

**A Matter of GRAVE NATIONAL SECURITY  
Outline**

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  - Developing Investigation †
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  - The probe and the press
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- III. Demise of David Ferrie**
  - The man and his work
  - The hours before death
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- IV. I've Solved It**
  - Ferrie's death
  - Game of Newsmaking
  - Truth and Consequences
  - Through the Looking Glass
- V. Hypnotism, Sodium Pentathol and Other Black Arts**
  - The coming of Russo
  - Clay Shaw's arrest
  - Shock and denial
  - The long hearing

**PART TWO -- The Intermediate Incidents**

- I. A Most Loquacious Fugitive**
  - The Houma incident
  - In and out of the DA's hands
  - Life in Ohio
- II. With the Outgoing Tide**
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  - CIA coverup, the first word
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  - Meeting in Baton Rouge
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  - Phelan on Russo
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