

Fred, I checked this lead and it proved totally fallacious. There was an employee with this name but there was no reason to believe that he was lying after he told me of his entire life's stay in the U.S. He had originally come from Scotland or Ireland and after contacting a friend and a relative in the U.S. and brief stays in New York and in Texas (passing thru he came to California.

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S.I.S. info. of Shaw  
John Caldwell  
Desmond's Dept. Store  
mens dept.  
and fed fr. N.O.

According to Rose,  
Caldwell can identify  
3 or 4 friends of Shaw  
in the Los Angeles  
area.

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The man was totally cooperative and answered all questions. He was extremely shocked when I said that I had information to believe that he knew Shaw and some of his acquaintances. He said that he would cooperate if necessary. He further repeated all the details of his story and I made notes. The notes can be examined at a later date but the overall picture to me was that this guy was a total stranger to the entire case or any of its principles.

A bum lead.

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