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ED HERBERT, News Director, KTVT-TV, 4800 West Lancaster, stated he noticed in the Sunday, Fort Worth Star Telegram a news story alledging that LEE H. OSWALD had reportedly received Western Union Money Orders in the denominations of \$10 and \$20 from an individual in the State of Mississippi, who was described as being a "right winger", a "former Marine", and "may have served with OSWALD in the U. S. Marine Corps".

HERBERT said it occurred to him that BYRON de la BECKWITH, the individual charged with the murder of National Association for the Advancement of Colored People official, MEDGAR EVERS, was both a right winger and a former member of the Marine Corps. HERBERT said that he sent a query to the Associated Press in Jackson, Mississippi, asking that agency to determine whether possibly DE LA BECKWITH had sent Western Union Money Orders to OSWALD. HERBERT said apparently the Associated Press man at Jackson had misunderstood the query and had checked only at the Western Union office to find if money orders had been sent, because HERBERT's reply from the Associated Press in Jackson had said only that there was no record of money orders sent to OSWALD in the Western Union office at Jackson, and no information was set forth about DE LA BECKWITH.

HERBERT stated that the basis for his query was the newspaper story and he had done no further checking into any possible connection between OSWALD and DE LA BECKWITH.

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