

# Ex-Texas Aide Says He Bid Panel Seek Oswald-F. B. I. Ties

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HOUSTON, Sept. 2 (UPI)—  
The Texas Attorney General  
at the time of the assassination  
of President Kennedy said that  
he had urged the Warren Com-  
mission to investigate all F.B.I.  
and C.I.A. personnel for possi-  
ble information linking them  
and Lee Harvey Oswald, but  
received no indication that it  
ever did, The Houston Chroni-  
cle reported today.

"All of the records were in  
the hands of the two agencies  
and, if they so desired, any  
information or files could have  
been destroyed or laundered  
prior to the time the commis-  
sion could get them," Waggon-  
ner Carr, the State Attorney  
General, told The Chronicle.  
"We knew that then, which  
is why we recommended what  
we did."

Mr. Carr wrote to J. Lee  
Rankin, general counsel for the  
Warren Commission, on Jan.  
29, 1964, to ask for such a  
check on agents, informants  
and spies of the C.I.A. and  
F.B.I. who were in Dallas be-  
fore Mr. Kennedy's assassina-  
tion on Nov. 22, 1963.

But Mr. Carr said that he  
had received no answer.

"At the time," Mr. Carr said  
in the copyrighted article, "I  
thought the suggestions were  
basic, very elementary. There  
were no doubts in my mind  
that they [the Warren Commis-  
sion] wouldn't do those things.  
All along, I kept assuming they  
were interviewing all sorts of  
F.B.I. and C.I.A. people, from  
top to bottom. There was no  
way to double check, though,  
to see if they were."

Mr. Carr, according to The  
Chronicle's article, said that  
to this day he was frustrated  
by the Warren Commission's  
total reliance "on the integrity  
of the agency at the time."

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