

Summary of 1976 Archives Release
Of Warren Commission Documents

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- files Commission Documents: 181, 190, 212, 218, 227, 258, 433, 445A, B, and C, 449 and 449A-I, 470, 489 and 489 B and C, 499 and 499A and B, 504, 505, 506, 508, 599, 600, 601, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621.
- CD 181 pp.ruc, 2, 3, ?, Report out of Cincinnati on C. P. meeting in W. Va. where assassination is analyzed by members who express views it was work of right-wing conspiracy. Names are deleted but Chairman of Lower Ohio Valley section present, presided over by individual from N.Y. office.
- CD 190 pp.-ruc-, 2 and face page, as in CD 181 info. is furnished by informant on same C.P. chapter meeting. V.T. Lee (name deleted) notes C.B.S. news queried him re: L.H.O. correspondence.
- CD 212 pp. -p- 2 and face page, report of S.A. Wineberg dated 12-17-63 out of Phil. Investigation of Ruth Paine (B.S.L., names deleted) re: her attendance at 1957 Summer session course at Univ. of PA S.A. William S. Betts reports info on Paines membership in Young Friends Service Committee and groups effort to relax tensions between both sides of Iron curtain. Reference is made to pen pal program. Source (possibly Exec. Secy. of Young Friends Movement of Phila. yearly meeting) indicates Oswald got in touch with Paine thru this pen pal program.
- CD 218 pp. -ruc-, 2-4, face page, report on investigation of George Lyman Paine (names deleted). Brief background includes informants remarks with reference to expectation being voiced by G. Paine that son Michael would visit in Summer of '63. Various public record corroborations on background and Appendix on L. A. Local Correspondence also included. (B.S.L. indicates report subject is Michael).
- CD 227 p. -p-, synopsis, neg. record check on Winfred Barnes, John Freeman denies knowledge of L.H.O. or assassination, MMT-1 furnished info. re: Chinese-Cuban plot using Cortes and Feito, Neito denies possessing info. on both, Margaret Moffet admits accusation of Rutherford was false, Orlando Piedra neg. on L.H.O./pp. 2, 3, neg. record check on L.H.O. at Miami Publ. Lib., record check at Mex. Tourist Dept. in Miami on Winfred H. Barnes who was reported on Dec. 2 to be on list of persons entering Mex. thru Nuevo Laredo on Sept. 26. List indicates Barnes from Miami was destined to Monterey with

FM-5 tourist card. No record found for 3 mo. period prior to Sept. 26 for issuance of tourist card to Barnes (apparently unexplained contradiction). Police, credit and phone listings check on 12-11 result in no record of Barnes in Miami area./ pp. 4-6, John Ermil Freeman denies allegations by former fellow inmates at Raiford Prison that he claimed to know L.H.O., predicted assassination in Dallas or possessed hit list for all sherriffs. Admits making speculative remarks./ pp. 7, 8, Miami informant relays info. provided by Western diplomat re: alleged Cuban/Chinese plot in assassination, claims Castro worried and has jailed a dozen Cubans to prevent utterance of indiscretions. Diplomat fears own arrest imminent, names intermediaries in plot as Ramon B. Cortes and Fernandez Feito (F.N.U.) who he claimed were financed thru bank at 14 Wall St., N.Y. Informant adds that Robert Nieto might possess details/ p. 9 Roberto Nieto Diaz-Granados, Cuban born atty. states he arrived in U.S. 1-1-62 and denies knowledge of Ramon Cortes, Fernandez Feito. Shown photo Ramon Buenrostro Cortez and denies recognition. Denies all of informants assertions./pp. 10, 11 informant recontacted and advises no new info. from diplomat. States info. in Alien Reg. file indicates R. B. Cortes is representative of Intercontinental, S.A. and that in '60 as Rep. of Ameco of Texarkana he visited Cuba and stole funds. Further advises that as of Jan. 62 Cortes was Pres. of Transcontinental, S.A. and involved in trans-shipping material from U.S. to Cuba thru Mex. and Cubans charged him, along with Lorenzo Saunders of shipping inferior goods to Cuba, attempted to suppress Cuban action by claiming with Ignacio Hernandez Garcia to hold stock in large Canadian firm./ p. 12 Tamara Roberta Nieto Rodriguez, Cuban refugee contacted and denies ever being known as Roberta or knowledge of Cortez or Fernandez Feito./p. 13. Mrs. J. W. "Margaret" Moffit admits accusation of Rutherford made to Douglas, Ariz. police was fabrication/ p. 14, Orlando Piedra, former chief of Bureau of Investigations of Cuban National Police states he was partner in Hispano American Discount House with Joseph B. Namer at 117 Camp St. N.O. and suggests that reason L.H.O. had that address was in connection with activities against anti-Castro exiles. Denies personal knowledge of L.H.O., gives Namer's address and says Cuban atty. named Cusco has info. L.H.O. attempted to buy trucks for Castro./p. 15, Appendix on F.P.C.C.

