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Miami, Florida

MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION BETWEEN

On either November 9th or November 13th, ¹⁹⁶³ you had a conversation with Joe Milteer of Valdosta, Georgia. A copy of this memo is attached. In this conversation, Milteer disclosed to you that he was trying to organize a new right-wing party and that some of his friends were not only interested in killing President Kennedy but also Martin Luther King. This conversation was taped by Intelligence Division of the Miami Police Dept. and a copy was immediately turned over to the FBI.

At approximately 10:30 the morning of November 22, 1963, Milteer called in Miami. It is concluded that the call was coming from Dallas, Texas. In essence what Milteer said was "I don't think you will ever see your boy again in Miami". According to on a subsequent occasion, Milteer admitted having made this phone call to him from Dallas with the above content.

In view of the previous taped conversation, took the call from Dallas at face value and placed a call to Mr. of the Intelligence Division. Unfortunately, Mr. was asleep, and Mr. did not ask his wife to wake him. Consequently, he called of the Intelligence Div. whose response was "it's no use to tell the FBI about this because they won't do anything about it anyway". Subsequent to the assassination, did call back, have him awakened, and told him of the various events.

Prior to the taping of the conversation in early November, had been sent on several trips with Milteer. One of these trips was to Indianapolis where they tried to organize part of the new right-wing party.

According to , Milteer had set up in advance an alibi for this trip to Dallas. He had written a letter to asking him to meet with him on the evening of Nov. 24th in Jacksonville. This letter was apparently written in Valdosta by Milteer on November 20. That he asked that "the girl" hold it until Nov. 22 for mailing. It arrived at place in time for him to get to Jacksonville on the 24th and meet Milteer.

Apparently, Milteer flew both ways from Valdosta to Dallas and back.

After they met in Jacksonville, they drove to Columbia, South Carolina, where they met with a man by the name of Bolton and another man by the name of Dalton Mimms who owned an electrical shop called Mimms Electrical Company 768 Augusta Street, West Columbia. Both of these men are big shots in the KKK of South Carolina.

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On November 24th, after the news came through that Ruby had shot Oswald, according to _____, Milte~~r~~r told them "all clear, don't worry".

Milte~~r~~r's account of the shooting in Dallas is that Ruby shot from the Mall and that Tippett shot from the top of a building. A good guess is that this was the Daltex Building. Milte~~r~~r was not clear about Oswald's role although he thought he was downstairs in the book depository rather than on the upper floor. _____ guesses that it might have been Milte~~r~~r himself that fired the shots from the windows of the book depository. As to the killing of Tippett, it is _____ belief that Oswald knew that Tippett was going to kill him, so he shot Tippett first. Tippett apparently did not know that Oswald was armed.

In the recorded conversation of November 9th, mention was made of a man by the name of Bond from Chattanooga. This is Jack ~~Bond~~^{Bow}, the grand dragon of the Tennessee clan who owned either a welding or machine shop. He was involved in a number of killings and he has a son named Gerald who is now head of the Tennessee clan.

_____ remarkably enough was also involved in a prediction of the shooting of Martin Luther King. He had been to a _____ meeting in New York where there had been much talk of King's muscling in on _____ in the Memphis situation. He overheard a conversation that King would be killed if he came back to Memphis and kept fiddling with the _____ problems. The day before King was shot, _____ told several people at a local Miami garage that the shooting would take place next evening. When the shooting did take place, he went back and verified it with the people at the garage and this is known to the man in the Intelligence Unit.

_____ has worked for some years as an informant to the FBI. At the moment, he is not in their good graces because of his refusal to keep _____ still about the various assassination problems.

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