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Vernon BUNOY

Source had several weeks ago re talked with a fellow prisoner Vernon Bundy.

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Vernon Bundy is a Orleans parish prisoner, who testified in Garrison's Kennedy assassination probe. [redacted] what he Bundy saw Clay Show Pass money to some one on the lake front. Bundy indicated to source he had been offered a deal by D/A Jim Garrison if he would testify to a story about Show. According to source, this conversation allegedly took place several weeks ago in parish prison prior to time Bundy testified at hearing in Criminal District Court. At the time of the conversation Bundy was undecided what course of action to take but told source

Quote:

he (Bundy) would do anything to get out of his sentence. Bundy indicated that indirectly his determining not to tell without stating directly so, as that a story had been given to him to tell.

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Quote: SEE ATTACHMENT

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that if LUNBY was sentenced to Angola Prison, which BUNDY knew was likely) [redacted] and [redacted] would make life difficult for LUNBY. [redacted] alleged that [redacted] and [redacted] beat up BUNDY on a Monday, that BUNDY had a visitor on the next Wednesday, and that on the following day, Thursday, BUNDY was separated from the other men and that BUNDY subsequently testified against SHAW at the preliminary hearing. [redacted] alleged that after LUNBY testified the rumor in the Orleans Parish Prison was that BUNDY had made up the story of seeing SHAW and OSWALD together in order to get a deal from GARRISON. [redacted] alleged that the rumor was that BUNDY had started to formulate his story by testing out two versions to some of the inmates. One version was that BUNDY related to some of the inmates that BUNDY had seen SHAW and OSWALD together in front of a department store on Canal Street while LUNBY was waiting for a bus. The other version was the one that BUNDY testified to at the preliminary hearing. [redacted] alleged that LUNBY never spoke to him about the different versions. [redacted] refused to say who LUNBY spoke to about the two versions. [redacted] stated that although one inmate [redacted] refused to give the identity of the inmate in the prison who alleged that BUNDY started to put together his story before [redacted] and [redacted] beat up LUNBY, it was [redacted] opinion that the beating plus the anticipated fact that LUNBY would get a deal from [redacted] and [redacted] was very instrumental in causing LUNBY to testify against SHAW. In return for this, LUNBY wanted GARRISON to keep BUNDY out of Angola Prison and away from [redacted] and [redacted].

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[redacted] stated that VERNON BUNDY had made a deal with District Attorney GARRISON which caused LUNBY to testify against SHAW at the preliminary hearing. [redacted] stated that [redacted] colored male, [redacted] date of birth July 1, 1926, and [redacted] colored male, [redacted] date of birth December 10, 1942, were arrested by the New Orleans Police Department on January 25, 1966, for burglary. [redacted] received 14 years and [redacted] received 9 years in Judge LUNBY in Orleans Parish Criminal Court on March 8, 1967. [redacted] and [redacted] claimed that if VERNON BUNDY had testified in their behalf at the trial, [redacted] and [redacted] would not have been convicted. [redacted] and [redacted] claimed they were innocent of the burglary charge. [redacted] alleged that at the trial of [redacted] and [redacted] BUNDY was in the Central Lockup on a different [redacted] for some reason did not testify in behalf of [redacted] and [redacted] even though there was a subpoena for BUNDY to testify at the trial of [redacted] and [redacted] alleged that subsequent to the trial of [redacted] and [redacted] for burglary, BUNDY was moved from the New Orleans Police Department, Central Lockup, to the Orleans Parish Prison where [redacted] and [redacted] were being kept prior to their removal to Angola Prison. [redacted] claimed that [redacted] and [redacted] beat up BUNDY when BUNDY was moved from X tier to the 3B tier in the Orleans Parish Prison and that BUNDY knew

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