CD 258 pp. -ruc-, 2-4, face page, identical to CD 218, same deletions.

CD 433 2 page Hoover to Rankin letter of 2-26-64 re: F.B.I. coverage of Mark Lane and Marguerite Oswald. Statement that F.B.I. does not maintain physical surveillances on either and will not unless requested/12 page letterhead memo on 2-18-64 meeting at N.Y. Town Hall/4 page letterhead memo on Lane

appearance at U. of Wisc. on 2-16-64 (both these memos are punctuated with Appendices on left-wing organizations)/ 60 page transcript of Town Hall Meeting.

- CD 445 a, b, and c, 35 pp. surveillances and summaries of Mark Lane public appearances, punctuated with appendices on left-wing organizations.
- CD 449 Hoover cover letter of 3-5-64 re: Willard Hotel records of Marina Oswald, James Martin and John Thorne/449A thru I, 19 pp. of Willard Hotel records and check receipts.
- CD 470 p. -p- Gemberling cover letter of 2-22-64 re: Marina Oswald dismissal of Martin and Thorne. Reason for dismissal is deleted./p. 1, table of contents covering pp. 2 thru 40./p. 2, informant re: meeting between Robt. Oswald and Atty. McKenzie. Reference to presumed dismissal cause deleted/p. 3, 2-16-64 interview of Martin, dismissal cause deleted. States Kathrine Ford acted as interpreter/p. 4, interview of Marina Oswald on dismissal, regular deletions of cause, states Martin told her of \$60,000 in donations and opened joint account in his name and "Maria Martin" for purpose of avoiding publicity. She states S.S. agent translated contract Martin proposed in early Dec. and advised her not to sign./pp. 5-12, interview of Robt. Oswald on same subject with similar deletions. He indicates S.S. agent introduced Martin to him, describes contract and Thorne striking out word "gifts" in re: to percentage-based fee, quotes Marina as suspecting, describes contract by which he (Robt.) received a percentage, recalls concern over Martin, Thorne lack of performance, states Schaffer and Burke provided neg. info. on them which prompted call to Marina in Wash. and apparently the subsequent dismissal. Carl Schaffer makes referral to Atty. McKenzie who advises firing by reg. mail/pp. 13-15, statement of Vada Oswald on same. What appears is consistent with statement of husband. Much deleted/pp. 16, 18, interview of S.S. agent, name deleted, who reveals S.S. interest in subject/pp. 19-21, Thorne interviewed re: his being retained as atty. and trip to Wash. with Marina and company/p. 22 James Martin declines to be interviewed on advice of his attorneys, Thorne and Leech./pp. 23, 24, 29, Marina Oswald interviewed on same subject. Kathrine Ford is interpreter. Interview is "of a most delicate nature" and atty. McKenzie is present only during part of interview. Note that pp. 25-28 are deleted/p. 29-31 end of Marina's statement./pp. 32-35 Statement of Kathrine Ford, like Marina's there is no new info. and the same deletions occur/pp. 36-38, statement of Delcan Ford, same info. confirms that Schafer referred McKenzie. States he posted letters of dismissal which were not accepted by Thorne's partner, Leech./pp. 39, 40 alphabetical name index.

