6, I want you all, to look, in Revelation 6, the rider, on the Black Horse, is my Spy, Joshua, Noah, the King, of the waters, the pair, of Balances, he has, in his hand, One Balance is Barabbas, the murder, that you have turned lose. The other Balance, is my, Son Christ, that you, have murdered.

Who was the fool, on the Earth, that gave, Earl Warren, Barabbas, the Oath to God. There is, no one, high enought, to give him, that Oath, on the Earth, only your God.

"My news paper reporters, and camera men, have that picture, on the Earth, print that picture, back to my people, takeing the Oath, that was, and is, the highest office, on the earth, nobody could give him an Oath, except your God, the 9 Chief Justice are out, Fired. That is the place, I, your God, left open, for my self, My Son Christ, is your Judge, Now. The president, of the United States was not the highest office. My son Billy Graham, looked at the draft, under pressure for several months, when he seen, the bush, of Moses burning, the face of Christ, in the hole, in the Heavens, where the draft, was comeing from, he got out of the draft, and said, I am staying, with God, and preaching, the Gosple of Jesus Christ.

Evangelist, Billy Graham, goes on the air, to the world, I am not in the draft, and when he started preaching, he had more flint in his face, you could hear that in his voice. Johnson the millionaire and some more, then leveled his preaching.

"Billy Graham, looked around in millionaires and all over the world, but knew in his heart, in the slumbs, and Poverty, some day, an Old Tramp, and Old Spy, would come along, and crack, the Heaven's, Open, and have, the Key, from God.

"God, said to the Spy, anybody, that goes, in that draft, my Son Christ, I made his face, as hard, as Flint, when you murdered him. He was my Elijah, Fire from Heaven. All you got left now, is the 50 Governors, can you name Governor Pilate, he is one of the Fifty Governors.

The Spy, hears on the air, that somebody, wants to murder, Governor Paul Fannin of Arizona. Do not murder, Governor Fannin, he maybe, Governor Pilate.

"Lyndon B. Johnson, takes Kennedy's Glory. God, takes Johnson's Glory.

The 2 Balances, the people of the world, had the Holy Supper.

Now God, gives them, the Holy Breakfast, the prayer at the Holy Breakfast, at Washington D.C. Did the news paper reporters, and camera men, get the picture.?.

"Johnson, made the proposal, in an impromptu talk, before the annual presidential prayer breakfast sponsored by congressional prayer groups.

"At that Holy Breakfast, at Washington D.C. Barabbas, the murder, they had turned lose Earl Warren, the Chief Justice, was there. One of the preachers was Caiaphas the High Priest, Lyndon B. Johnson, is Old King, Herod, that murdered, John the Baptist. Governor Pilate, also moved Christ the King, before Herod, (Johnson) and they murdered him. Johnson, in his impromptu talk, wants the preachers, and the people to build a Memorial to God, in Washington D.C. God, took his budget, that he had, on the people. If Johnson, wants to build, a Memorial to God, in Washington D.C. he can do it with his own millions, If Johnson, wants to shoot another rocket at the moon, God's Jewel, in the Heavens, he can do it, with his own million's.

"The Lady Judge, Sarah T. Hughes of Dallas, in her low office in Dallas, gave an Oath, to Old King Herod, Lyndon B. Johnson, that had murdered, John the Baptist.



"To all the people, of the City of Dallas, from the Baby'es on up.
All you can do now, set a day of prayer, and ring all the Church Bells in Dallas, and let, the people of the world know, the day you set for the prayer, so all the Church Bells will ring, on the face of the earth, and all the people, on the face of the earth will pray, for the Lady Judge, at Dallas, for Makeing, that Big, a Mistake.

Some body had to make that mistake, these are the ways, God, dose business, the earth, is his business, and the Heaven's. So we can settle, with ourselfs,

"God, and his Spy. This is to the Ladys, and Mothers, you are more likely to look, The Spy, the Gambler, the cards, are laying, face up, on the table.

and our God. A day of prayer, and Bible studying,

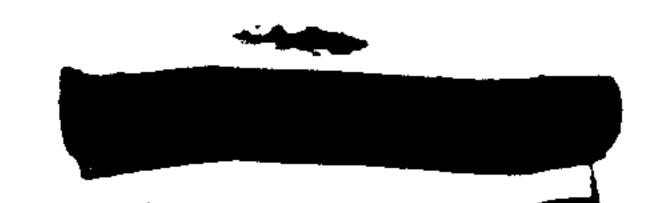
for the Lady Judge, So she knows that God Rules.

