

December 3, 1963

11:00 a.m.

Inspector Thomas J. Kelley phoned the following from Dallas:

The Irving Police turned over to us a number of things which were at the Paine home belonging to the Oswald. Included were two Russian books; one a Russian cook book and a home advice book. We found among the pages of the Russian cook book a paper containing the following information written in Russian. Apparently it is a letter or note written by Oswald in his handwriting for Marina to find it at a later date since she frequently consulted the book. The letter is quoted below (translated by SA Gopadze).

"This key is for a post office box in the post office located in the city on Evrey Street. On the same street where the drug-store is where you always stood (perhaps walked). Four blocks from the drugstore on the same street toward the post-office. You will find our box. I paid for the box last month so don't worry about it.

"Send the Consulate information what happened to me and also clippings from the newspapers (if the newspapers will write about me). I think that the Consulate immediately will help you after they learn all.

"I have paid for the daughter on the second, so don't worry about it. I also paid for the water and gas. Possibly the money from the work will be coming. They will send our checks by mail. You will go to the bank and change the checks for

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cash. My clothing, etc., you can throw away or give away. Do not keep them, but my personal papers (Military and civilian, etc.) I prefer that you hold.

"Several of my documents are located in the small blue safe case. The address book is on my cabinet to be if you need it. There are some friends and Red Cross would help you (Red Cross in Dallas).

"I am leaving you as much money as I could - \$50,000 - on the second of the month and you can live on \$10,000 and get some more money. If I am alive and taken as prisoner, the newspaper building is located at the end of the bridge toward the city. I always traveled when I went toward the city. Right in the middle of the city after you pass the bridge." (This is a translation).

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