- CD 489 Hoover 2 page cover letter of 3-13-64 re: surveillance of
B&C Mark Lane appearance in Buffalo on 2-28-64. Included are 3
reels of tape recorded lecture given at Unitarian-Universalist
Church (source deleted), Buffalo office of F.B.I. memo dated
3-6-64 re: arrangements and summary of talk, memo of 3-6-64
from same office re: question and answer period, and two
reels of tape recording of press conference on 2-22-64 at
Statler Hilton. Total number of pages in 489, 489B and
489C is forty-two.
- CD 499 Hoover 2 page cover letter of 3-16-64 re: Mark Lane's Citizen's
A&B Committee of Inquiry. Included are four pages on background
of Deirdre Grisswold, secretary (mostly deleted) and five
pages on background of Robert Gwathmey, treasurer (mostly
deleted).
- CD 504 Title page: Sylvia Ludlow Hyde Hoke
Personnel Research Technician
Placement and Employee Relations Division
Director of Civilian Personnel, Headquarters
Dept. of the Air Force
Washington, D.C.
SECURITY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES
pp. 1-12, results of Sept. '56 investigation in N.Y. Sylvia
Hoke (sister to Ruth Paine) is, along with associates, sub-
jected to investigation as a result of informants furnishing
tel. record of contact with Dorothy H. Wilson of New York.
Wilson, a member of North Beach Branch of Communist Party
subscribes to "Daily Peoples World". Info. provided in this
report is" biographical data on Hoke, voter registration
record of Wilson, addresses, employment and political
affiliations of Wilson. In August of '42 Wilson was employed
at Ft. Mason in San Francisco. Contact with one Isidore
Gibby Needleman, atty. for the registered Russian Trade
Agency in U.S., is noted in October of '55. Large sections
are deleted. Hoke is presently employed in Helen Hoke
Associates of N.Y., a publishing and media business. Sylvia
Hoke's former employers give info., including Time Inc.,
(personnel division) where she listed Gerret E. Fielstra as
person to contact in an emergency. Fielstra was an alleged
Communist organizer in N.Y.C. Public Library. Certificate of
Incorporation for Helen Hoke Associates shows directors
include Helen Hoke and Dorothy Wilson and that the business
engages in any and all forms of publication, dissemination
and production of print and film media.
- CD 505 face page, same as CD 504, Hoke investigation 9-24-56 in
Cincinnati./pp. 1-12, Mrs. Wm. A. Hyde (sister-in-law to
Sylvia Hoke, Ruth Paine) is reported to have admitted

Communist Party membership to neighbors. Husband is employed at Farm Bureau Co-Operative. Antioch professors interviewed, vouch for loyalty and respectability, familiar with husband of employee (Sylvia Hoke) and brother Carl Hyde who both attended Antioch. Carl Hyde is a physician. Neighbors of Hyde family interviewed, complain of their entertaining people of different races in home. Unsubstantiated allegations of Communist ties to such organizations as Consumers Co-op and Nationwide Insurance Co. of the Farm Bureau are made. Carol Hyde states to be involved in '54 in "Women's International League for Peace and Freedom." F.B.I. informants in Columbus area have nothing on any member of the family in regard to Communist Party activities.

- CD 506 face page, same Hoke investigation 9-24-56 in Seattle./p. 1 re: Dorothy Seligson, nee Dorothy Wilson, confidential informant advises Dorothy and husband Lou Seligson residing during period (deleted) in N.Y. and not attending C.P. meetings because Lou Seligson, born in Argentina was subject of I.N.S. investigation.
- CD 508 face page, same Hoke investigation 2-26-57, in N.Y./ p. 1, informant states Dorothy Wilson advised in '57 that Helen Hoke was turning over most of the business to Wilson, that Hoke wanted only business expenses and place to make luncheon dates. Informant quotes Hoke as advising she has son John who works for AAA. in Washington, D.C. and whose wife works in "Navy Intelligence", that Hokes wife was upgraded from a semi-secret position to a secret position and authorities had informed her that she could not have this top secret position as a result of her association with Wilson. Wilson had also said that if Hoke could not be "cleared" for this position she would not be fit to hold present position. Faced with dismissal, Hoke was leaving in February anyway as she was expecting a child. Info. on Helen Hoke Watts' relationship to John L. Hoke set forth in a previous report on this matter.
- CD 599 A&B&C One page Hoover cover letter of 3-20-64 re: statement of Vada Oswald on attempt of L.H.O. to assassinate Nixon./599A, 4 type written pages of Vada Oswalds statement of 2-24-64, much deleted, that present bears on Marina and Thorne's dispute./599A, 5 handwritten pages of same/599B, 1 type-written page of Vada's 3-15-64 statement of third person hearsay info. on L.H.O. attempt on Nixon. Nothing new./599B 2 hand-written pages of same.
- CD 600 pp. -P- thru 11, late 1953 internal security investigation of George Lyman Paine Jr., includes background on left-wing groups in L.A. area. These include the Johnson-Forest group and S.W.P.

