

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Mr. Fred Bruner, Attorney, Dallas, Texas, contacted the Dallas Office and represents Mrs. Clyde W. Paschall, Jr. Mrs. Paschall took a color movie film of the Presidential parade on 11/22/63 and Dealy Plaza after the assassination. This film was alleged to have been turned over to SA Robert M. Barrett at Dallas and was returned. Mr. Bruner has attempted to sell this film to Life Magazine who after reviewing it said the film was a duplicate. He thought the FBI may have had a copy made which was returned instead of the original.

He has since received an incentive award and letter of commendation. SA Barrett will be interviewed to determine the circumstances involved so Dallas may answer Mr. Bruner. Dallas and Bureau files contain no references to this matter.

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FBI DALLAS

1027AM URGENT 10-16-67 KJM

TO DIRECTOR (62-10960)

ATTENTION ASST. DIRECTOR A. ROSEN

FROM DALLAS (89-43) 4P

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, DALLAS, TEXAS
NOV. TWENTYTWO, NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE, ^{MISCELLANEOUS-INFORMATION} MISC. INFO CONCERNING. OO DALLAS.

ON LATE AFTERNOON OF OCT. SIXTEEN LAST, MR. FRED BRUNER, ^{ATTORNEY} ~~ATTY~~ AND MEMBER OF THE LAW FIRM OF DAUGHERTY, BRUNER AND LASTELICK, DALLAS, TEXAS, PERSONALLY APPEARED AT DALLAS OFFICE OF FBI AND STATED HE REPRESENTS MRS. PATSY PASCHALL, AKA MRS. CLYDE W. PASCHALL, JR. ACCORDING TO BRUNER, MRS. PASCHALL ON NOV. TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE, TOOK SOME COLOR MOVIE FILM OF THE PRESIDENTIAL PARADE, INCLUDING SOME FILM IN DEALY PLAZA SUBSEQUENT TO THE ASSASSINATION. HE STATED THAT ON ABOUT NOV. TWENTYEIGHT OR TWENTYNINE, SIXTYTHREE, AT NIGHT, HE WENT TO DYNACOLOR CORP., HALIFAX ST., DALLAS, TEXAS TO HAVE SAID FILM DEVELOPED. SOMEONE THERE STATED THAT SINCE THIS MIGHT HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH THE ASSASSINATION, THE FBI SHOULD BE CALLED. MR. BRUNER STATED HE READILY AGREED, AND CALLED THE FBI HIMSELF IN DALLAS, AND AS HE RECALLS, HE TALKED TO SA ROBERT M. BARRETT, OR AT

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LEAST HE KNOWS THAT AGENT BARRETT SHOWED UP AT DYNACOLOR A SHORT TIME THEREAFTER. THE FILM WAS DEVELOPED AND AGENT BARRETT TOLD HIM HE WOULD NEED TO LOOK IT OVER AND SEE IF IT WAS OF ANY PERTINENCE TO THE ASSASSINATION. MR. BRUNER STATED HE READILY AGREED AND LOANED THE FILM TO BARRETT, TAKING A RECEIPT, AND AS HE RECALLS, POINTING OUT THAT HE WAS RELEASING THE FILM TO BARRETT FOR CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE PURPOSES. HE STATES THAT SOME THREE WEEKS LATER, AS HE RECALLS, AGENT BARRETT SAID THAT THE FILM WAS OF NO VALUE TO HIM. HE THEN RETURNED THE FILM TO BRUNER.

