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Note - See Adignon P. 3 We Testimony 7 H 434-35 44500 5 Items
Review

Early Evidence #2

NOTES W/ DRAIN AND THE SHIFTING OF THE EVIDENCE PACKAGE

DOCUMENT #1 DRAIN'S LENGTHY REPORT FOUND IN 105-82555-505 (Section 17). 11/26/'63 P. 159-165

High points of HIS REPORT:

Fact: ~~Fact:~~
Adignon
Evidence was
4-5 hundred
Items

- P. 1 LEAVES THE IMPRESSION THAT THE ITEMS HE TOOK TO WDC ON 11/23 THAT WERE FLOWN ABOARD A US AF C-135 TANKER THAT FKEW OUT OF CARSWELL AF BASE (Ft Worth) AND ARRIVED IN WDC AT 6:30 A.M. AFTER LEAVING DALLAS AT 3:10 A.M. HE SAYS HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY SS AGENT WINSTON LAWSON (P. 160)
- ITEMS HE LISTS ARE JUST TEN THAT WOULD BE THE KEY ITEMS CONVICTING OSWALD.
- ITEM 3 ~~9~~ ONE BULLET RECOVERED FROM TIPPIT'S BODY.

**** P. 160 HE SAYS THAT HE RETURNED THESE ITEMS TO DALLS POLICE CHIEF CURRY ON 11/24 - THAT IS, OF THE 10 LISTED ITEMS OF EVIDENCE.

P. 162 HE NOTES THAT ON 11/23 BULAB FURNISHED TO CURRY THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT WHAT INFO IT HAD ABOUT THE EVIDENCE.

NOTE: DRAIN NEVER QUESTIONED BY WC

A MYSTERY OF SORTS:

NOTED ON P. 162 DRAIN LISTS Q6 AND Q7 AS TWO OF THE SPENT CARTRIDGES (CASES) FROM TSBD.**** Only TWO**** THIS WAS A DRAIN REPORT 11/29 IN WHICH HE STATES THAT A THIRD CARTRIDGE CASE WAS

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DELIVERED TO HIM FROM LT DAY. THIS CASE WITH OTHER STUFF WERE DELIVERED BY DRAIN TO BULAB ON 11/27/'63 P. 181 OF 105-82555-505 (S. 22)

P. 168 OF 105-82555-505 (S. 21) NOTES BY COMMUNICATION 11/27 BUREAU THAT THE THIRD EMPTY CARTRIDGE CASE FOUND/ NO FINGERPRINTS ON THIS ONE. NOTHING TO EXPLAIN WHO FOUND THIS OR WHERE IT WAS THE PAST 5 DAYS.

FINAL PIECE: ON JUNE 9, 1964 WILL FRITZ EXECUTED AN AFFIDAVIT TO THE EFFECT THAT 3 SPENT HULLS WERE FOUND UNDER THE WINDOW SE CORNER OF TSBD ON AFTER NOON OF 11/22/1963. THYE WERE NOT MOVED UNTIL LT. DAY TOOK A PICTURE. ---WC 7H P. 403

THIS SQUARES WITH DALLAS PAPER THAT NOTED THE 3 HULL ON 11/23. BUT STILL THESE IS NO EXPLANATION OF WHERE THIS THIRD CASING WAS FOR 5 DAYS.

Notes supporting LBJ/HOOVER DISCUSSION(S) ON 11/22 LED TO LBJ ORDERING DALLAS POLICE TO TURN ALL EVIDENCE OVER TO THE FBI.

@1A DRAIN'S ACCOUNT FROM "NO MORE SILENCE" P. 249

@ SEE BELMONT TO TOLSON 11/22 62-109060-1431 NOTES LBJ TALKED TO HOOVER AND WANTS FBI TO SOLVE CASE ASAP. FIND IN #14 FILE 17 TD. CITED IN CHRONOLOGY SHEET FOR 11/22 & 11/23

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@ 1B CURRY WC TESTIMONY (I NEED DATE) FOUND IN 4H 194-195. KEY HERE: DULLES ASKS CURRY: "THERE WAS NO AGENT OF DALLAS POLICE WHO WENT TO WASHINGTON WITH THE EVIDENCE?"

only SS agent Lawson went w/ DRAIN

CURRY: NOT TO MY KNOWLEDGE.

DRAIN ONLY TOOK SS AGENT WINSTRON LAWSON/NO DALLAS POLICE OFFICERS. CHAIN OF POSSESSION BROKEN WAS WHAT WENT THROUGH DULLES' MIND.

CURRY SPEAKS VOLUMES ABOUT PRESSURE FROM WASHINGTON. . . TO GET DALLAS TO SURRENDER ALL EVIDENCE TO FBI.

SEE HOW DULLES BREAKS OFF THE QUESTIONING FOR LUNCH. . . AND WHEN THEY RETURN THE SUBJECT WAS DROPPED. CURRY SAYS THAT DALLAS NEVER GOT ANY OF THE EVIDENCE RETURNED. ALL DALLAS GOT WERE FBI PHOTOS OF THE EVIDENCE. DIDN'T DALLAS POLICE TAKE THEIR OWN PICS. SEE SAVAGE BOOK ON "DAY ONE EVIDENCE."

Note: 'Kovler' not present

1C JAMES CADIGAN'S 4/30/1964 WC TESTIMONY 7H 434-435 HE NOTES THERE WAS 400 TO 500 ITEMS MAKING UP THE EVIDENCE PACKAGE THAT ARRIVED AT BULAB ON 11/23. CHECK W/ ARMSTRONG ON HIS DELETED WC TESTIMONY/ ALSO SEE BLUNT'S COPY OF HIS TESTIMONY.

1D DALLAS POLICE RECORDS OF ALL OSWALD STUFF TAKEN ON 11/22 AND 11/23. . .WANT TO IDENTIFY BY STOVALL, ETC AS CITED IN WC EXHIBITS. MAKES CLEAR THAT BULK OF MATERIAL WAS COLLECTED ON 11/22