

3/13/70

Dear Dick and Howard,

I have heard from Ruedis that he has enlarged the shirt tabs and the tie neck for me. I'll let you know whether they show anything when I get them. That should be soon, for his letter is dated 5/12.

He also gave me the date they made the picture of 309 for John as about 5/23/66. This interests me much, for it is not too long after I showed John my picture! It is not recent. So much for John and his intentions as reflected in letters he was then writing me.

He has not responded to the letters of which I kept you informed. I sent Dick copies.

The guy who has been doing all our interpretive forensic pathology in the Pel Air bombing is sure was- Fisher's first assistant.

I now have OMI26, Burdley's interestingly truncated version of the dramatic events. Where they deal with what Bishop does, they confirm Bishop. They also omit the obvious. However, Howard may want to know that when he got to Berkham, he went to the head of the stretcher and looked. Consider that the nature and purpose of his report, was conceal that there is no single word of observation, there or at Bethesda (He did leave the room there from wire to time). He also names Kinoy and Canada, besides Calloway, as being there for the autopsy. The implication is all of it, he takes full credit for the removal of the body from Texas, never indicating it was by force. *

And it is not dated until 11/26.

He talks of explaining to Mrs. JFK why the body had to go to a hospital- so they could match against a rifle. He talks of but a single shotter. As my earlier memo quotes him, he says it should be a military hospital for "security"- of a corpse!

While I do not so interpret it, this invites a conspiratorial interpretation.

Sincerely,