BRUNER STATES THAT HE AND HIS CLIENT HAVE HAD THE FILM SINCE THAT TIME AND INDICATED THAT THEY HAVE BEEN NEGOTIATING WITH VARIOUS PEOPLE TO TRY TO SELL SAME. HE STATED THAT VERY RECENTLY, HE DELIVERED THE FILM TO A REPRESENTATIVE OF LIFE MAGAZINE, WHO PAID HIM ONLY A HOLDING FEE, TOOK THE FILM TO NEW YORK TO LOOK IT OVER TO SEE WHAT THEY WOULD OFFER OR WHETHER THEY WOULD USE ANY OF IT OR NOT. HE STATED THAT ON THE AFTERNOON OF OCT. SIXTEEN LAST, HE HAD RECEIVED A CALL FROM LIFE MAGAZINE IN NEW YORK AND THAT THEY HAD MENTIONED TO HIM THAT THE FILM HE HAD GIVEN THEM WAS A DUPLICATE AND NOT THE ORIGINAL. HE STATED HE HAD CALLED HIS CLIENT, AND SHE NOT TO HAVE HAD ANY COPY OF THE FILM MADE. HE THOUGHT PURPORTED ~~THAT THE FBI MAY HAVE HAD A COPY MADE AND INADVERTENTLY~~ IT WAS POSSIBLE THAT THE FBI MAY HAVE HAD A COPY MADE AND INADVERTENTLY

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RETURNED THE COPY TO HIM INSTEAD OF THE ORIGINAL. HE DID INDICATE THAT HE HAD TRIED TO PEDDLE THIS FILM TO OTHER MAGAZINES, AND IT IS POSSIBLE THAT IT MAY HAVE BEEN OUT OF HIS POSSESSION ON OTHER OCCASIONS.



IN VIEW OF ABOVE, BUREAU MAY DESIRE TO GIVE CONSIDERATION AS TO WHETHER SA BARRETT, NOW ASSIGNED TO BIRMINGHAM, SHOULD BE INTERVIEWED THOROUGHLY CONCERNING THIS INCIDENT IN ORDER THAT THE DALLAS OFFICE WILL HAVE FULL FACTS AVAILABLE TO ASSIST IN FURNISHING AN ANSWER TO ^{ATTORNEY} ~~ATTY.~~ BRUNER.

BRUNER STATED THAT WHEN THE FILM WAS RETURNED, SA BARRETT NOTED THAT ONE OF THE FILMS HAD A PICTURE OF HIM IN IT AT DEALY PLAZA, AND BARRETT OBSERVED THAT HE WAS NOT THERE UNTIL AFTER THE ASSASSINATION. IT IS NOTED THAT BARRETT, IN A MEMO DATED DEC. TWENTYTWO, SIXTYSIX, END PAGE THREE

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STATED THAT HE HAD CONDUCTED A POLICE SCHOOL AT RICHARDSON, TEXAS UNTIL ABOUT NOON NOV. TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE AFTER WHICH HE HAD HAD LUNCH AND WAS EN ROUTE TO DOWNTOWN DALLAS WHEN HE WAS NOTIFIED BY THE DALLAS OFFICE OF THE SHOTS BEING FIRED AT THE PRESIDENT IN DEALY PLAZA. HE PROCEEDED TO DEALY PLAZA, ARRIVING THERE AT APPROXIMATELY ONE PM.

COMPLETE SEARCH HAS BEEN MADE OF DALLAS SPECIAL INDICES OF THE ASSASSINATION AND RELATED FILES, AS WELL AS THE GENERAL INDICES, AND NO RECORD WHATSOEVER CAN BE LOCATED OF ANY MENTION OF THE DALLAS OFFICE EVER HAVING POSSESSION OF THIS FILM. THERE IS NO RECORD OF PATSY PASCHALL OR MRS. CLYDE W. PASCHALL, JR. AND NO PERTINENT RECORD OF FRED BRUNER.

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~~PURPORTED NOT TO HAVE HAD ANY COPY OF THE FILM MADE. HE THOUGHT~~
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FBI BIRMGHAM

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TO DIRECTOR (62-109060) AND DALLAS (89-43)

FROM BIRMINGHAM

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, DALLAS,
TEXAS, NOVEMBER TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE, MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION
Office of Origin
CONCERNING. OO: DALLAS.

