12/1/71/ Paul R - Texas Club. Will Hay Griffin recruited Ruby as FBI CI. He had been disciplined and transferred from N. O. where he handled the French Quarter, inc. subversive investigations. P R doesn't know reason for disciplinary shift but it seems to be serious. P R was told that when Ruby shot LHO the files were destroyed and new ones were created. Apparently this was the practice with anything that could have embarrassed the Bureau in its own eyes. Ruby was a Dallas office CI. He would have been known by a number beginning DL and ending with a C. Had he been a security informant, it would have ended with an S. The first step is "Potential", represented by the letter P. A potential security informant would be a PSI, criminal PCI. Usual probabion period for C's, 90 days; for S's, 6 months.
Revill works for H R Bright, 637-6710, known as "Bumbright", head local JBS.
Hosty would not have left nasty notes for LHO because they could embarrass Bureau, which would get him fired. However, he could well have asked phony questions designed to defame Marina. P R's face lit up when I told him that story. Standard practice and o.k. Could not embarrass Bureau.
There was a CIA company front on Elm, but P R does not remeber its name.
Boxley (Wood) private investigator on cememt cases, West Texas (Western Industries?)
Could he have reached J. G. through former FBI agent in B. R. John (or Simms) Regard?
Hunt now vegetable allowed to work on cosmetics only. All else committee including Lamar and Bunker. Senile. Never subtle.
Send C's address for identification.

7/3/69

Mr. Paul Rothermel
Hunt Oil Co.,
1401 Elm St.,
Dallas, Texas

Dear Paul,

Gary has sent me a copy of his letter of 6/30 and his memo of the day before. I write in haste to encourage you not to dismiss Kremen or his lawyer, Daley, as nuts. Whether or not they are, they have to be more.

Examples: I was in Minneapolis a year ago last month. When I left home I didn't know where I'd be staying. Nobody knew. Yet that midnight, there was Daley on the phone to me, in my room. And my baggage was intercepted at the airport.

Of the numbered items in the memo, the first is impossible, since the hot line was established as a consequence of that crisis, and all of the others are a corruption of things I've said, publicly. Others may also have.

And one way people might have known of your contact with Gary is through espionage on me. I believe it is without end, still continues, with a possible indication within the past two days. Note the imprecision in formulation, which makes it technically inaccurate. I think this suggests his information, if he has not made a wild guess, is second-hand. An alternative is a cover on Gary's mail. Easy at the college, where one with access need only note return addresses.

If he hasn't told you, Gary plans a trip to Dallas the last half of this month with two other fellows, one working on his doctorate, the other a photographer friend. If you can help line them up with inexpensive but adequate accomodations, I'd appreciate it almost as much as they will.

Best regards,

Harold Weisberg

June 30, 1969

Mr. Paul Rothermel Jr.
Hunt Oil Company
1401 Elm Street
Dallas, Texas
75202

Dear Paul:

Received your letter of June 26. It is very kind of you to offer to pay for a copy of the film for me, but I already have one. I am sending you a copy I got for you, in case you wanted one, under separate cover.

Just make out a check for $10 to me, since the source wants to remain anonymous, and it is just as good that you remain anonymous from him.

Enclosed is a memo which may interest you. I saw Sheryl just the other night when I had a meeting of some of my researchers. It is just one more piece of garbage from Kroman about Mr. Hunt, which although it sounds crazy, may have more serious intents in the long run.

Best wishes.

Regards,

Gary

Gary Richard Schoener

grs

cc:hw
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Memorandum
Re: David Kroman
From: Gary Richard Schoener
Date: 6/2;9/69

Source: Sheryl Peterson, an associate of mine in Minneapolis, who has had contact with Dolores Salzberger, associate and girlfriend of David Kroman, telephonic contacted Dolores in regard to information Dolores claimed to have received by from David Kroman. 6/15/69

Dolores told Sheryl not to tell me any of this info because Kroman had told her that I should be left out since I'm in touch with H.L.Hunt.

According to Dolores, Kroman told her that the assassination was carried out by a group called the Courtier (with French pronounciation) as part of a series of steps listed below:

1. Sabotage of the hot line between the USSR and the US during the Cuban Missile crisis (although the line was kept up through Israel)
2. JFK's assassination--it's purpose was to bring riots,even in suburban areas which are usually exempt from such things
3. Then they plan to foment riots in black communities, especially between now and 1972
4. This will lead to white retaliation
5. Which will lead to martial law
6. Final step is the takeover and concentration camps

Kroman hopes that this info gets the black militants.

Know members of the Courtier are: 1. Miles Lord (US attorney, Minnesota)
2. H. L. Hunt
3. Hubert Humphrey

According to Kroman, HHH got involved probably because Hunt caught him in shady financial dealings.

Comments: This type of info is typical of Kroman, but one should be careful in assuming that Kroman is just a nut or a time waster, as my previous memos have indicated, since he has engaged in active sabotague of politicians which involved incredible intrigue and also did quite a job in the Nagel affair.

Sherly has been instructed to find out why Kroman assumed that I was in touch with H.L. Hunt. From the reports of Kroman's psychologist and internist to the American Allied case and my own experience, Kroman finds out things for which there is no other source but phone tap and mail opening or watching. The examples of this are too numberous to note here.