- CD 601 pp. -P- thru 19, late 1955 investigation of George Lyman Paine, Jr., includes same background info. on L.A. area left-wing organizations. Reference is made to an alias. This series of investigations on the Paines (up to CD 621) has all names deleted. As with most of the documents released in the 1975 review deleted names are identifiable by referring to the basic source materials list. (B.S.L.) Throughout these investigations most material is repetitive. The character is of a regular F.B.I. internal security investigative follow-up on left-wing political activists. Synopsis of the follow-up will include dates of investigations, subject, and any new material available therein.
- CD 603 pp. -P- thru 13, May '56. Same internal security investigation, includes reference to G. Paine travel to England in Feb. '56 to meet with leader of JF-JFG residing there. Deletor misses Paines name on page 2. Reference to alias on page 4. Details of European travel and meetings are as extensive and thorough as domestic including same coverage of British speech by Paine as his report upon returning.
- CD 604 pp. -P- thru 10, Dec '56. Same type investigation. Notes that G. Paine is now national leader of J.F.-J.F.G. and he and wife are close with international leader of group. Paines donate own funds for groups support of British Unit. Amount varies up to \$108 per week which is described as being derived from a \$20,000 inheritance.
- CD 605 pp. -P- 8, June '57. Same investigation. Revealed that G. Paine is reported owner of Correspondence Publishing Co. of Detroit as of July '54 according to Certificate No. 55129.
- CD 606 pp. -P- 8, Dec. '57 Same. Paine elected co-chairman of Johnson Faction-Johnson Forest Group at National Convention held in Detroit. As of Sept. '57 it was reported G. Paine and wife had sent up to \$6,000 to British Unit. (B.U.).
- CD 607 pp. -P- 4, Aug. '58. Same. Paines new contributing \$75. per mo., during May meeting it was voted to allow Paine relief from local responsibilities so as to attend to leadership. Also in May publication "Manifesto" now called "Facing Reality" came off the press.
- CD 608 pp. -P- 4, Feb. '59. Same. G. Paine.
- CD 609 pp. -P- 5, July '59. Same. G. Paine.
- CD 610 pp. -P- 4, Dec. '59. Same. G. Paine.
- CD 611 pp. -C- 5, June '60. Same except Geo. Paine no longer held position of leadership.

- CD 612 pp. -C- 4, June '61. Same except Geo. Paine now considered a member on leave of absence.
- CD 613 pp. -C- 10, June '62. Same except meetings now held in Paine residence and part played by Paine in the split of their small group is put forth. This could be summarized as a move from traditional Marxist ideology to socialism.
- CD 614 pp. -C- 4, June '63, Same.
- CD 615 pp. -P- 7, Oct. '53, Frances Drake Paine AKA Freddy Paine, AKA Anna, wife of George Lyman Paine, Jr. (B.S.L.) member of Workers Party from '42 to '45. Deletor slips on p. 2, listing "Paines" and informant refers to them as "the brains behind J.F.G. in the L.A. area". F. Paine is indicated to have at once had tuberculosis and continuing lung problems. Background of F. Paine set forth. Usual format of meetings attended and participation in such continue this portion of the Paine series of documents.
- CD 616 pp. -P- 16, July '55. Same, with details of involvement as "Correspondence" editor and local leader.
- CD 617 pp. -P- 12, Dec. '55. Same. Listed are the various names by which the Los Angeles Local-Johnson Forest Group is alleged to have used to conceal its true identity: Organization, Correspondence Committee, Correspondence, Correspondence Club, Johnsonites, Johnson Forestites, and Johnson Forest Tendency.
- CD 618 pp. -P- 13, July '56. Same. Remark quoted at meeting that members were using aliases on political documents and letters. One of Paines (unclear due to name deletions) discusses at meeting policy change. Here, p. 8, deletor misses name "Lang" who relates change in Policy decided at National Plenum to the effect that "Correspondence" no longer considers itself to be in the forefront of the revolution, in other words J.F.-J.F.G. would not lead a revolution.
- CD 619 pp. -P- 9, Jan. '57. Same. F. Paine is selected to take over duties of Chairman of L.A. local, and was member of B.U. as of Oct. '56. Reference to new alias (Anna B.S.L.)
- CD 620 pp. -P- 8, Aug. '57. Same. F. Paine considered to be among top 5 national leaders and resigned as local chairman.
- CD 621 pp. -C- 7, Feb. '58. Same. F. Paine attends National Convention in Detroit.

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NUMBERED DOCUMENTS F.B.I.
CD 622-1555

