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Mr. Harold Weisberg  
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Dear Harold:

Thanks for your letter of February 22. In view of your possible burglary, I am taking another look at mine, and in fact, my whole security setup.

The name you mentioned (Jimmy Robinson) has long been connected with the National States Rights Party. Some of the same people with the NSRP are also connected with the Minutemen. In addition, there are some dual memberships in the Klu Klux Klan, which has an active chapter in the Oak Cliff section of Dallas.

Brumley, mentioned in the attachment, is Maurice Brumley, a very capable investigator.

Several days ago, there was an explosion which scattered a number of Minutemen leaflets in downtown Dallas. If my secretary can locate this particular article, I will enclose it.

You are correct that these people are bad news, and it is a constant fight for me to keep people like these away from Mr. Hunt because they always come to him with a different story from what they really are. Once I know who they are Mr. Hunt has nothing further to do with them, but I am so thinly spread that I don't always know who sees him, especially on weekends.

You are quite correct in assessing the Clay Shaw trial, and I am afraid that your prediction will be very true.

Best personal regards,

Paul M. Rothermel, Jr.

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of President Kennedy's photo, face and profile. He still thought the purchaser looked more like Oswald's photo, except that he had dark curly hair.

On December 9, 1963, Inv. Brumley, Intelligence Unit, Dallas Police Department, discussed this case with the reporting agent, and he thought that Earl Thornton, Klansman, and former associate of Rev. Roy Davis, might be suspect in this case. Thornton offered to allow Davis to use his printing equipment when Davis was in business as Grand Dragon of the Ku Klux Klan. Brumley, who knows Davis personally, doubted however that Davis printed these leaflets. The records show that Thornton is connected with Thornton Electric Company, 2317 E. 11th Street, Dallas (telephone book shows 1726 S. Denly Drive - WH 6-3981).

On December 9, 1963, Intelligence Unit Investigator Brumley, Dallas Police Department, mentioned to the reporting agent the possibility of Jimmy George Robinson, Route 1, Garland, Texas, an organizer for the National States Rights Party, and who is employed for the Long Oil Company, Broadway and Gatewood Road, being involved in this leaflet distribution. It was rumored that sheriff's deputies had recovered a large quantity of these leaflets from Robinson's house. The Sheriff's Office when contacted, however, had no record of such a seizure.

On December 10, 1963, a file on the "Minutemen" #Int-2953, was discovered at the Intelligence Unit, and contained in this file is a leaflet, white in color, but similar in format, captioned "Wanted for Murder" Khrushchev. The leaflet bears the face and profile shots of the Soviet Premier Khrushchev in the same manner as the shots of President Kennedy in the "Wanted for Treason" leaflet. The Khrushchev photos appear to originate from magazine or newspaper clippings as has been established was the case in the preparation of the film of President Kennedy. This Khrushchev leaflet is signed "Minutemen". The printing is of better quality than the "Wanted for Treason" leaflet, but the text in reading sounds like the same or a very similar modus operandi.

On December 10, 1963, Intelligence Unit Agent and the reporting agent contacted Sheriff Bill Decker, Dallas, who said he had information, unconfirmed, that the "Wanted for Treason" leaflets were printed at the Newman Printing Company, Dallas, Texas, for the "Minutemen". The telephone directory shows the Newman Printing Company located at 1525 Edison St., telephone RI 2-9144. It is believed to be operated by Tom R. Newman, 7210 Lakewood Blvd., DAVIS 1-5355.

DISPOSITION

Investigation continued.

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