

Chronology for Oswald/Lovelady Dispute

11/22 FBI interview with all TSBD employees includes LL.

11/23 FBI interview with Lovelady. Showed him Altgen's photo.

11/23 The WP carried a full blown-up copy of the Altgen's pix on the front page. It took up half of the front page. (Did it carry Altgen's credit?) PW p. 67. See Bonefede article where LL is quoted as saying FBI interview on 11/23 where he was shown the Altgens picture.

11/25 M. Shapiro of WFAA-TV Dallas showed Dallas FBI an enlarged pix taken by Altgen FBI Dallas interviews LL, Shelley, Truly w/ Altgens pix. All say it is LL not Oswald.

12/14/1963 Saturday Evening Post full exposure of the Altgens picture

2/24/1964 Jones Harris and lawyer Krackower mtg. with WC with blow-up of the Altgens picture. This prompted

Hoover orders FBI to get pixs of Lovelady. Pictures are taken on 2/29. Lovelady is interviewed again. Permission that FBI photograph him. In there pixs is he wearing the shirt he was wearing on 11/22?

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3/3/1964 FBI memo explains that figure is LL. This is the first time the Fbi mentioned the Altgens' picture but still does not mention his name. Confirmation that pix if LL from Shelley and others.

Altgens interviewed on 6/2/1964 Pt. took FBI all this time to find Altgens!!!!!! May Maggie Daly piece in Chicago paper. Why Altgens not questioned by WC or FBI

(Notice: Several docs. on Maggie Daly. A burr under the FBI's saddle)

5/24/1964 D. Bonefed piece in NY Herald Tribune. Deal with Jones Harris role in this. Also early effort by Beckman in April to get pix of LL. LL complains to FBI re: harassment. Also check Trask re: Altgens efforts to get pix of LL and was refused at first.

May events are factors forcing FBI to interview Altgens. Pt. Media pressure forces FBI to seek out Altgens (and WC the same)

Hoover to Rankin 6/1 send along the Bonefede piece. First time FBI uses Altgens name.

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NOTES FOR OSWALD/LOVELADY

- DID SHELLY SAY THAT LOVELADY WAS SITTING DOWN ON DEPOSITORY FRONT STEPS EATING HIS LUNCH WHEN THE MOTORCADE PASSED OR JUST BEFORE THE MOTORCADE PASSED?
 - CHECK WITH LOVELADY/OSWALD CHPT. , OR SHELLY'S WC TESTIMONY, OR GARAGE FILES.

(a) CHECK ON MOLINA'S WC TESTIMONY HE WAS NEVER ASKED IF HE SAW OSWALD. ACCORDING TO HAL'S CHART HE WAS STANDING NEXT TO HIM ON STEPS. MOLINA WAS FIRED FROM THE TSBD IN DECEMBER (SAYS HAL). WAS HE EVER QUESTIONED BY THE WC OR THE FBI?

@ HAL MENTIONED JONES AS POSSIBLE WITNESS. SAYS HE LIVED IN DALLAS. IS HE STILL THERE. CAN HE BE REACHED.

ⓐ WHEN DID FBI HAVE THE ALTGENS PICTURE....WHEN DID IT APPEAR IN THE DALLAS NEWSPAPERS. PROBABLY ON 11/23. NEED TO CHECK ON THIS BECAUSE ONCE IT APPEARED THE FBI MUST HAVE GOTTEN A COPY.

NOTE: JONES HARRIS NOTED OR IT WAS NOTED W/ HIM AS SOURCE THAT RANKIN HAD A BLOWN UP PICTURE OF ALTGENS SHOT IN HIS OFFICE. SHOULD BE IN THE O/L CHAPTER OR NOTES