

Dear Cal,

1/5/97

I think it was Sam Clements who said we should not take from something what is not in it. Often our minds want us to or we do it believing it or needing it to make an argument. Or there are people like the La Fontaines who have no basis for what they take from something and ^{may} ~~may~~ even believe that they do.

In your letter of the 31 you say that after each of the chapters you enclose you include documents to back it up. I see nothing to back up what you say in your fourth paragraph, that there was a team of shooters in the Dal-Tex building and another in the TSB. I not only do not see it, I do not know of it. Nor do I know of any reason to believe that someone had to give a signal to start the shooting. Garrison started that myth. Makes no sense at all.

It likewise has no source that the President's car may not go slower than 25 mph. Ask your mother how many turns she could make in a city at that speed.

You have no source indicated for saying that the medica grabbed JFK and rushed him up to the sixth floor. it did not happen. "o emergency room is made that way. The entrance is where the room is.

The Mauser did not turn into a Carcano. There was no positive identification of a Mauser. It was an incorrect opinion. There is no possibility of disputing that what was found on that sixth floor was the Mannlicher.

This is from your first chapter of less than two pages. It is why I do not take time for more now with all I want to do ^{when} ~~what~~ I have so little time.

In your letter you say "I have read a lot, most of the books" so that you can become "more of a ^{u/} subject expert." This tells you you have more to do, more to learn and much to unlearn. You have been reading indiscriminately and believing what is not true ^{which} ~~that~~ is what most of the books are made of. You have this to overcome now. And can you now see why I thought it was not a good ^{idea} ~~idea~~ for you to get and read the LaFontaine fiction? It would mislead you more.

Using documents is a good idea but as I say above, you have no documents to support what I cite from your first chapter.

I have no plans for publication. I am trying to make a better record for ^{our} ~~the~~ history.

There are some things we can do only after we have lived longer and had more experiences on which to draw. Do not expect too much of yourself and do not believe you have had more experience with life than you have had.

One of the things you have yet to learn is how to judge if a book is dependable.

I have the rest of the Lopez report, so don't need. But thanks

Hope you all have a good year,

Harold Ween
for the office of

12/31/96

Dear Mr. Weisberg,

It was nice talking to you on the phone, I thought it would be a change instead of writing all the time. I am glad that you are not upset about anything. Regarding "Oswald Talked" I will wait a few years till I know more. Are you working on a new book? What's it called?

I have a question regarding your last letter, you say that I have not begun to do what I can do to become more of a subject-matter expert. What can I do to do this? I have read a lot, most of the books and I talked to you a lot which I HAVE LEARNED A LOT. What else is there?

I am enclosing some of my rough drafts of my new book, when you get a chance would you read it and then tell me if it is fair enough? Remember all the files I am including are not in place yet. After each chapter I am including some documents that will back up what I am saying. Do you think that is a good idea? I have tried real hard on this book to make it so everything would be correct. Like I said Oswald's trip to Mexico City I wrote about and I now need some of documents that you said that I can look through, they should be a real big help. Thanks for helping Harold. If there is something that I need to correct could you please tell me what it is and tell me what the write answer is. Thanks !

Your Friend,

Cal Schoonover

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Chapter 2 Oswald

Lee Harvey Oswald was born in New Orleans on October 18th 1939. There he grew up with his family.

On October 24 1956 Oswald entered the United States Marine Corps. Oswald served in the Marines for four years. While Oswald was in the Corps he qualified as a marksman, In December 1956 using a M-1(which is a type of gun). He also qualified again in 1959 as a marksman.(a marksman is the lowest of the branches). Oswald missed the sharpshooter badge by a few points.

Oswald's M.O.S.(Military Occupation) was being a Aviation Electronics operator. The highest rank he held in his four year career was P.F.C. (Private First Class). On April 11 1958 Lee Oswald was court marshaled , violation of article 92 for not having his weapon not registered. On June 28 1958 he was court marshaled again, violation of article 117, using provoking words to an N.C.O (none commissioned officer) in Yamato, Japan, for that offense Oswald received 28 days and a \$55 fine for one month.