- files Commission Documents: 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 653, 664, 694, 729, 763 and 763A, 788, 794 and 794A, 801, 808, 874, 894, 895, 908, 933, and 933A, B, and C, 1006, 1080, 1084 and 1084A, 1126, 1133, 1138, 1269, 1359, 1380, 1457, 1470 and 1470A, B and C, 1486, 1487, 1522 and 1522A, B and C, 1544 and 1544A, 1555.
- CD 622 pp. -C- thru 7, Frances Drake Paine, more of the series of Commission Documents (600 thru 629) detailing internal security investigations of George Lyman Paine, his wife and their activities with the L.A. Committees of Correspondence, Johnson-Forrest Group faction. Participation of Frances Paine in L.A.L.-J.F.-J.F.G. set forth for 1958. Her position in various activities is reported on a meeting by meeting basis. (i.e. secretary, publications, and contributions. All names in this series are deleted and provided by referring to the Basic Source Listing.(B.S.L.)
- CD 623 pp. -C- thru 7, (Same as above), detailing Francis Paines L.A. Local of Correspondence activities for 1959. During this year she was elected Chairman.
- CD 624 pp. -C- thru 9, (same as above) including primarily 1960 activities. Deletor slips and misses Paine's name in re: to her 1946 or '47 membership in S.W.P. Reference to informants who were members of J.F.G. from 1953 to '55 and L.A.L.C. from 1955 to '60 and furnished info. to F.B.I. all along. Page 9 is an appendix on the Independent Student Union.
- CD 625 pp. -C- thru 5, (same as above) including primarily 1961 activities. On 3-2-62 F. Paine announced she had been in contact with Cubans in an effort to obtain material for "Correspondence". Informant goes into details of factional dispute over F. Paines changing editorial policy toward pacifism.
- CD 626 pp. -C- thru 4, (same as above) poor copy. Includes primarily 1962 activities. Factional split over politics and leadership placed as culminating in February of '62.
- CD 627 pp. -C- thru 3, (same as above). Includes primarily public records checks on background.

- CD 628 pp. -C- thru 10, 1953 Security investigation of Rev. George Lyman Paine made in Boston. Background in clergy, descendent of signer of Declaration of Independence. Paine is described by informant to be an apparent pacifist and socialist. His attendance and contribution to various Communist Front Organizations is noted as is a lack of specific evidence to indicate his membership in C.P. Informant advises Paine signed petition urging release and pardon of imprisoned Communists, signed petition urging Truman to free Smith Act violators and is a subscriber to "New World Review". Usual name and other deletions.
- CD 629 pp. -C- thru 34, Oct. 17, 1963 report on Rev. Geo. Lyman Paine. This is an apparent summary of the Bureau file on Paine. His leftist activities and signing on to various petitions are noted in detail. Pages 17 thru 34 are appendices on left-wing organizations. This report differs in that the only deletions appear to be references to informants. Report spans 1930's thru 1963.
- CD 653 p -P- cover page, p. 2, W. Union record check in Chicago re: 11-23-63 telegram from H. McDermid to L.H.O. in response to plea for legal counsel. Charge billed to NO-7-5703./ p. 3*, informant on Dec. '63 C.P. meeting at which views of case discussed. Bottom reads (Chicago T-1, Jan. 22, 1964.)
- CD 664 pp. 1-3, Apparently neg. W. Union and bank records check for whether L.H.O. sent or received money between 9/26-10/3/63 Report dated 3-9-64, heavily deleted.
- CD 694 pp. 1-7, 3-16-64 report out of Phil. on March 12. Appearance of Mark Lane sponsored by Phil. Friends of the National Guardian, p. 7 is Appendix on sponsor/unnumbered page dated 3-16-64 re: Mark Lane appearance in L.A. during Feb. '64/ unnumbered cover and second page thru p. 4 re: Mark Lane appearance at Amherst Mass. on 3-12-64. Undeleted report gives summary of lecture and question and answer period.
- CD 729 Routing slip and two page Hoover cover letter dated 4-8-64 re: Tremblay allegation of L.H.O. Montreal trip during summer of '63. Reference to Enclosures (3) which are not included. Large section is deleted.
- CD 763 Routing slip, Hoover cover letter re: Mark Lane appearance at Embassy Auditorium in Los Angeles on 3-30-64.
- CD 763A pp. 1-9. six page summary of Lane 3-30-64 appearance with three pages of appendices on left-wing organizations.