RE BUREAU TELEPHONE CALL TO BIRMINGHAM OCTOBER SEVENTEENTH
INSTANT.

SA ROBERT M. BARRETT ADVISED THIS DATE THAT DURING PERIOD
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING ASSASSINATION HIS ASSIGNMENT IN DALLAS OFFICE
WAS TO OBTAIN AND REVIEW ALL PHOTOGRAPH AND MOVIE FILM, BOTH
PRIVATE AND COMMERCIAL, WHICH HAD BEEN TAKEN AT DEALY PLAZA
NOVEMBER TWENTYSECOND, NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE. PUBLIC APPEALS WERE
MADE FOR SUCH PICTURES AND NOTICES OF FBI INTEREST SENT TO ALL
DEVELOPING COMPANIES. AS A RESULT, SA BARRETT AND ANOTHER AGENT
ALSO WORKING ON THIS ASSIGNMENT HANDLED INNUMERABLE LEADS TO CHECK
AND REVIEW SUCH FILM.

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SA BARRETT RECALLS FRED BRUNER AS ATTORNEY IN DALLAS WITH WHOM

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MR. DELOACH FOR THE DIRECTOR

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b-Ralph DeLoach

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HE CAME IN CONTACT DURING ASSIGNMENT THAT OFFICE BUT DOES NOT RECALL PATSY PASCHALL OR THAT HE EVER CAME IN CONTACT WITH HER. HE HAS NO RECOLLECTION OF BRUNER IN CONNECTION WITH ANY FILM CONNECTED WITH ASSASSINATION ALTHOUGH CONTACT AS CLAIMED BY BRUNER ENTIRELY POSSIBLE.

SA BARRETT DOES RECALL GOING TO DYNACOLOR CORPORATION TO PICK UP A MOVIE FILM TAKEN IN DEALY PLAZA ON DAY OF ASSASSINATION. HE ALSO RECALLS LATER REVIEWING THIS FILM, PROBABLY SAME DAY, AND DETERMINING IT WAS OF NO VALUE IN CONNECTION WITH FBI INVESTIGATION BECAUSE IT CONTAINED PICTURES OF SA BARRETT HIMSELF IN DEALY PLAZA AND HE DID NOT ARRIVE THERE UNTIL ABOUT ONE P.M. ON NOVEMBER TWENTYSECOND, NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE. BECAUSE OF THIS TIME FACTOR, SA BARRETT KNEW THIS FILM WAS OF NO VALUE TO INVESTIGATION AND FILM WAS THEN RETURNED ^{CITICOR} EIGHTER TO DYNACOLOR, OWNER OF FILM, OR OWNER'S AGENT. SA BARRETT HAS NO SPECIFIC RECOLLECTION OF TO WHOM THIS FILM WAS RETURNED. HE DOES NOT BELIEVE FILM WAS RETAINED AS LONG AS THREE WEEKS, AS ALL FILM OF NO VALUE RETURNED NORMALLY WITHIN ONE WEEK AT MOST.

NORMAL PRACTICE DURING THIS PHASE OF INVESTIGATION WAS TO

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FURNISH RECEIPT TO DONOR OF ANY FILM AND PICK UP RECEIPT WHEN FILM RETURNED. RECEIPTS THEN FILED IN ONE-A SECTION OF FILE. SA BARRETT HAS NO SPECIFIC RECOLLECTION OF OBTAINING RETURN OF RECEIPT IN THIS INSTANCE.

NO COPIES WERE MADE OR CAUSE TO BE MADE BY SA BARRETT OF ANY MOVIE FILM OBTAINED DURING INVESTIGATION EXCEPT FOR "ZAPRUDER" FILM, OF WHICH COPIES WERE OBTAINED AND FORWARDED TO BUREAU NOVEMBER TWENTYFOUR, NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE, AT INSTRUCTIONS OF SAC, DALLAS. SPECIFICALLY, MOVIE FILM PICKED UP FOR EXAMINATION AT DYNACOLOR WAS NOT COPIED WHILE IN POSSESSION OF FBI TO BEST OF SA BARRETT'S KNOWLEDGE AND, AS INDICATED BY TIME FACTORS ABOVE, THIS FILM VALUELESS IN CONNECTION WITH INVESTIGATION OF ASSASSINATION.