On September 12th 1959 Oswald was transferred in the Marine Corps Reserve for inactive duty. His reason for the transfer was undesirable by reason of unfitness. Then on July 26th 1960 Oswald requested his discharge from the Marine Corps, Oswald then was discharged from the Corps on September 13th 1960. Oswald's reason for his discharge was to support his mother. Oswald's request to be discharged went before the Navy Discharge review board , Oswald received this letter,

Dear Mr. Oswald;

The review of your discharge has been completed in accordance with the regulations governing the procedures of this board. Careful

consideration was given to the evidence presented in your behalf as well as that contained in your official records. The secretary of the Navy has reviewed the proceedings of the board.

It is the decision that no change, correction or modification is warranted in your discharge.

Sincerely Yours,
D.W. Bowman
Captain, USN
President
Navy Discharge Review Board

Oswald then received an honorable discharge, and left the Marine Corps.

On September 9th 1963 Oswald was distributing Fair Play For Cuba Committee leaflets. He then was arrested for fighting with a man named Carlos Bringeier and Celso Macario Hernandez. Oswald then was taken to the New Orleans police department. Oswald was charged with disturbing the peace and creating a scene. Oswald was fined \$10.00 or 10 days on 8/12/63 in municipal court, New Orleans.

Later on Oswald appeared on a radio program on 8/21/63 in debate against two anti-castro people at which time Oswald denied that FPFCC is communist controlled, and then he (Oswald) was a Marxist.

When Oswald and his wife Marina moved to Dallas, Marina after a while moved in with her friend Ruth Pain, While Lee stayed in a rooming house in Oak Cliff. (a suburb of Dallas). Oswald got a job at the Texas School Book Depository.

Then on November 22nd 1963 Lee Harvey Oswald was arrested for killing policemen JD Tippit, Later That night Lee Oswald was charged with another crime, assassinating the President of the United States. Oswald never admitted to killing either Kennedy or Tippit, he just said I AM JUST A PATSY!

Before Oswald could talk about what he knew Oswald was gunned down
Jack Ruby. Oswald died on November 24 1963 at the age of 24.

Note.

After Oswald was shot, instead of putting him in a near by car the Police
drug him back in the department and waited for 6 min. for the medics
arrived.

Chapter 3 The Warren Commission and Lee Oswald

The Warren Commission never really investigated the Kennedy assassination to find out what really happened. They were just out to prove that Lee Oswald did kill the President and Oswald and only Oswald did the shooting. The thing about the Warren Commission setting out to prove that Oswald was the lone assassin is that Oswald did not and could not do the crime, not one single man alive could retrace Oswald's steps, neither could anyone do the shooting alone. As I said in the last chapter Oswald was only a marksman, sharpshooters couldn't even do it (the shooting).

Lee Harvey Oswald was supposed to have used his world war 2 bolt action rifle to kill the President. That old rifle was no good, the scope was misligned and the gun itself would sometime misfire. In my last book JFK: Exposing The Cover Up I tell about how Oswald or any man could not do the shooting with a bolt action rifle. Yet the Warren Commission says that Oswald did the shooting in 4.8 to 5.6 seconds. That is way to fast to shoot a bolt action rifle. Oswald's rifle was not even in good shape. Therefore, if the weapon that was used was not any good, why would you use it to shoot at the President? I have seen replicas of the Oswald rifle and I have pulled back the bolt on the gun and it was kind of difficult. I can not imagine any one using a rifle like that.

The Warren Commission also said that the first shot is the one that most likely missed the car. Meaning that the second and third shots are the ones that hit. Since the Warren report has reprinted in a new condensed version it is harder to find everything, On page 111 in the condensed report there is one part called "The Shot that missed," I think its kind of strange that the Warren Commission voices that Oswald is the lone killer and that he and nobody else did the murder,

yet on page 111 of the report it says that "most probably one bullet passed through President Kennedy's neck and then the same bullet went through the governor's body as well". Probably the Commission said, but Lee Harvey Oswald is the LONE KILLER. How can the Commission say that Oswald is the lone killer when they can't even admit that more than one bullet hit Kennedy and a separate bullet hit Connally. Now you must say something is wrong and the Commission is either lying or they just never looked at the evidence. I think the Commission never looked at the evidence.

