

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Dallas (89-43)

DATE: 11-25-63

FROM : SA Robert S. Cavanaugh

SUBJECT: UNSUB; John F. Kennedy - Victim

The following investigation was conducted by SAs Robert S. Cavanaugh and Richard A. Carr at LUBBOCK, Texas, on 11-25-63.

Mr. Calvin GREEN was interviewed at his home, 2804 CORNELL. GREEN advised that he has lived in Lubbock, on and off, for several years and is employed as a plumber. GREEN has recently moved back to LUBBOCK from IRVING, Texas.

GREEN stated that at the end of August 63 he was engaged in a poker game at the home of Louis TANNER, 1620 NURSEY Rd., IRVING, Texas. GREEN alleges that at this poker game, one of the participants, BILL (LNU), had in his possession the rifle that was used in the assassination of the President in DALLAS, Texas. BILL had put the weapon up as security on a bet in the game and had won the weapon back. GREEN stated that when he saw the weapon on television he knew it was the one that he had seen originally at the poker game.

GREEN also stated that two of the other players in the game were Lee OSWALD and Jack RUBY. He did not know either of these men by name but recognized both men when they appeared on television after the assassination of the President.

In addition, GREEN advised that another card game had taken place at the home of TANNER, about a week subsequent to the initial game. This time BILL (LNU) showed up at the game and placed a pawn ticket in the pot stating that he had gotten \$30 for the rifle at a local pawn shop. The game was in progress when Jack RUBY showed up and allegedly "took the pot". However, the pawn ticket was won by Louis TANNER. After this GREEN never saw the gun again until it appeared on television. GREEN stated he could tell it was the same gun, or he was pretty sure it was, because of the leather band on the bottom of it.

This information was reported by telephone to the Dallas Division on 11-25-63. Supervisor Kenneth HOWE, #1 desk, advised that the information should be placed in a memo and forwarded to the Headquarters City.

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and Ben Harrison
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