SA BARRETT PREPARING AFFIDAVIT CONCERNING THESE FACTS, WHICH WILL BE FURNISHED BUREAU AND DALLAS.

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CC MR. SULLIVAN

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FBI DALLAS

916AM IMMEDIATE 10-18-67 KJH

TO DIRECTOR (62-109060)

ATTENTION - A. ROSEN, ASST. DIRECTOR
FROM DALLAS (89-43) 1P

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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, DALLAS, TEXAS
NOV. TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE, MISC.- INFORMATION CONCERNING. OO DALLAS.

RE BIRMINGHAM TELETYPE OCT. SEVENTEEN LAST.

BASED UPON SA BARRETT'S RECOLLECTION OF WHAT HAPPENED IN CONNECTION WITH THE FILM ALLEGEDLY GIVEN HIM BY ^{ATTORNEY} ATTY. FRED BRUNER, THE DALLAS FILES, INCLUDING EXHIBIT FILES, HAVE BEEN METICULOUSLY CHECKED AND DALLAS IS STILL UNABLE TO FIND ANY RECORD OF THIS FILM BEING RECEIVED OR ANY RECEIPT FILED IN EXHIBITS. IT IS NOTED SA BARRETT STATES THAT THE FILM SHOWS ONE PHOTO AT DEALY PLAZA WHERE HE, BARRETT, WAS PHOTOGRAPHED. BASED ON THIS, HE IS POSITIVE NO COPY OF THIS FILM WAS MADE FOR BUREAU USE, AND UPON COMPLETION OF THE EXAMINATION OF FILM, HE IS CERTAIN IT WAS IMMEDIATELY RETURNED TO BRUNER. UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES WHERE WE ARE UNABLE TO LOCATE ANY RECEIPT IN THE FILE OR ANY RECORD, IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT ATTY. BRUNER BE ADVISED THAT THIS MATTER HAS BEEN CHECKED INTO THOROUGHLY, AND THERE IS NO INDICATION THAT THE FBI MADE ANY COPY OF THE FILM IN QUESTION.

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- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. Shroder

- 1 - Mr. Raupach
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Bishop

TO SAC, DALLAS (89-43)

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060) — 5813

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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,
 NOVEMBER TWENTY-TWO, NINETEEN SIXTY-THREE, DALLAS, TEXAS,
 MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING.

RE DALLAS TELETYPE OCTOBER EIGHTEEN LAST.

MR. BRUNER SHOULD BE CONTACTED AND ADVISED AS

FOLLOWS:

SA BARRETT RECALLS OBTAINING A FILM FROM DYNACOLOR
 AND REVIEWING IT. HE RECALLS THAT HE OBSERVED HIMSELF IN
 THE SCENES MADE AT DEALEY PLAZA AND SINCE SA BARRETT DID NOT
 ARRIVE THERE UNTIL AFTER THE ASSASSINATION, THIS FILM WAS
 OF NO VALUE TO OUR INVESTIGATION AND, ACCORDINGLY, THE
 BUREAU DID NOT RETAIN OR MAKE A COPY OF IT, AND THEREFORE,
 IT WAS RETURNED.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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NOTE: See Memo Rosen to DeLoach dated 10/20/67, captioned,
 "ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, NOVEMBER
 22, 1963, DALLAS TEXAS" KMR:ctj.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 10/20/67

FROM : A. Rosen

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. Shroder
- 1 - Mr. Raupach
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Bishop

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SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, NOVEMBER 22, 1963, DALLAS, TEXAS

PURPOSE: To recommend the Dallas Office advise Mr. Fred Bruner, Attorney, that a film taken of the Presidential parade and the Dealey Plaza subsequent to the assassination was not copied by the FBI.

