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TO DIRECTOR (62-109060) & DALLAS
FROM NEW ORLEANS (89-69)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, DALLAS

TEXAS, NOVEMBER TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING.

BILL STEEL, WDSU RADIO, REPORTED IN BROADCAST TODAY THAT THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE IN AN APPLICATION FOR SEARCH WARRANT HAS ACCUSED LEE HARVEY OSWALD, CLAY SHAW, DAVID FERRIE AND OTHER UNNAMED PERSONS AS BEING PART OF A CONSPIRACY TO KILL JOHN F. KENNEDY IN NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE. THE DOCUMENT, SIGNED BY JUDGE MATTHEW BRANIFF, IN AUTHORIZING SEARCH OF CLAY SHAW'S HOUSE SAYS IN PART, LEE HARVEY OSWALD, SHAW, FERRIE, A CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT AND OTHERS MET AT FERRIE'S APARTMENT IN SEPTEMBER OF NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE TO DISCUSS HOW THEY WOULD KILL JOHN F. KENNEDY.

DURING THE MEETING THE DOCUMENT CHARGES THERE WAS AGREEMENT IN HOW TO CARRY OUT THIS CONSPIRACY. THE CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT, THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY CONTINUED, WAS GIVEN SODIUM PENTOTHAL TRUTH SERUM AND REAFFIRMED HIS STATEMENT.

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THE SEARCH WARRANT RETURNED TODAY SHOWS FOLLOWING ITEMS
FOUND IN RESIDENCE OF CLAY SHAW:

ONE LEDGER SHEET FOR NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE

ONE MAP

THREE PIECES OF ROPE

ONE CHAIN

FIVE WHIPS

PIECES OF CHAIN

TWO PIECES OF LEATHER

ONE ARMY CARTRIDGE BELT

A BLACK HOOD AND CAPE

STEEL FURTHER STATED THAT PRELIMINARY HEARING FOR SHAW HAS
BEEN SET FOR MARCH FOURTEEN NEXT. IT WAS REQUESTED BY GARRISON,
AN UNUSUAL STEP FOR THE PROSECUTION. GUY JOHNSON, ATTORNEY FOR
SHAW SAID THEY DO NOT UNDERSTAND^D THE MOTIVATION OF GARRISON.

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CLAY SHAW ISSUED STATEMENT THIS AFTERNOON IN WHICH HE EXPRESSED SHOCK AT HIS ARREST AND DENIES TAKING ANY PART IN PLOT TO KILL KENNEDY. SHAW SAID HE WAS SHOCKED AND DISMAYED AT THE CHARGES WHICH HAVE BEEN FILED AGAINST HIM, AND IS COMPLETELY INNOCENT OF ANY SUCH CHARGES. HE STATED HS HAS NOT CONSPIRED WITH ANYONE AT ANY TIME OR IN ANY PLACE TO MURDER KENNEDY OR ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL. SHAW WENT ON TO SAY THAT HE HAD ONLY THE HIGHEST RESPECT AND ADMIRATION FOR MR. KENNEDY. SHAW SAID HE DID NOT KNOW OSWALD, NOR TO HIS KNOWLEDGE DID HE KNOW ANYONE WHO KNEW HIM. SHAW STATED HE HAD NEVER SEEN OR SPOKEN TO OSWALD. WITH REGARD TO A QUESTION ABOUT THE NAME CLAY BERTRAND, SHAW SAID HE DID NOT KNOW OF ANY CLAY BERTRAND AND NEVER USED ANY ALIASES.

WHEN ASKED ABOUT FERRIE SHAW SAID HE NEVER MET FERRIE AS FAR AS HE KNEW AND HAD NEVER BEEN IN FERRIE'S APARTMENT.

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