

File - Schoener

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Dear Gary,

Thanks for your letter of the 27th and the interesting enclosures on the matter of Barbara Brookey. I shall be interested to learn of further developments in your attempt to obtain her color slides; but even if nothing more comes of your investigation, you have demonstrated still another example of the shady methodology practiced by the FBI and of its withholding of evidence which is potentially significant.

I have just sent a check for a set of Fred Newcomb's slides and look forward to examining them. Assuming the technical validity of his analysis--which I found entirely persuasive, as presented in the San Diego committee's newsletter--it would serve to explain the discrepancy in the measurements of the rifle as compared to the height of "Oswald" which I set forth in Accessories.

About William Worthy: I know of him only as a reporter who (as I recall) had his passport revoked for travel to Cuba or some other prohibited country, quite a few years ago (the early 60's, I think). I am surprised and pleased that he knows of me, but it must be from reading my articles or book--I have never met him or heard from him. Or perhaps Eric Norden, who is very interested in the Malcolm X assassination, mentioned me to Worthy. (I have only a telephone acquaintance with Norden but have not heard from him for about a year.)

I am sorry that I cannot help you with respect to back issues of The Minority of One (TMO). As you have already heard, publication was suspended with the November 1968 issue--very likely, permanently suspended, although it is not yet absolutely clear. I have no idea how the editor, Arnoni, disposed of his stocks of back issues or of the bound volumes. Apparently he made too clean a sweep and found himself without the bound volume for 1964, which he proceeded to appropriate from me. I do remember his mentioning about a year ago that some microfilm outfit had decided to include TMO in its program, to be made available to universities and other public institutions. Have you checked the U of M Library?

All the best,

Sincerely yours,

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