When watching the Abraham Zapruder film you can obviously see that there had to be more than three shots. The Commission though was not interested in really finding out what really happened, as I said before they (the Warren Commission) were just set out to prove that Oswald was the killer.

The Warren Commission set out to say that Oswald was a violent man and he was a bad Marine, I have a copy of Oswald's Marine Corps Discharge papers and he was in trouble two times and nothing is said that he is a violent man. People that knew Oswald, like his wife Marina, says that "Lee liked the President, and have no reason to kill him".

They (the Warren Commission) told us the American people that the paraffin test given to Lee Harvey Oswald came back positive, the real test came back showing Oswald did not fire a rifle or any weapon. Again the Commission was wrong, they were also wrong about many other things as well.

On the 22nd of November 1963 a witness to the shooting named Howard L. Brennan was sitting across from the Texas School Book Depository. Brennan claims to have seen Lee Oswald do the shooting, and Brennan also testified the night of the assassination that the man he saw do the shooting was Lee Harvey Oswald. (Brennan was taken to a police line up and then identified Oswald as the shooter) Howard Brennan was standing 120 feet away when he

viewed Oswald supposedly shot Kennedy. I really highly doubt that Brennan could identify a man shooting somebody and make a clear identification at 120 feet away! On top of that bullets were flying through the air, how could you concentrate on just on thing? In 1994 I was in Dallas, in Dealey Plaza, I stood where Brennan was sitting. There is no way that Brennan could make a clear identification that the shooter was Lee Harvey Oswald, NO WAY!

Even though Brennan's story is unbelievable the Warren Commission accepted his testimony. Brennan also said in his testimony that the assassin was standing while he was shooting. That's also impossible because the sixth floor window could only open half way.(about the height of an average mans waist) so that would mean the assassin in the Depository could not have been standing. Brennan was either not telling the truth or was mistaking. That right there tells you that the shooter was kneeling.

Another witness to the shooting, Jean Hill said she saw a flash of light and a puff of smoke where someone was shooting form the knoll. When Ms. Hill told the Warren Commission what she saw, they didn't believe her. Jean Hill told the Commission that she heard four to six shots, the Commission told her she only herd three shoots. After the shooting in the Plaza two secret service men pulled Jean Hill over to a near by building, she then was taking up to a room where another man was, she was asked what she saw and how many shoots did she hear. Hill Said she Herd four to six shoots and saw a flash of light and a puff of smoke coming from the knoll. One of the men in the room told her that she only herd three shots and they came from the Book Depository. The Commission would later dismiss Hill as a witness. The Commission was not intrusted in the real truth, If any of the witness's to the Kennedy shooting did not say that the shots came from the T.S.B.D. and that the gunman was not Lee Harvey Oswald, Then all the evidence the witness were not any good at all.

Chapter 4 Tippits Murder

John Kennedy's Assassination was not the only murder that day. At 1:10 police officer J.D. Tippit was shot and killed. According to the Warren Commission, Tippit was murdered by Lee Harvey Oswald. Police didn't learn of Tippits Killing until 1:18.

The Warren Commission said that Tippit was killed with a revolver, yet the bullet casings that were recovered from the scene came from a semiautomatic pistol. One of the officers at the Tippit murder scene marked the shell casings he found with his initials. When the casings came back to him he later said that they weren't the same casings. Where did the casings go? That's one of the many mysteries in this whole maze.

According to the Commission, Tippit and Oswald never knew each other, just like the Warren Commission would later say that Oswald and Ruby didn't know each other. How ever their is no real proof that Oswald and Tippit did know each other. Beverly Oliver worked for Jack Ruby and she said she saw Ruby, Oswald, and Tippit together at Jack's night club. That still does not mean Tippit and Lee Oswald Were friends of any such. If you believe Oliver though, and if she is right, then Jack Ruby, Lee Harvey Oswald, and J.D. Tippit did know each other and the Commission was wrong again.

