

Russell's dissent for the phony Ex. Sess. of 9.16.64. Russell concerned about intelligence that only the CIA could have provided and did not. o wit, LHO's contacts w/ Cuban students who were in university in Minsk at the time Oswald was working in Minsk. This and other reasons force Russell to dissent from the conclusion that LHO was the sole assassin. More importantly Russell dissents from the single-bullet theory.

Three page Russell letter to LBJ 2.24.64 in which Russell wants to resign from the WC. Note his dislike of Warren (as related to the '54 Brown case).

More from Russell archives at U. of Georgia. Some in response to HW's revelation that there was no special session of WC as Russell asked for.

Oral interview w/ Senator Cooper. Cooper speaks about Russell's doubts about the single bullet theory as well as his own reservations.

Cooper letter to a Ed. T. Johnston 2.9.78 in which Cooper says flatly that he opposed the single bullet theory. Other Cooper letters in this collection. Do these come from the Cooper archives at Un. of Kentucky?

Docs. on leaks. The first is a UP story on 12.3.63 summarizing the conclusions of CD-1. Since neither the JD and certainly not the WC had seen C-1 the only source of the leak could have been the FBI. This despite Hoover's disclaimer and shocked surprise!!!! This was certainly true of the O'Leary story on 12.5.63. O'Leary was a favorite FBI "cooperative" reporter.

Docs. relevant to the January 24th mtg. FBI did not investigate the story about Oswald as an FBI informer, etc. but did investigate the Texas boys and their meeting with Rankin & Warren on the secret January 24 the meeting.

Section of docs. w/ large clip deals with the "dirty rumor" business. Needs to be checked for proper chronological order before reviewed. One point that stands out is that Wade during the Jan. 24th mtg. laid out what the WC would have to do if it wanted more than just Hoover's affidavit about LHO as an FBI informer. This was a course of action that the WC never took. The Rankin letter to Hoover on Feb. 7. 1964 is a good one.

Copy of CIA #57 file/ Oswald & Mexico

Section on CIA docs. dealing with Oswald. Clearly these present a picture of only a few documents held by the agency. They stress that the 201 files was established because of CIA interest in defectors which might be true. These are worth careful scrutiny. Section on FBI on Nosenko and the CIA's Mexico Station/Mann nonsense. Sense that this was the FBI's finest hour in this whole hour.