

Doc 8/12/64

Belli Pays Visit To Ruby in Cell

DALLAS, Aug. 14 (UPI) — San Francisco "King of Torts" Melvin Belli, fired as Jack Ruby's chief defense lawyer nearly five months ago, paid a visit to the condemned killer in his jail cell last night.

Belli would not discuss the meeting but informed sources said it was informal and no legal strategy was discussed.

It was Belli's first trip to Dallas since he left March 16, the day after Ruby was sentenced to death for the killing of accused assassin Lee Harvey Oswald.