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Under date of December 11, 1963, the FBI Laboratory advised as follows concerning document - fingerprint examination requested by the Dallas Office under date of December 5, 1963:

"Specimens received 12/9/63

"Q232 Envelope addressed to Lee Harvey Oswald, Mail Office, Dallas, Texas, U.S.A., postmarked La Habana, Cuba, November 23; 9:30 a.m., 1963

"Q233 Typewritten letter headed La Habana, 10 de Noviembre, 1963, addressed to Lee Harvey Oswald, Mail Office, Dallas, Texas, U.S.A., bearing salutation of Amigo Lee and ending 'Siempre sincerely, Pedro Charles' signed 'Peter'

"Specimens available in Bureau

"Q234 Envelope addressed to Mr. Roberto Kennody, Secretary of Justice, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C., U.S.A., postmarked on reverse side Habana, Cuba, Nov. 23 9:30 AM, 1963

"Q235 Typewritten letter headed La Habana, 27 de Noviembre, 1963, addressed Mr. Robert Kennedy, Secretary of Justicia, Washington, D. C., bearing on reverse side the handwritten and typewritten signature 'Mario del Rosario Molina'

"Result of examination:

"It was concluded that specimens Q232 through Q235 were prepared on the same typewriter. This machine is equipped with Remington Number 10 large pica type, first used on standard correspondence machines in October, 1935. This typewriting was not identified in the Anonymous Letter File. Appropriate photographs will be added to this file.

"It was concluded that the envelopes, Q232 and Q234, came from the same source. These envelopes have a yellowish tinge indicating they are from an old batch. It was noted that the postmark on the reverse side of both envelopes is the same and that the '9:30 A.M.' portion of the postmark is upside down on both envelopes. Furthermore, both envelopes have

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"an illegible postmark on the face of the envelopes of which only the '1963' is legible. In addition, it was noted that the same kind of three-cent stamp was found on both envelopes.

"Q233 measures 8.38" x 12.95" x 0.0020" (manifold paper). Q235 measures 8.30" x 12.89" x 0.0042" (bond paper). No watermarks or other significant characteristics were noted which would indicate the source of the paper or envelopes, Q232 through Q235.

"It was found that the same type of pen and ink were used to prepare the signatures on Q233 and Q235. These signatures are limited in nature and are not comparable with each other. Hence, it could not be determined if both signatures were written by the same individual.

"No indented handwriting was found on Q232 through Q235. No microdots were found on Q232 through Q235.

"It was concluded that the envelopes, Q232 and Q234, had been previously opened and resealed.

"No latent prints of value were found on Q232 through Q235."

SEE ALSO -

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CD 205, PP. 183-5
(TEXT OF PEDRO CHARLES LETTER)
CF 2763 (26H 148)
(HOOVER TO STATE, 12/12/63 -
"ATTEMPTED HOAX")
SCOTT IN "THE ASSASSINATIONS,"
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