

Dear Jim,

11/8/84

Quite some time ago I started going through a box of copies of DL 89-43, clearly intending using them in a large appeal to Shea because the first few pages of the appeal are at the front of that box. When I started going through these copies I found some that we used in lawsuits. Feeling less than 100% yesterday (but closer to it today) I started going over all those records. I finished that today (I being this the 7th but will conclude tomorrow, I believe) and will send most to the archive. A few that may be dupes will go into subject filing and I write you about the others, which you may find of some use if there is a remand in 0322.

89-43-905? may have been sent to you earlier. It is a statement that evidence is required to be preserved and thus is pertinent to the missing spectro curbstone film and the missing Stombaugh shirt-collar examination report (226)

89-43-9647 was originally 137-1292-26. This illustrates, as I attested, that the FBI has a special form covering agent interviews with informers.

89-43-2474 identifies a second DeMohrenschildt 105 file I do not recall receiving or on the search slip. It also refers to a 100 file not to the best of my knowledge on that slip or provided.

89-43-25 is marked to be carded, possibly as tickler. If intended for indexing, indexing is indicated on the record itself ~~practise~~. How this is done is seen on 89-43-9645, when indexing is indicated by underscoring. With regard to the mention of Oswald's visit to the D- office, which also could have been underlined for indexing, it wasn't but the subject is written on at the bottom of the page, ~~xx~~ again suggesting tickler.

89-43-8101 and 8424 indicate that all the field offices established files on known critics. The former is a LA SA's report on what was told him by an informer who attended meetings of critics. (Note "S-257/Mc" at end.) The Phila report was sent to Dallas. It includes Salandria and mention of the JFK assassination at the peace meeting covered by an FBI informer whose number is withheld.

89-43-5613 is the voluntary disclosure of the names of all FBI Dallas personnel, including their home addresses and phones, yet their names were withheld from disclosed records allegedly to protect their privacy, which did not exist. I think this makes it apparent that other than harassment the real purpose served by withholding SA names is to hide who failed to do what should be done or reported incompletely or incorrectly.

89-43-9872-6 indicates that even when the search of FBI records discloses existence of what was requested under FOIA and even with a Congressman involved the FBI did not disclose that it has what was requested. The first record identifies exactly where the requested pictures are filed. The last record has written on it the fact that a copy was made for FBIHQ 66-1721, suggesting that 66 is also used for critics. While it might relate to the Director's correspondence I do not recall seeing that on any disclosed record.

Bill Jacobs

SAC, DALLAS (100-10461) (C)

8/1/69

SA ROBERT P. GEMBERLING

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka.
IS - R - CUBA
DL file 100-10461 (C)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING
DL file 89-43 (P*)

In view of continued correspondence and inquiries from time to time necessitating acknowledgement and also in view of Public Law 89-318 relating to items of evidence obtained in captioned investigations to be designated by the Attorney General for preservation by U. S., all bulky exhibits and evidence in these cases should be indefinitely retained.

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Robert P. Gemberling

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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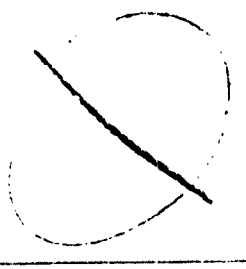
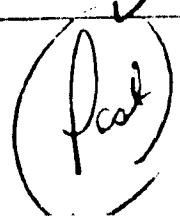
TO : SAC [REDACTED]

DATE: 2/6/69

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: DL [REDACTED]

Dates of Contact <u>2/5/69</u>	
Titles and File #s on which contacted	
Purpose and results of contact	
On the above date, [REDACTED] furnished a copy of	
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[REDACTED]	
The above memorandum was turned over to Supervisor [REDACTED] for placing in the Kennedy Assassination file with the previously furnished [REDACTED]	
	
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1375 Criminal Informants

Memorandum

TO : SAC DALLAS

FROM : SA ROBERT E. BASHAM

DATE: 12/3/63

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka;
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS
AFO
DL 89-43

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka
IS - R - CUBA
DL 100-10461

Re 302 of SAs WARD AND BASHAM with *Dary E. Taylor*

No leads being set forth based upon this information or the fact that GEORGE DE MOHRENSCHILDT is the subject of two 105 files in the Dallas Office those being 105-92 and 105-632. It is noted that he also has a 100-0-3947 reference.

For information of the supervisor of the 100 squad since it is not known whether this information is known or not DE MOHRENSCHILDT introduced the OSWALDs to a number of individuals both at his residence and at parties held throughout Dallas for the OSWALDs. These individuals are as follows: VOLKMAR SCHMIDT, Research Department, Socony Oil, who met OSWALDs a week before a party given at the residence of EVERETT GLOVER.