BACKGROUND: On 10/16/67, Mr. Fred Bruner, Attorney, Dallas, Texas, appeared at the Dallas Office and stated he represents Mrs. Clyde W. Paschall, Jr. Bruner said Mrs. Paschall took some colored movie film of the Presidential parade on 11/22/63, including some film in the Dealey Plaza subsequent to the assassination. He indicated that on or about 11/28-29/63 he took the film to the Dynacolor Corp., in Dallas to have it developed. He was informed this film might have some bearing on the assassination and should be referred to the FBI.

Bruner indicated he called the Dallas Office and recalled he talked to SA Robert M. Barrett or he at least knows that SA Barrett appeared at Dynacolor Corp., and subsequently obtained the film. The purpose of obtaining the film was to determine whether it had any investigative significance in connection with the assassination. Mr. Bruner said the film was returned to him "some three weeks later, as he recalls" at which time he was informed the film was of no value.

This film has been in the possession of his client since that time and he and his client have been negotiating with various magazines to sell it. He recently delivered the film to Life Magazine who informed him that the film was a duplicate and not the original and he thought it was possible that the FBI had a copy made and inadvertently returned a copy to him instead of the original. Bruner did indicate that he had tried to "peddle" this film to other magazines and it is possible that it may have been out of his possession on other occasions.

At Bureau instructions, SA Robert M. Barrett, now assigned to the Birmingham Division, was interviewed by the SAC regarding this

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Memo Rosen to DeLoach
RE: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY

matter. Barrett advised following the assassination, an appeal was made to the public to produce pictures taken on the day of the assassination and notices of FBI interest were also sent to all photo processing companies. Barrett's responsibility was to obtain and review all photographs and movie film both private and commercial. Barrett recalled Attorney Bruner in connection with his assignment in the Dallas Office but had no recollection of Bruner in connection with any film concerning the assassination although such a contact was entirely possible.

SA Barrett does recall going to Dynacolor Corp., and picking up a film taken on the day of the assassination. He recalls reviewing this film and determined that it was of no value in connection with the FBI investigation as it contained pictures of SA Barrett in the Dealey Plaza. In this respect it is noted the assassination occurred at 12:30 P.M., in the Dealey Plaza. SA Barrett on 11/22/63, conducted a police school at Richardson, Texas, and upon his return to Dallas following lunch he was notified by the Dallas Office the President had been fired upon in the Dealey Plaza and he proceeded there arriving at 1:00 P.M. In view of this time factor, the film was of no value to the investigation since it was taken prior to or subsequent to the assassination and SA Barrett recalls returning the film to Dynacolor, owner of the film or owner's agent. SA Barrett stated no copies of the film were made or caused to be made by him which he received from Dynacolor.

SAC, Dallas has advised that a thorough review of Dallas investigative and Exhibit files failed to indicate any records of this film nor is the original or a copy thereof in Dallas files. Bureau files contain no reference to this matter.

As indicated previously, Bruner admitted that this film had been out of his possession on other occasions and it is, therefore, quite possible that if the film he possesses is a copy, it was reproduced subsequent to the time SA Barrett returned it.

ACTION TO BE TAKEN: The only issue here is whether the FBI has the original of the film or made a copy of it. SA Barrett states the film he reviewed was of no value; consequently, there was absolutely no reason to retain it or to make a copy. There is no record in the Dallas Office or the Bureau that this film was retained or a copy made. Bruner acknowledges that when SA Barrett returned this film to him, he (SA Barrett) told him it was of no value. We are, therefore, able to emphatically advise Bruner that we do not have the film obtained by SA Barrett from Dynacolor nor did we make a copy. Attached for approval therefore is a teletype to the Dallas Office instructing that Bruner be contacted and so advised.

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