- CD 788 Routing slip, Hoover cover letter and nine page report out of Chicago re: Eugene B. Dinkin, dated 4-9-64. Dinkin, U.S. Army, stationed in France is alleged to have predicted assassination based on his perceptions of "psychological sets" contained in Stars and Stripes and Hearst newspapers which indicated a conspiracy between the military and print media to assassinate J.F.K. Two associates corroborate his having pinpointed date. Dinkin assigned to Walter Reed Hospital and discharged. When interviewed he provides list of five individuals for corroboration of prediction. Sounds disordered. No follow up interviews are included.
- CD 794 Two page Hoover cover letter of 4-16-64 re: Elizabeth Catlett Mora (B.S.L.) a C.P. member. Reference by Hoover to L.H.O. obtaining passport one day prior to Marine discharge. Enclosures (2) noted at page bottom.
- CD 794A Three page report on Catletts interest in obtaining press references to L.H.O. activities in N.O. and Mexico. Her concern over how much U.S. authorities know of his C.P. activities prior to travel is noted as is her comment that if something concerning L.H.O. activities appeared in press it could "blow the lid off and we could all get fried." Reference made to "Friendship School" in Moscow and marriage to a Cuban. Much is deleted. Unnamed individual is noted for unauthorized travel to Red China. Catlett, begging illness, unavailable to informant.
- CD 801 Hoover cover letter of 4-17-64 re: two reports and three memoranda on the De Mohrenschildts, enclosures-11 is noted/ second page unnumbered lists same along with penciled notations listing respective C.D. no./-RUC-, 2, 3, is actually D.C. 801, a Chicago report dated 4-1-64 re: Jeanne De Mohrenschildt. Negative results on credit and police records checks under previous known aliases.
- CD 808 -RUC-, 2, 3 Synopsis and two totally deleted pages of report dated 3-25-64 by S.A. Chapman out of Cincinnati. Listing character as internal security -R- Cuba, one line of synopsis page appears: Joseph Losky could furnish no info. on subject. This synopsis appears to cover report on more than one single investigation./p. 4 neg. money order search for payment to L.H.O. thru Miami Deposit Bank in Yellow Springs, Ohio, 1-3-60 thru 1-20-64. This is an apparent check on L.H.O. -Ruth Paine possible transactions./p. 5 Numerical sequence check of same with negative results/pp. 6, 6A totally deleted/p. 7, same bank furnishes money dorder for same period with vice-president stating no record found for payment to L.H.O. or wife and in that they were helped by Ruth Hyde (AKA Paine) formerly of

Yellow Springs, numerous rumors have passed thru community./ p. 8, bank president offers same statement/p. 9, report of review of same money orders with neg. results. Oswald and all aliases checked./p. 10, Eugene Diehl, mgr. of Stewart Ins. Ag. in Yellow prings, states he heard no rumors or made statements re: same and has no knowledge of such money orders./ pp. 11, 12, investigation locates Losky, a barfly in Greyhound Bus Station who telephonically identified as outpatient at Baltimore Univ. Hosp.

- CD 874 pp. 1-7, previously SECRET, Letterhead memo re: L.H.O. all names deleted. Subject is one Charles Small, AKA Charles Smolnikoff, (see Basic Source Listing for CD 1006, also C.E. 2121 pp. 122-125) an American born Communist who operates a tourist type store in Mexico and is one of the more prominent C.P. members. Report indicates that thru an informant it is learned Small is fearful that L.H.O., like many American Communists, may have vivisted his store. He carries with him proof of travel in U.S. during L.H.O. visit. Negative results in effort to determine if bracelet L.H.O. gave to wife was purchased in Small's store or whether L.H.O. attended sports event.
- CD 894 pp. 1-4, Detroit investigation of couple who had visited Mexico for two months and recently returned (4-6-64). Trip included stop in Canada over Easter '64. Couple were two of six witnesses to appear before public hearing into affairs of F.P.C.C. by a sub-committee of the Senate Internal Security Committee. Included is two page Appendix on Detroit F.P.C.C. which is concluded to be defunct. All names deleted.
- CD 895 pp. 1-9, Previously SECRET letterhead memo of 4-10-64 re: Reva Frank Bernstein and husband Joseph Bernstein (B.S.L.) C.P. and F.P.C.C. members with dual citizenship in U.S. and Canada. Reva picks up mail for F.P.C.C. in Canada and was questioned by R.C.M.P. about it after assassination. Informant close to Reva indicates her fear over being questioned and advice of her attourney to avoid newsmen. She indicated all F.P.C.C. members anticipated questioning and had lawyers standing by. Reva is source of rumor that two F.P.C.C. members disappeared. Husband Frank, born N.Y. 1911, resided in Miami from '39 to '54 when he moved to Mexico. While in Miami he was prominent member of C.P. All names are deleted and report is heavily deleted.
- CD 908 One page Hoover cover letter of 5-7-64 responding to W.C. requests of 4-7-64 for further investigation of possible L.H.O. safe deposit box in Irving, Ft. Worth, Dallas, Houston or Laredo, Texas. Hoover indicates his letter of 4-30-64 transmitted results of same and goes on to describe investi-

gation of \$25,000. "Oswald Trust Fund" in Grand Prairie, Texas which was opened 12-5-63 by James Martin and Marina Oswald/2 pp. memo of 5-4-64 out of Dallas re: Oswald Trust Fund, bank records show transfer of \$25,000. to First National Bank of Ft. Worth with Thorne and Martin as Co-trustees on 1-20-64. Additional deposit made of \$1,940.00 on 3-25-64 by cashiers check, deposit being forwarded by Wm. Goodling, Principal, West York area, Joint School System, York, PA.