Witnesses to the Tippit Shooting

Helen Markham was a witness to the shooting of officer Tippit. In the Warren Report the Commission has Markhams testimony. She said that she saw the man who shot Tippit and he was about "30, with bushy hair, and wearing a white coat". Underneath Markhams testimony the Commission has its findings : "In evaluating Helen Markham's testimony the Commission is aware of allegations that she described the killer of Patrolman Tippit as short, stocky, and with bushy hair,

which would not be correct description of Oswald". Mrs. Markham's testimony to the Commission didn't describe Oswald as the killer, so the Commission didn't believe her. That didn't happen once, but many times in this case. In earlier chapters I talked about that, like in the case of Jean Hill. In both cases Kennedy or Tippit, if the assassin did not look or resemble Oswald in any way, then it was simply the Commission was right and the witnesses were wrong. The eye witnesses were wrong always!

Another witness to the Tippit shooting, was Domingo Benavides, he saw the man who shot Tippit and that man didn't even resemble Oswald. Soon after his testimony to the Warren Commission Benavides's brother was killed in Miami, Florida. Domingo would later change his testimony saying that the man he saw kill Tippit was in fact Lee Harvey Oswald. Notice one thing about that, he changed his mind after his brother was killed.

Mrs. Clemons, another witness to the Tippit shooting, says that there were two men doing the shooting, neither one of the gunman looked like Oswald. Mrs. Clemons was never taken to a police lineup for identification purposes, nor was she called as a witness before the Warren Commission. Her testimony would later be, like many others tossed aside.

All these witnesses saw the murder of a police officer and none of them were taken seriously. Some were never called as a witness, and some people weren't even listed as witnesses. Testimony was ignored and witnesses were never called. The Commission did not do a real investigation, and they didn't care.

Note

Ms. Clemons is not listed as a witness to the Tippit shooting in the Warren Report. In 1996 I requested a copy of the witness to both shootings, Markham, and Clemons are not listed as witness. How

ever Benavides's statement is included, I am putting it in the following pages, along with more documents.

Chapter 5 The CIA's Report on Oswald's Mexico city trip.

One of the most important reports I have ever heard of is Lee Harvey Oswald's trip to Mexico city. So when I had a chance I wrote the Archives and requested the report on Oswald's Mexico city trip. When it came in the mail I started reading it and my first impression was that Oswald in fact doing a job for the CIA.

Further into the report it said that Oswald was under surveillance as soon as he arrived in Mexico. I thought that was kind of strange that he was under surveillance for no special reason. Not only was he under surveillance the whole time, but his phone was bugged as well. That does not Happen to just anybody for no reason.

I thought something was wrong with the way Oswald was treated, the way he was watched by not local police, but by the CIA. The CIA does not just watch anybody for no reason, Oswald must have been doing a job for them.

In October 1996, I was visiting a friend of mine, Harold Weisberg, author of some of the best and most truthful books on the assassination. I gave the report to Harold that night and he told me that he would look through it and we would discuss the report in the morning. I then left Harold's house and went back to my Motel room.

The next morning I went to Harold's House at 5:30 a.m. . When I arrived there, we started talking about the Mexico Report. The first thing Harold said is that " the report is false, and I have the files in the other room to prove it". I of course was shocked, I thought at first Harold was just saying that. However, since he is a man of his word he proved that the Mexico City Report On Lee Harvey Oswald is a FAKE! After all I heard about that report, saying how helpful it would be to all the Kennedy Assassination researchers, it was disappointing that what was said

in the report is not at all of any use, all of it is misleading information.

Of course the report was released under the permission of the CIA. It is hard telling what they did to it before it was released to the public.