In February, 1963, EVERETT GLOVER, 4449 Potomac Avenue, Dallas, a researcher at Socony Mobil Oil, gave party for OSWALD attended by RICHARD L. PIERCE, FLORENCE "BETTY" McDONALD, LEE and MARINA OSWALD, RUTH PAINE, NORMAN O. and ELKE FREDERICKSON, and GEORGE and JEANNE DE MOHRENSCHILDT.

BETTY McDONALD was interviewed in connection with this party which interviews reflected in 89-43-1653. PIERCE was interviewed which is reflected in Serial 89-43-1652. VOLKMAR SCHMIDT was interviewed reflected in Serial 89-43-1651.

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100-10461-2474

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : FILE (89-43)

DATE: 11/22/63

FROM : SAC SHANKLIN

SUBJECT: UNSUB; Assassination of
Pres. JOHN F. KENNEDY

Mr. BELMONT from SOG advised that they have made arrangements with Secret Service to secure the bullet that apparently killed President KENNEDY and that Secret Service in Washington was calling BORRELLS here and instructing him to turn the gun over to us and that I should after receipt of the gun, also secure the bullet that shot Governor CONNALLY and have an Agent get on the plane and take the gun and the other bullet to Washington.

The Bureau should be called as to when the plane would arrive so that the Laboratory could be there to meet the man and make the examination immediately.

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to Agent

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, DALLAS

DATE 10/24/75

FROM : SPV. SA ENORY E. HORTON

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF JOHN F. KENNEDY
11/22/63
Dallas, Texas
Dallas file 89-43

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, Aka,
Et Al
IS-R
Dallas file 100-10461

7:35 p.m., 10/23/75, a telephone call was made to TOM KIMBLE, Dallas Morning News (newspaper), Dallas, Texas, telephone 745-8456, in response to KIMBLE's earlier inquiry of the FBI Office to the effect had the FBI Office on the evening of 10/22/75, been contacted by one BILL ROBERTS who claimed to have a copy of a note that had been delivered to the Dallas FBI Office by LEE HARVEY OSWALD. MR. KIMBLE asked if the Dallas FBI Office had been contacted by BILL ROBERTS who also used the name AL SMITH, JR. KIMBLE explained he was contacted during the evening of 10/22/75, by an individual claiming to be AL SMITH, JR., but on further inquiry the individual gave his name as BILL ROBERTS, 722 North Winnetka, Dallas, Texas, telephone 946-9555. KIMBLE said ROBERTS claimed he has a copy of the note purportedly delivered to the Dallas FBI Office in November 1963 and said the note is in a safe deposit box in care of ROBERT's wife in California.

KIMBLE said ROBERTS sounded like he had had too much to drink but pointed out ROBERTS' 88-year old mother came on the telephone and told KIMBLE her son served with LEE HARVEY OSWALD in the U. S. Marine Corps.

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KIMBLE was told a similar call had been received by the Dallas FBI Office and investigation is being conducted to locate the caller and obtain additional information or resolve the matter. KIMBLE stated in response to a specific request that if he is again contacted by ROBERTS and he is able to develop information that will assist in locating ROBERTS he will furnish the information to the Dallas FBI Office.

ACTION: The above is to record inquiry received and information furnished.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-71285)

DATE: 3/20/68

FROM : SA RICHARD H. BLOESER

SUBJECT: KENNEDY ASSASSINATION TRUTH COMMITTEE
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SOURCE	ACTIVITY	RECEIVED	AGENT	LOCATION
[REDACTED]	2/29/68	3/12/68	IC BERNARD P. BLAIS	[REDACTED] (WR)

Informant's report has been Xeroxed and is attached.

ACTION:

All necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.

INDEX: LALYNN (phonetic)

CC: 1 - NEW ORLEANS (REGISTERED)
100- (JIM GARRISON)

① DALLAS (REGISTERED) 89-43
100- (ROGER CRAIG)

- 100-DEAD (PENN JONES)
- 100-67795 (MIKE FARRELL)
- 100-71286 (MIKE RAVEN)
- 100-DEAD (JERRY LUCAS)
- 100-DEAD (STEVE JAFFEE)
- 100-DEAD (STEVE BURTON)
- 100-62251 (FREE PRESS BOOK STORE)
- 100-68937 (LALYNN)(phonetic)

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Read by _____

(Handwritten initials)

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The attorney representing Mr. Bradley was at this meeting and it was actually mentioned by the people that he was in the audience. It was also mentioned that he was taping the meeting and that is why JAFFE said he would have to watch what he said.

Following the recess, about 125 people came back and joined those who had stayed. When source came back into the room there were little clusters of people gathered together. Quite a large group was at the front where the speakers were and there were about 20 people gathered around Bradley's attorney, wanting to know his views on the investigation.

