Man in Doorway

Re: Writing Strategies (Chpt).

Depending on where this chpt is located in my ms: MM is key to My MS.

I can use here (or refer to if used prior) to key FBI docs exonerating Oswald as shooter of the president. . . .

This Formand.

Also this may be the place to introduce all the evidence that supports Oswald in front of the TSBD when shooting started. (Carolyn Arnold, black workers Oswald saw in lunchroom on first floor, Bonnie Williams on 6th floor, BOT account of newsmen who Oswald directed to phone, Verb has name of O'Neill,

P. 2 Notes Wash Post 11/23 had story on Dallas w/ Altgens pix. . .

Don't forget it was Dallas PD/DA office who put Oswald in frame... not FBI as I cite here... 11/22 Hoover tells LBJ that evidence against Oswald was not "very,very, strong." ... (includes the physical evidence... listed. Add to this the Altgens photo... which had to look like Oswald on 11/23....Why the FBI avoided any contact with Altgens like he was a poisonous snake... *** Note is this the time to introduce the results of the paraffin tests (see my files) plus the Key Doc. of Belmont to Tolson in 9/'64... and the Bronson shots that the Dallas FBI were probably told to dismiss... (exonerates Oswald).....The single-lone nut explanation of Dallas was in jeopardy...****

Note the reference to Mike Shapiro [pp. 2-3](Dallas TV station manager). He knew Altgens was living in Dallas. . . on 11/25 he showed FBI an enlargement of the Altgen's picture. . . Notes that FBI agents impressed with pix of man in doorway looked like Oswald . . . (my citation on p. 3)*** use this .. Explains why FBI avoided any contact with Altgens. . .

Note: Here in the chpt. I want to use Verb on early statements made by Frazier, Lovelady, and Shelley initially that has Lovelady sitting in front of Shelly on the right hand side of the steps to the TSBD....sitting eating his lunch when the shooting started...

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Support for Oswald: witness comments from Carolyn Arnold, Bonnie Ray Williams, Pierce Allman, Terrance Ford. and O'Neill (check w/ Weisberg on this) . . . and Victoria Adams. . . Her testimony, if needed, is on pp 5-6. I show in my chapter that Lovelady and Shelly's original statements to the FBI were consistent with Adams. . . . then changed to refute Adams's account. . . . I have this on pp. 6-7. Point here is all of this consistent with the FBI's efforts to assure that Lovelady was the Man in the Doorway. . . . otherwise the case against Oswald as sole assassin is in the toilet. . .

P. 7ff in MM deals with Carolyn Arnold's testimony. . She her later response to

p. 9ff of MM deals with Harris and Krakower and Rankin and WC...Notes that WC knew about Altgens' pix & it was a topic of the Feb 24th WC session . . .See foot note 16... as Altgens pix compels WC attention . . . P 10 MM and fn 16... read carefully for more ammunition of FBI fiddling with Lovelady issue. . . See esp. note 17 on what Lovelady was wearing on 11/22... .It was not the shirt of the man in the doorway. . .Note when FBI took photo of Lovelady he was not asked to wear the shirt he was wearing on 11/22... This shot took place on 11/23... Note that Oswald was never asked to look at the Altgens film or asked if he was in that picture. .. on 11/23 or 11/22 when he was questioned....11/22 he was questioned for 12 hours...

p. 11 of MM I make a point or two about what FBI could have had Oswald pose in the doorway with the same shirt he wore on 11/22 and have Altgens snap a pix. . . I make a good point that this issue like the Tague missed shot was a sensitive issue to avoid. . .

pp. 11-12 ff pressure that forced the the FBI to locate Altgens and question him . . .The interview took place on June 2, 1964 Man in Doorway, P. 3

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See p. 13 Where I note that Hoover's transparent pretense for failure to contact Altgens was ok with Rankin as he conspired with the Director for 6 months to avoid Altgens. . . See my note 22 for citation . .

See esp. note 23 MM on how Altgens treated like a non-person. . .

PP MM 14-15 on Liebeler interview of Altgens. . . . make believe interview. .. May want to reduce this to a footnote. . . It does make a point. . .

P 12 MM FBI forced to locate and question Altgens FBI had to throw aside its failure to locate Altgens. . .

PP 14-15 Altgens position vis-à-vis the limo when JFK was shot. . . I have indication that a shot or shots came from the front of the limo . .

P 15-16 MM I have section on the FBI's failure to interview all but one of the 18 DPD bike jockeys. . .Explanation by Malley same old FBI shit.. . if they had info they should have contacted the FBI. . .same throw away argument used with Altgens. . .

See especially Jackson's account. . . .He has Connally hit by a separate shot. . . and JFK hit "just above the right ear" suggesting that shot came from the grassy knoll . . . finish up with how the FBI got around to seeing Jackson's notes. . . and did not want a copy. . . See esp. P 17 MM on Jackson's observations . . .they square with Altgens, Hargis and Martin's observations of shot from the front. . . Connally hit be a separate bullet. . . PP. 17/18 for Chaney's report in Houston Chronicle but no cite. . . .11/23/'63. . . .

Reserve for footnote??? See my note 32 on p. 18 for WC blowing off the testimony of Hargis, Chaney, Martin, and Jackson . . .Also see how Liebeler blew off Altgens when Altgens was questioned 6 months after the assassination P. 18MM-19MM deals with the way WC dismissed AltgensThe WC citing