Pick up the 4 Queens, You are the Queens, now you got 50 cards, laying on the table, the fifty States, of the United States, 13 books, in the cards, 13 stripes, on the American Flag, the Flag, has only a Right, to fly, on the 50 States, under your God. You have a Right, under your God to call your Son's home, your daughter's will follow them, don't fool your self.

You have, the 4 Queens, which is 4, the Spys, Number, I want you to look, in Daniel 4. Chapter 4. It don't take you long, to read it, the ending, in that Chapter, is beautifull, it will make your hearts warm, we are in line Now, with that Chapter.

There, was a Big Tree, a Holy one came, and said, cut the Tree down, put an Iron and Brass Ring, around the Stump, the Stump, would be there and the Ring, on the end.

"The Bank, the Negro Band, with Iron and Brass, will cut lose, and Ring around the world, Playing, that Good Old Suger Daddy of Mine, when they hear that Christ the King is Comeing, that Good Old Suger Daddy of Mine, Adam, from the Garden of Eden.



Daddy is a Balance.

'The Ring, is the United States, Republican, is written in the Bible, the Iron in the Ring, the Republican's, the Brass the Democrat's. The Democrats, got Barabbas, the murder, up the Tree, the republican's, are seting up in the Tree, and the Democrats are Barking up the Tree, Harry Truman, hollered, the loudest, at that time, to turn Barabbas lose, Barabbas, Earl Warren is setting up in the Tree, and Harry Truman, is still Barking at him. Eisenhower, makes friends with Harry, come's down the Tree and helps him Bark. The Stump, is Cuba, the United States, the Iron, and Brass Ring, put the Iron, and Brass Ring around Cuba. Castro, has a camera now, takeing pictures, same as the news paper reporters, that puts him in the same class, when he shoots, his mouth off, with words, brakes that Iron Ring with Brass, like a thread, and trades all around the world. God is with him. We have no right to starve the Cubain people. That is what King Christ, had said, I will give it to the Baby'ies and the childern. You heard that song. that Suger Daddy of Mine. Castro is that Suger Daddy, all the baby's and kids like him, when you look at his beard, and Big Cigar, he looks, like a real Suger Daddy. And he can raise cane, O boy, O boy, he sure can raise cane, the baby'ies and the kids know the cane, he can raise, everbody knows that, Suger Cane, to make Candy, for the babyies and childern. Everybody, likes that Suger Candy. It don't make any difference if their skin is Black or White, they like Candy. That Suger

"The worlds song, is that Suger, Daddy of Mine. We better make peace, with the Negro Childern, and the Negro People, so we don't stand divided, when the Negro Childern, and the Negro People, cut lose, with the Band of Iron, and Brass, that we put around them, and playing, that Suger Daddy of Mine, that will, out Ring us. I am also white, How foolish would, the white people look, standing alone. We better play, to geather, with the Negro Childern, and everybody that is Mixed. In one Band togeather, not Divided, Playing that Suger Daddy of Mine. When Christ the King, stepts on the Earth, Adam, that Suger Daddy of Mine. The childern will have fun, not those that try, to Divide them.

"When the Negro, Band cuts lose, and knows that he, is comeing, Oh Boy. All Nations got Good Bands, so has Germany, Germany will be to geather, and in the worlds Band, Do all the Nations.?., want to stand Divided.?., on that Day.?. They, better make peace. Christ the King said, I will come as a thief, in the night. How true, that Chapter is, Daniel 4.

"To the people, and babyies, at Northfield Minnesota.

"You have, not forgotten, Jesse James, You still have Jesse James day, every year. The Oath, to God, is both hands up. The Oath, to the Devil, is one hand up. Look in the Bible.

Moses, had the staff, father Adam., Joshua, the Spy, was fighting in a Battle, when Moses, hands went down, loseing the Battle.

Cain, and Seth, set Moses on a Rock, holding both his hands up, with the staff in one, hand, Joshua, the Spy, won, the Battle, with their God.

