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THIS IS A COPY OF LETTER TO
SPRAGUE RE BUELL WESLEY FRAZIER.

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DICK

23 Sept 1968

Dick:

Here is another bit of information about Buell Wesley Frazier that you may wish to put in your "Frazier file", if you have not already done so.

CD 344 Secret Service interview with Marina Oswald on the evening of 24 Nov. 1963 (Peter Gregory translating for Marina):

- p.19.... (Q) How did he come about finding this job (at TSBD)?
(A) She says that they visited their neighbors and the brother of their neighbor, who worked in the Book Depository in Dallas mentioned to him that there was a vacancy.
- p.20.... (A) ^{...} The brother of the woman whose name is "Lenny" (sic) is the man that told Lee about this vacancy.
(Q) Do you know the man's name?
(A) She said she does not know.
(Q) He said he worked at this book store?
(A) Yes.

According to all subsequent testimony on the question of how LHO got his job, Linnie Mae Randle told Ruth Faine about the job; then Ruth Faine told LHO and helped him get the job.

As far as I can determine, these statements of Marina are the only reference to Frazier's role in getting LHO the job at the TSBD.

By the way, I trust this SS interview with Marina-- all parts of it-- far more than I trust any of her testimony before the Commission.

Still,

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Dick

Dick Bernabei

P.S. This is merely for your information; no reply required.

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10/3/68

Dear Dick,

Thanks for the valuable miscellany. I note on the excerpt from the SS Marina interrogation that this is what I said in WWII, first chapter. That is not just released, as Lifton says, and is better examined in the context of the relevant SS reports, which I also have. So we are agreed on the greater dependability.

I am not satisfied that the translations, so often interpolations and interpretations, are dependable. I suggest that there is little likelihood Buell was home during the working day and that Ruth's story is more credible. I am not saying Marina here lied. I just think it got garbled.

Because I agree on the potential significance of this source, may I suggest that, in the light of what we have since learned, you first reread my chapter then compare with what you see in the full text. Not only may you see what I then didn't but perhaps some of what I included may trigger other things in your mind.

