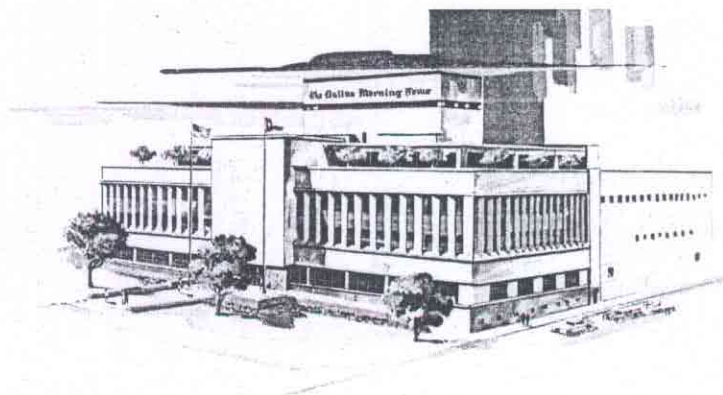


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Harold:

I have enclosed all the articles and documents that you may have not seen.

I have an FOI request in for all material about 'specimen Q5.' Just today Weberman sent me the enclosed FBI report of Nov. 26, 1963, which has specimens Qc37 and Qc38 blacked out. I wonder what they could be?

The Nov. 27, 1978, inventory list, or partial list, to my knowledge has not been made public yet. It was found in Dallas policeman Paul McCaghren's file (see enclosed story). The reason I didn't copy the prior 14 pages of that list is all the items, up to number 375, are identical with the Nov. 26, 1963, list printed in the Warren volumes.

The CIA letter to Marguerite Oswald may interest you. She gave me it because she claims she wrote the first letter the CIA intercepted and then 15 or 16 others to her son in Russia which the CIA apparently didn't intercept. She doesn't believe this.

Weberman interprets the FBI cover letter on his FOI request for results of lab tests on the Hunt letter to mean there were no tests made. Do you interpret it to mean that or do you think the searcher just didn't do a thorough job?

Warren De Brueys told me he was assigned to the Washington FBI headquarters on March 1, 1967. Does this, do you think, link with the Garrison probe going public a few weeks earlier? De Brueys also went into a long explanation of how he asked the Bureau if he could voluntarily testify before the Schweicker committee after Orest Pena publicly accused him of having known Oswald. He said his letter asking the Bureau to let him testify voluntarily and a subpoena from the committee apparently crossed in the mail and he made it very clear to the committee midway through his testimony that he was doing it voluntarily.

What do you make of the James Beaird story about Ruby running guns out of Kemah, Tex? Has this 1976 FBI report ever been publicized in the news?

- Seal

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