- CD 933 Hoover cover letter of 5-14-64 re: three communications from field offices concerning Paul V. Carrol of El Paso. Reference to informant deletes four lines/routing slip of Willens to Files.
- CD 933A pp. 1-10, El Paso report of 5-1-64 re: Paul V. Carroll, chairman of the Young Republicans at Univ. of Texas in Austin, appeared at El Paso Office to give his opinion that a conspiracy between Birchers and Nazis to take over Repub. Party in '62 evolved into plan to take over govt. by force. Alleges without substantiation enterprise made up of retired Army personnel. Claimed to be writing a book. Most of report details subjects dealings with field office in relation to his being subpoenaed to appear before Tex. Court of Inquiry. Telephones at 5:30 am on 4-29-64 to advise same and fails to appear for 7:30 am appointment given for interview to discuss his request for advice. Report from editor, E.P. Herald Post, indicates Carroll story "jumbled", apparent publicity seeker attempting to involve Bureau with Inquiry appearance. Carroll eventually denies any knowledge of assassination, or that he was writing book and been bought off. Numerous deletions throughout, including total deletion of pp. 8, 9 could indicate more to story. Location of deletions may indicate Carroll to be an informant, which could also explain his efforts to involve Bureau.
- CD 933B Single cover page dated 5-1-64 out of Dallas. Reference to Carroll's advising of his subpoena, balance deleted.
- CD 933C One page report dated 5-5-64 out of San Antonio detailing interview with Justice of the Peace Curtis Lacy, candidate for Congress, re: his 4-28-64 subpoena of Carroll. Quotes Dan Rather as stating that Carroll is known to have made investigation eleven months ago in El Paso and Mexico regarding a proposed assassination plot and was possibly being paid \$10,000 by Rockefeller Foundation.

- CD 1006 Routing slip of Willens to Slawson/one page Hoover cover letter of 6-2-64 re: three memos concerning Charles Small dated 5-21-64. They are Commission Documents #1006, #1007, #1008 and #1009.
- CD 1080 Letterhead memo of 5-22-64 out of Boston. All names deleted. Basic Source listing gives title as "Marilyn Dorothea Murret" re: information concerning Hardd R. Isaccs. Ref. made to 5-7-64 memo at Wash. Issaccs, research associate at M.I.T. resident of Newton, specialist in Far Eastern Affairs since 1953. Source (apparently Murret), indicates his employment with Center for International Studies is endowed by U.S. Govt. and work takes him on international travel. Issacs gave following info. on himself in 1950: lived in China 1931 to '36, edited weekly english newspaper called "China Forum" which carried Chinese Communist Party line although he was not a C.P. member; eventually denounced C.P. and was vilified as Japanese agent. Later he describes becoming friendly with British journalist expelled from C.P. for Trotskyism who converted him to same in '32 or '33. Admits S.W.P. ties and breaking with Trotskyite movement in 1940. Issacs further indicates "Shanghai Conspiracy" by Willoughby lists him and wife among chart of travel for Comintern Agents, C.P. members and sympathizers. He considers same to be libelous.
- CD 1084 Cover slip and two page Hoover coverletter memo dated 6-10-64. Sections deleted.
- CD 1084A Thirteen page letterhead memo comprised of eleven textual pages and two page list of exhibits. Evidently an early summary of Bureau findings it contains much information on Oswalds background and evidence later disputed.
- CD 1126 Two pages of Seth Kantor toll charges on 11-22-63, charged to Sripps-Howard. Eight calls listed.
- CD 1133 Dallas report of 6-17-64 on three unnumbered pages, identifying originating points of Kantor calls. 748-9711 is City Hall, 351-9072 is a pay station at Love Field, and 631-5050 is Parkland Hospital.
- CD 1138 Two page letterhead memo dated 6-12-64, Dallas and five pages of toll charges to Ruby's home phone WH-1-5601, Eva Grants phone LA-6-6258, and the Vegas Club LA-8-4775 during period of 11/22-24/64. Reference is made to W.C. request of

6-4 to clarify earlier report (11-29), also reference to search for records of possible Ruby call to Ralph Paul at Phils Delicatessan on evening of 11-22. An explanation is provided of telephone searching methods, the process by which the earlier search resulted in discrepancies, and the "proper statement to the F.B.I. should have been that no toll tickets had been located up to the time of the original report to the F.B.I.", noting that numerous toll charges to this number (RI-7-2362) were located and reported subsequently.