Little bits of conversation were overheard - mostly the people were just trying to find out exactly what these people were after. While source was waiting in line before the meeting started, he picked up the name of a woman who seemed to know quite a few important people. Her name was LALYEN (ph); she was heavyset, short, about 50 years old, with gray hair, and she knew enough important people to be called out of line and given a seat in the room before anyone else was allowed in. She was a friend of JAFFE.

Quite a few of the people at this meeting were seen by source at the meeting the previous night. They were right up in front.

No literature was passed out.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

MEMORANDUM

TO: SAC (100-47316)

DATE: 6/28/68

FROM: SA WILLIAM S. BETTS

SUBJECT: PHILADELPHIA PEACE CENTER
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(IS)

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On 6/13/68 [redacted] furnished to SA WILLIAM S. BETTS a copy of the June 15 to August 15, 1968, Community Peace Calendar issued by the Community Peace Center. A xerox copy of this item has been furnished to MI, OSI, and NISO for info. A copy of this item follows:

- 1 - New York (CATHOLIC WORKER)(RM)(Info)
- 2 - Baltimore (RM)
 - 1 - AFSC
 - 1 - PEACEMAKER
- 1 - Cincinnati (PEACEMAKER)(Info)(RM)
- ① - Dallas (Info)(RM)
(ASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JFK 11/22/63)
- 25 - Philadelphia
 - 1 - 100-47316
 - 1 - 100-47223 (KITTY BAKER)
 - 1 - 100-45773 (KAY CAMP)
 - 1 - 100-38658 (DR. WILLIAM DAVIDON)
 - 1 - 65-5281 (DR. WILLIAM DAVIDON)
 - 1 - 100-48959 (NINA HERLICK)
 - 1 - 100-43533 (WALLY NELSON)
 - 1 - 100-48265 (VINCENT SALANDRIA)
 - 1 - 100-37398 (ELSA SUPLEE)
 - 1 - 100-49768 (PETER WESTOVER)
 - 1 - 100-4899 (AFSC)
 - 1 - 157-916 (ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY 11/22/63)

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- 1 - 25-39849 (DRAFT RESISTANCE, PHILA.)
- 1 - 100-20238 (FELLOWSHIP HOUSE FARM)
- 1 - 14-206 (FRIENDS PEACE COMMITTEE)
- 1 - 100-43833 (PEACEMAKER)
- 1 - 100-49513 (PAVC)
- 1 - 157-2476 (POCAM)
- 1 - 100-48677 (QAG)
- 1 - 14-212 (RESISTANCE)
- 1 - 100-47194 (SCLC)
- 1 - 100-9882 (WILPF)
- 1 - 100-46020 (WSP)
- 1 - 100-47881 (VIDUM)
- 1 - [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, DALLAS (89-43) (P)

DATE: 9/1/76

FROM : SA ROBERT P. GEMBERLING

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
November 22, 1963,
Dallas, Texas
MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING

OO: DALLAS

On 8/26/76, Supv. [REDACTED] FBI Laboratory, Ext. [REDACTED] telephonically advised that a letter had been received from Congressman RHODES inquiring about some Polaroid prints of the wounds of Officer J. D. TIPPIT, which one GARY CRANE, formerly of 20 East Oak Street, Clayton, New Jersey, and now of RD Tab Farm, 2314 East Alta Vista Road, Phoenix, Arizona, had made inquiry. **b7c**

Apparently CRANE has been unable to find certain Polaroid prints in the National Archives, and his efforts to learn of their whereabouts through the other sources have been unproductive.

Supv. [REDACTED] was advised an interview with Dr. EARL FORREST ROSE, Medical Examiner, Parkland Memorial Hospital, 5201 Harry Hines Boulevard, Dallas, Texas, concerning his autopsy performed on Officer J. D. TIPPIT is set forth on pages 250-261 of the report of SA ROBERT P. GEMBERLING, dated 4/15/64, at Dallas, Texas, under the LEE HARVEY OSWALD caption (100-10461-5200). The last paragraph on page 261 indicates SA ARTHUR E. CARTER received such Polaroid prints. These are recorded as 1A-227 of File #100-10461, and the exhibit envelope indicates they were returned to BETTY J. HARRISON, Secretary to Dr. ROSE, on 3/25/64, by SA ARTHUR E. CARTER. Three copies of each of four prints were submitted to the Bureau as **b7c**

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enclosures to the above described report and one copy was retained in 100-10461 as Exhibit 1A-228.

SA [REDACTED] indicated the foregoing information was adequate for a Bureau response to Congressman RHODES, and that the Dallas Office would be furnished a copy of such Bureau letter. **b7c**

ACTION: FILE and INDEX.