There is one thing that very well may be true, that is the fact that the CIA did not cooperate with the Warren Commission during its useless investigation. The CIA destroyed some evidence even though the Commission wanted it, Such as the tape recordings that had Oswald's voice on it. What did it prove, or say that the CIA didn't even want the Warren Commission to hear? What other evidence did the CIA destroy that related to Oswald's Mexico City trip? What other evidence did the CIA destroy or hide what the Warren Commission, or the FBI wanted? Everybody in the world who knows anything about politics knows that the CIA runs its own operations, when it wants to. Even though the President Of the United States didn't authorize them for any such operations. Their their own organization, not in the control of any body except themselves

In the next few pages you will see part of the Mexico City report and the documents that make the report false.

Chapter 6 Ruby

Jack Ruby was born in March, 1911, in Chicago ILL. He was born Jacob Rubenstein the fifth of eight children. Ruby's childhood was not a good one, that may speak for the reasons why he was in trouble all the time. Ruby changed his name in December 1947, Jacob Rubenstein to Jack Leon Ruby. Ruby moved to Dallas in 1947 so he could help his sister manage her club. Ruby would try at his own business and would fail all times, except the last, which was the Carousel Club. In time though that to would fail.

Ruby was , in my opinion, one of the most controversial characters in the Kennedy Assassination. One of the main questions that come up is, was Jack Ruby a part of a conspiracy or not? Ruby's brother Earl, says the reason why Jack shot Oswald was because Oswald killed Kennedy. However that is the opinion of Earl Ruby, other people say that Ruby was part of a conspiracy and he shot Oswald to silence him. The question I have with that though is what did Ruby have to do with any conspiracy that would have anything to do with Oswald ? Another Question is, did Oswald and Ruby know each other ? I believe that the two of them were associates, there's nothing wrong with this, that does not mean that Ruby was part of a conspiracy. I do not believe that Ruby shot Oswald because Ruby liked President Kennedy. Ruby could of just shot Oswald because he wanted his name in the papers. I don't think that anybody who was involved in the conspiracy to assassinate JFK would trust Ruby.

There are many people that say that Oswald and Jack Ruby were seen together all the time. Most of these sightings were at Jack's nightclub. Beverly Oliver, also known as the Babushka Lady, worked at Jack's nightclub and she too was also a personal friend of Jack's. Oliver says that she saw Ruby, Oswald together all the time at the club along with David Ferrie and one time with J.D. Tippit.

who Oswald was supposed to kill later on(November 22). When Ruby introduced Oswald to Oliver, Ruby said, " this is my friend Lee Oswald, he's with the CIA". If that is the truth that would mean that Ruby had CIA connections, along with mob.

On November 22nd 1963 Oswald allege shot down the President of the United States, Later that day officer J.D. Tippit. On November 24th Oswald was going to be transferred to the county jail, when Ruby bolted out of the crowd that was gathered and fired off one single shot into Oswald, Oswald fell to the ground and the surrounding officers tackled Ruby to the ground. One of the main question's that derived from the shooting of the alleged President's assassin is, how did Ruby get into the basement of the Dallas police department ? Did someone let him in, if so, who? Before the transfer the basement was searched and guards were placed at all entrances. All unauthorized personnel were removed from the area. Security and the media were then allowed to enter the basement. The Jail office corridor outside the jail offices and the ramp area south of the southeast corner of the Jail office was cleared of everyone except security officers. In a letter to chief Curry from Captain O.A. Jones, Jones gave Curry a summery of the security of the transfer of Lee Harvey Oswald, in that report it says that all entrances had guards placed at them, including the Main entrance ramp, where Ruby entered at. According to Ruby the way he got in was just like this " As I reached the ramp that leads to the basement, I noticed Sam Pierce pull up from the ramp in a black car. The officer standing there turned to either answer a question or say something to Sam.- I don't know. As he did this, I walked down the same ramp"! That proves right there that the security at the department was lax and careless, the guard at the Main entrance should not be distracted at any time and since it was the main entrance, meaning that would be the heaviest place of traffic, then their should be at two guards at that entrance. There wasn't !

