

The lack of ability to explore fully and completely every lead and suspicion generated by the evidence is sufficient basis to preclude me from sharing in a categorical finding that Oswald planned and perpetrated the assassination without the knowledge, encouragement or assistance of any other person.

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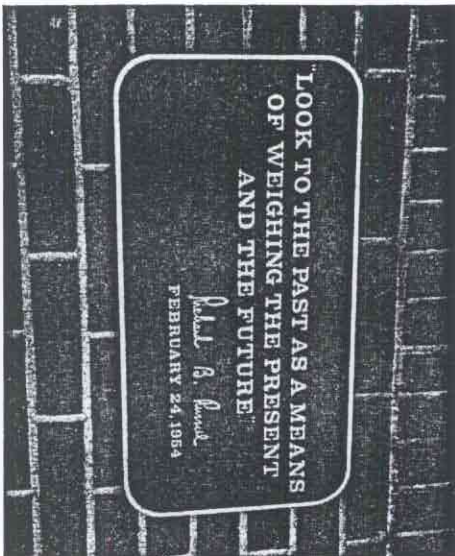
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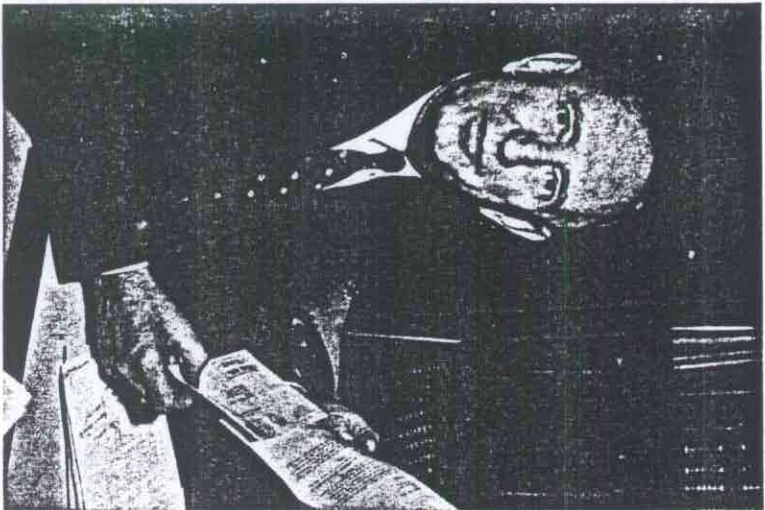
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Richard Brevard Russell, Jr.
(1897-1971)

Senator Russell

Born in Winder, Georgia, on November 2, 1897, Senator Richard Brevard Russell served as a member of the Georgia House of Representatives for ten years, the last three of those years as Speaker of the House.

In 1930, he was elected Governor of Georgia, serving in that capacity for two years, until he was elected United States Senator from Georgia. He was reelected for six additional terms; he served in the Senate for a total of 38 years, until the time of his death in January, 1971.

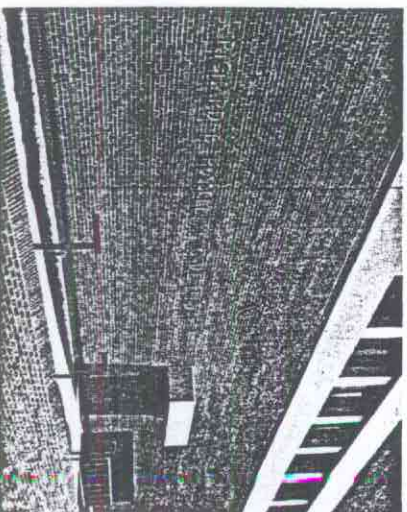
During that time he held some of the most important committee assignments: Chairman of the Armed Services Committee and Chairman of the Appropriations Committee. He was also Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Dismissal of General Douglas MacArthur. From 1969 until his death, he was President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

He served during the terms of seven presidents; of those, he was adviser to and confidant of six: Franklin D. Roosevelt, Harry S. Truman, Dwight D. Eisenhower, John F. Kennedy, Lyndon B. Johnson, and Richard M. Nixon.

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The Russell Library contains the papers, books, motion pictures, sound recordings, photographs, and memorabilia of the late Senator. Additionally, the Library has 147 oral history interviews which were conducted by the Southern Bell Telephone Company on behalf of the Richard B. Russell Foundation, Inc. These interviews are with members of the Russell family, friends, colleagues in the Senate, and former office staff members.

Dedicated in June, 1974, the Library is the culmination of the combined efforts of the Richard B. Russell Foundation, Inc., the State of Georgia, and the University System of Georgia. Because of the scope of the collection in time span and in content, it has been compared in importance with that of a presidential library.



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