Switzerland

~~Switzerland~~ JFK ASSASSINATION
Crane, Gary

March 1, 1976

Mr. Gary Crane
20 East Oak Street
Clayton, New Jersey 08312

Dear Mr. Crane:

Thank you for your correspondence expressing your interest in the whereabouts of the autopsy photographs of a Dallas police officer, J.D. Tippit, killed in the line of duty on November 22, 1963.

In reference to your request, I contacted Ms. Mabel E. Deutch, Assistant Archivist for the National Archives, telephone (202) 523-3130. She informed me that Mr. Marion Johnson in their building was more familiar with the Tippit case than she. I contacted Mr. Johnson at (202) 523-3152. After reviewing the records on the Tippit case, Mr. Johnson informed me that Dr. Rose had sent 5 polaroid prints of Tippit's wounds to the F.B.I. who were conducting an investigation of the event. Dr. Rose had requested the 5 prints returned after they had served their purpose. The last address Mr. Johnson had on Dr. Rose was the Parkland Memorial Hospital, coronary medical examiner, Dallas, Texas. Mr. Johnson stated he was not aware of any photographs in the possession of his office.

Thank you again for expressing your concern over the location of Tippit's autopsy photographs. If I may further assist you in this or another matter, please feel free to ask.

With Best Wishes,

Sincerely,

James J. Florio
Member of Congress

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NEW ADDRESS-----Ro Tab Farm
2314 East Alta Vista Rd.
Phoenix, Arizona 85040

4 August 1976

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THE HONORABLE JAMES J. FLORIO
U. S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20515

Photos

RE: J. D. TIPPIT autopsy photographs

Dear Congressman Florio:

My efforts to locate the missing, misplaced or destroyed autopsy polaroid prints of Dallas Police Officer J. D. Tippit have been totally unsuccessful as of this moment.

Correspondence with varying individuals, including Dr. Earl F. Rose, former Dallas County Medical Examiner who performed the 1963 autopsy, lead me to believe that the only place where the photographs might still be (providing they have not been destroyed) is in the custody of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. All other probable locations of this vitally important photographic evidence have been competently eliminated.

Since the FBI is rather aloof to private citizens' requests, I thought it wise to request that your office seek the truth from Director Clarence M. Kelley. Your efforts will be deeply appreciated.

The prints are not with: (1) the National Archives; (2) the Dallas County Medical Examiner's Office; (3) Dr. Earl F. Rose. If they are located with any of the above, then officials have been less than candid with me. If the FBI maintains that they do not have the prints, would you please ask them the whereabouts of same. I cannot file an action under the Freedom of Information Act as Amended if I do not know where these prints are located.

RESPECTFULLY YOURS,

Gary Crane
GARY CRANE

89-43-27874
SA

Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

Washington, D.C.

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Congressional Liaison
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Ref: rmd-Crane

Sir:

The attached communication
is sent for your consideration.
Please investigate the statements
contained therein and forward me
the necessary information for re-
ply, returning the enclosed corre-
spondence with your answer.

Yours truly,

John J. Rhodes

John J. Rhodes M. C.
First District, Arizona
Minority Leader

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September 1, 1976

~~Mr. Gary Crane~~
Ro Tab Farm
2314 East Alta Vista Road
Phoenix, Arizona 85040

Dear Mr. Crane:

On August 16, 1976, we received a copy of your letter to Congressman Florio dated August 4, 1976, concerning the autopsy photographs of deceased police officer J. D. Tippit. We are advising the Congressman that your inquiry will be handled pursuant to the Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA).

An exceedingly heavy volume of FOIPA requests has been received these past few months. Additionally, court deadlines involving certain cases of considerable scope have been imposed upon the FBI. Despite successive expansions of our staff responsible for FOIPA matters, substantial delays in processing requests continue.

Since January 1, 1975, the FBI has received a total of 24,972 FOIPA requests. Of these, our present backlog is 8,530. In an effort to deal fairly with any request requiring the retrieval, processing and duplication of documents, each request is being handled in chronological order based on the date of receipt. Please be assured that your request is being handled as equitably as possible and that all documents which can be released will be made available at the earliest possible date.

We are now beginning to work on requests which we received during November, 1975.

Your patience and understanding will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

Clarence M. Kelley
Director

For file
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1 - Assistant Attorney General for Administration - Enclosures (3)
Attention: FOIPA Administrative Unit (Room 1134)

SEE NOTE PAGE TWO.

① - SAC, Dallas (FOIPA Info)

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Mr. Gary Crane

NOTE for SAC, Dallas:

In reference to the telephone call between SA Gemberling and SA ██████████ of the Laboratory, the attached is being handled as an FOIPA request.

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