S. Meagher Correspondence

Re: David Lifton (1968-1969

DL to SM, 1/1/'68

Re: Letter praise for AAF. Praise for her tearing apart

the WCR.

Lifton raises three areas where he should have ben credited in the book and was not.

Check: Does Meagher dedicate the book to Oswald?

SM to DL, 1/5/'68

M responds to charges of non-crediting. She wanted to be careful here and did a first draft of this letter. Copies are in folder. She defends her control over the book. She also notes that in his Jan. 2, 1967 letter Lifton termed her "malicious," a "screaming, shrieking woman," and untrustworthy. [Need to check back to see if this letter is in folder].

I believe that this tirade brought their correspondence to an end for over a year. Now that her book was out Lifton apparantly wanted back into her good graces.

SM to DL 3/5/'68

Re: DL mentioned that the SM 1/5/'68 letter was the first he received from her in over a year!

In this letter SM shares her disdain for the Garrison case—the Garrison "vaudeville" in New Orleans.

SM to DL, 5/4/'68

Re: three-page letter in which she takes off on the Garrison monstrosity of a trial. Excellent characterization of the NO DA. Discussion of K. Thornley and his frameup. *** She mentions all those she has broken w/ over the Garrison case who were part of the "little circle" of WCR dissenters (including Weisberg). Once again, appears as though the Garrison case exploded like a bomb in the midst of this "litte circle." In addition to attacks from defenders of the Establishment myth there was this endless internecine/fratericidial warfare going on.