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Dear Tom,

Good to hear from you last night...I located the information you requested...You will recall that Ray Marcus testified before the grand jury on 5/12/67...I know that he had with him the Moorman photograph "kit" and he told me subsequently that Garrison and his staff had been very excited about the images, and that they had never seen the Moorman photo before.

Ten days later, on 5/22/67, Garrison was interviewed on WWL-TV in New Orleans. The New York Post of that date, on page 6, published a story headlined DUBANS KILLED JFK, SAYS DA GARRISON. Here is an excerpt in which direct quotes from Garrison appear:

"The point is," Garrison said yesterday in an interview on WWL-TV in New Orleans, "the Warren Commission said nobody was back there (behind the grassy knoll) and they had to say nobody was back there because not enough evidence was presented for them to make any other conclusions. We have learned what happened. We have even located photographs in which we have found the men behind the grassy knoll and stonewall before they dropped completely out of sight. There were five of them, three behind the stone wall and two behind the grassy knoll. They were former employees of the CIA. We managed to get the names of some of them in a way I can't describe here, but we cannot find out through any government agency where they are located now...and we have a stone wall there as far as the identification of the other individuals. But I can say the rest of them are Cubans who were training in New Orleans." He said the CIA "began its criminal activities, in my judgment, immediately after the assassination when they failed to reveal to the FBI in its entirety what its activities were in New Orleans when Lee Oswald was working for it and its compounded them since by essentially criminal activities by making every possible effort to (word omitted here by NY Post) our investigation." (End of story, page 6 column 2)

Tom, I'd love to have a copy of the press release you mentioned on the phone last night (denouncing the temporary restraining order), if you can manage to mail me a copy. In fact, copies of all the press releases Garrison issued on his investigation of the assassination, if that is at all possible. Best,

As ever,