During Ruby's interrogation, secret service agent Forrest Sorrels was believed to be present at the time this statement was made to sergeant Dean to detective B. S. Clardy when asked why he shot Oswald Ruby replied, " somebody had to do it, Ya'll couldn't.

Ruby would later ask Earl Warren to take him to Washington, Warren declined. Ruby would never be able to tell what he knew, he wanted to tell the truth and the Warren Commission didn't want that, so they denied Ruby's request. Jack Ruby never told what he knew, because he feared for his life in Dallas.

Jack Ruby died of cancer on January 3rd 1967. Ruby would tell family members that he was injected with cancer cells. If that is true then that means that we have another conspiracy on our hands !

In the next few pages you will see some of what was recorded by the Dallas police and the secret service. These are the files of Ruby's arrest and interrogation.

Note

When Beverly Oliver said that she saw Ruby, Oswald, David Ferrie, she also saw a man named Rosco White. White was a Dallas police officer at one time. Prior to the Kennedy Assassination White was seen buying guns and ammunition. Oliver also saw Rosco White in Dealey Plaza on November 22nd, he was coming down from the picket fence. He was wearing a Dallas policeman's uniform. It is said that Tippit and White lived across the street from one another, that is false information. Harold Weisberg showed me the phone book that proves that they did not.

Chapter 1 The Ambush

On the morning of November 22nd 1963, President John F Kennedy was taken an open top car through the streets of downtown Dallas, Texas. At first the crowds were thick, but as the Kennedy approached a small place named Dealey Plaza, the crowds thinned out.

The 22nd was a warm, sunny day, perfect for a day to start campaigning for the 1964 elections. The community of Dallas really seemed to stand behind JFK, It really was a perfect day.

Meanwhile, when President Kennedy, his wife Jackie, and Governor and Mrs. Connally were enjoying their ride through Dallas, other people had something else on their minds.

At approximately 12:00, the shooters took their places.

A team in the Dal-Text building, another in the Texas school book Depository, and another behind the picket fence on the grassy knoll. As the Kennedy motorcade progressed and entered Dealey Plaza, the shooters took aim, waiting for the signal to fire. Kennedy's car took a right on Houston Street, then a left on Elm Street, A violation from the beginning because the Presidents car should not have slowed down from 25 miles an hour to 11 miles an hour. Secret Service rule that the Presidents car should not slowdown any slower than 25 miles an hour. However in order to make that turn from Houston to Elm the car must slowdown so slow that the car was barely moving that should not have happened. When Kennedy's car turns on Elm the shooters then began to fire! Kennedy then reacted to his throat by raising his arms to it, Connally turned to see what was going on and takes a bullet in the back, Kennedy is hit in the head, receiving a massive head wound. The motorcade finally sped away to Parkland Hospital.

Kennedy's car arrived at the Hospital at 12:38 p.m., the hospital

staff rushed out to get the President and then realized that Connally had also been hit. The medics grabbed the stricken President, and rushed him up to the sixth floor of the hospital. The doctors did all they could to save the young President's life, but, at 1:00 p.m. President Kennedy died.

After Kennedy died Lyndon Johnson(the vice President) left the hospital for the airport, while on Air force One (that is the name of the Presidential plane) vice President Johnson was sworn in as President of the United States.

After the shooting took place, the police started sealing off all the buildings that surrounded Dealey Plaza. At one p.m., the police found the alleged sniper's nest in the Texas school Book Depository, on the sixth floor, its location was at the southeast corner of the Depository. That spot is where all three shots were said to be fired from.

On the sixth floor the police found 3 shell casings and a rifle. At the time the rifle was reported as a 7.65 Mauser, later that night the Mauser became a 6.5 Manlicer Carcano. Why? Why wasent the Mauser reported ? How can a Mauser turn into a Carcano? Last of all, where did the Mauser Go?

The conspirators knew very well that their patsy, Lee Harvey Oswald did not own a Mauser, so the Mauser vanished without a trace, and little by little not only would the weapon disappear, so would the truth to the whole Kennedy Assassination.