'Remember, the day, you never forgotten, that day. Look in the Bible, the Black Horse, Jesse James, Was rideing him, the Ace of Spades, the Spy, was rideing him. The 7 Spirits of the liveing, God. The 7 Spirited Horses, with beautifull sadles. When the people, seen them, they knew, something was going to happen. Teaching, the Bankers, the Oath, to God. Moses, had the staff, at that time, when we had the Bible finished, then it was the Bible. You did not, even, give us a chance, to tell the Bankers, they had to have, the Bible, in one hand, You started shooting. The Bankers, are still stealing, out of my Check Book, every month, my God, they are still stealing. The same Bankers, and you people, are all back again, at Northfield. If you can ride, that Black Horse, it is Yours, what is written, under the Black Horse, is for the Bankers, so they won't, steal, no more. When, Jesse James, would step, in your City, with his face, of flint, and his flashing, Blue Eyes, you all would faint.

"When, we cought, the Bankers, rideing on the trains, we also went after them. Frank was Cain, always Quoteing, the Bible. In one train was a preacher, we was teaching him too. He hated, to give up his money, Frank said, give me that scrip, Christ, told you to go with out it. In dose days, God dressed us, with vests, with 4 pockets, the 4 aces. The preacher, had a beautifull watch, with a Gold Peace hanging on the other end. Frank jerecked it out, and told him, you don't need this thing, you don't know, when Christ is comeing. Both guns laying on the bed, Time to Die. Jesse with both hands up, hanging a picture on the wall. Frank (Cain) was tryed before the Governor and went free, not guilty. Our Mother stayed with her sons, the bankers stole more with paper and pencil then we did, we gave it to the poor people. Mother Oswald is staying with her son. She will win.

"Sincerely, the King of the Waters, and Greetings, from the King, of Fire.

Chirst the King.

and Greetings, from their God

"Sincerely,

Tucson Arizona.

on March 10, 1964, and furnished the following information:

"camper". At that time, was specifically informed he did not have to make any statement and any statement he did make could be used against him in a court of law. He was informed that he was entitled to consult an attorney prior to making any statement.

southwest area of the United States, and for the past two years, he has been coming to Tucson, Arizona. He advised his permanent address is on a farm at

a document dated February 10, 1964, captioned "The Murder, of President Kennedy. The Assassination, of President Kennedy. Chapter 18. Manuscript 18." He explained the world is governed by a mathematical equation; and by the use of a deck of playing cards in connection with the Bible, he can arrive at formulas which keep the world in balance.

California and owned approximately 160 acres of land. During that time, EARL WARREN was Governor of the state. He stated he lost the land and blamed Governor WARREN for not assisting him in retaining the property. He admitted that the above factor was the thing that motivated him in accusing Chief Justice EARL WARREN.

JOHNSON, merely explained that the formula devised by him made it imperative that JOHNSON become President in order to maintain a world balance.

in April; 1964. He further advised he has distributed 85 copies of the above-mentioned document to various newspapers.

The following is a physical description of as obtained by observation and interrogation:

Name
Address
Race
Sex
Nationality
Marital Status
Born

Height Weight Hair Eyes White
Male
American
Single

1899 in
Minnesota
5 feet 6 inches
135 pounds
Brown (graying)
Blue

Mr. JELBART NEEL was interviewed at Tucson, Arizona, on March 10, 1964 and furnished the following information:

Mr. NEEL, Owner of Gem of the Desert Trailer Court, 1031 Benson Highway Tucson, advised that has resided since November 24, 1963. He also stayed for the winter season of 1962-63 at

and the only time he leaves the area is to purchase groceries. He sends letters which he writes to people all over the country. Mr. NEEL explained the letters are prepared from quotations from the Bible and he works out the text of the letters by using a deck of playing cards.

Was well versed on the Bible.

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BY COURIER SERVICE

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Honorable J. Lee Rankin General Counsel The President's Commission 200 Maryland Avenue, Northeast Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

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Enclosed are two copies of a memorandum received x from our Phoenix, Arizona, Office. This memorandum contains results of interviews with and Mr. Jelbart Neel owner of Gem of the Desert Trailer Court Tucson. Arizona, where admitted he was the author of "Chapter 18.

Manuscript 18. The Murder of President Kennedy. The Assassination of President Kennedy," a transcript of which is included.

In view of the nature of the information contained in this communication, no further action is anticipated by the FBI unless specifically requested by you.

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