CD 1269 Seven page Dallas letterhead memo, dated 6-14-64 re: location of photographs of a bone specimen (Jack C. Harper, M.D.) Info. provided from one Rita McCarty to Atty. Gen. to W.C. results in requested investigation of photographs taken of two pieces of skull found on street near assassination. Paulette Carothers, a photograph processor at Methodist Hospital in Dallas, is interviewed. M. Wayne Bolleter, chief Medical Photographer at same hospital interviewed and states Dr. Jack Harper and Dr. A.B. Cairns requested photo of bone specimen on 11-25-63. Bolleter took two 35 mm color slides of specimen, one slide showing convex view, and the other showing concave view. In addition he took ten black and white 35 mm. pictures of specimen as a matter of record but developed no prints of same. After color slides returned from processing he submitted them to Dr. Harper who advised him to keep info. about specimen in strictest confidence. Bolleter provides black and white film; requesting, per. instruction of Dr. Boone, their return.

Dr. Cairns interviewed, advised he and Harper examined specimen found by Harpers nephew, Billy A. Harper, and stated specimen "looked like it came from occipital region of skull." Cairns suggested Harper report to F.B.I. Dr. Harper interviewed, indicates previously interviewed by F.B.I. (no date). Advises his nephew, a pre-med student at Tex. Christian Univ., had been taking photos in area of assassination and found specimen approximately twenty-five feet south of site at 5:30 p.m. Balance of interview corroborates previous info. Dr. Harper refers F.B.I. to his wife at home for slides (July 10, 1964) who provides same. She, along with all others, are consistently corroborative. Previous investigation provided on pp. 150, 150A and 151 of S.A. Gemberlings 11-30-63 report./included are six zeroxed pages of what appears to be instant black and white photos/not included is Hoover cover letter of 7-21-64 (B.S.L.). (photos, film and slides are available to researchers upon request.)

- CD 1359 Two page Hoover letter of 6-17-64 re: remarks by Castro, after the fact, concerning assassination. Previously TOP SECRET the portion provided by an informant quoting Castro's speculations is deleted. It is noted that a speech by Castro on November 27 was substantially the same and that pertinent portions are set out in report of S.A. O'Conner dated 5-8-64 at Miami.
- CD 1380 Hoover coverletter of 8-12-64 re: two memos detailing coverage of Mark Lane appearances; 7-31-64 at Dallas (CD 1379) and 8-4-64 at N.Y.C. (1380)/pp. 1-13, letterhead memo of 8-4-64 re: Mark Lane lectures during third week of July '64. Ten confidential sources contribute to synopsis of Lane remarks. Two Appendix pages are included on The Guardian and The W.W.P.
- CD 1457 Hoover coverletter of 9-1-64 and one page report of 8-17-64 (all deleted) captioned Mark Lane. Hoover refers to 6-30-64 arrest of James Alford Markham. Referenced memo of 8-12-64 not included.
- CD 1470 Hoover cover letter of 9-8-64 in response to W.C. requests of 7-20, 23-64 for telephone toll records of discharged Dallas policeman Harry Olsen and wife, Kay Coleman. Reference made to Dallas memo of 8-11-64 (CD 1470A), Los Angeles memo of 8-13-64 (CD 1470B), and Las Vegas memo of 8-22-64 (CD 1470C)./ CD 1470A, cover letter of 8-11 identifying Oklahoma Tire Co. as subscriber to GA-7-6531/Dallas 7-31, one page report of Bell records identifying a listing to Kay Coleman, 325 N. Ewing St., Dallas. Installed 12-14-62 and disconnected 2-1-64. Actual tel. no. not shown./Dallas 7-31, two page report identifying Coleman as subscriber to WH-2-3268 at above address. Five calls listed from 11-14 to 12-26-63./Dallas 8-27, one page report of D.P.D. records reflecting Harry Lee Olsen to be father of Harry Neal Olsen, a former patrolman who was discharged on 12-29-63/
/CD 1470B, cover letter of 8-13-64 at L.A. detailing response to request for records of all existing long distance phone records of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Olsen, now residing in Long Beach with unlisted no. 433-6289 and conducting a Doctors Business Bureau in the Hartwell Bdg. with tel. no. HE-5-6315. Two residence toll calls listed and records of toll charges to business stated to span Dec. '63 to July '64./pp. 2-15, toll calls made from HE-5-6315./p. 16, report listing subscriber of Olsen residence call on 6-25-64 as Walter Belk of Riverside CA. LA-8-7445 indicated to be a non-existent no./pp. 17-47, subscribers to telephone nos. called by Olsen business set forth with dates called.