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TO DIRECTOR (62-109060) AND ~~ATLANTA (89-48)~~
DALLAS (89-13)
FROM NEW ORLEANS (89-69) **TELETYPE**
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Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Wick	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY.

DALLAS, TEXAS, NOVEMBER TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE, MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING, ^{OFFICE OF ORIGIN} OO: DALLAS.

CAPTAIN BERT BOYNE, HOUMA PD, ^{POLICE DEPARTMENT} ADVISED SPECIAL AGENT

THIS OFFICE, APRIL FIVE INSTANT, THAT ON THIS DATE CHARGES FOR SIMPLE BURGLARY FILED AGAINST GORDON NOVEL AND SERGIO ARCACHA SMITH BY DISTRICT ATTORNEY WILMORE BROUSSARD, SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, AT REQUEST OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY GARRISON TO SUPPORT GARRISON'S CHARGES OF CONSPIRACY AGAINST AFOREMENTIONED PERSONS.

BOYNE STATED COMPLAINT NO. TWO SEVEN FOUR SIX ZERO FILED WITH HOUMA PD ^{POLICE DEPARTMENT} REPORTED THEFT OF DYNAMITE AT HOUMA AIR BASE, AUGUST TWENTYTWO, SIXTYONE. HOUMA AIR BASE AT THAT TIME OWNED BY HOUMA AIRPORT COMMISSION AND LEASED BY SCHLUMBERGER CO. CAPTAIN BOYNE STATED IN SIXTYONE HOUMA PD DID NOT MAKE PHOTOSTATIC COPIES OF ORIGINAL REPORTS AND HE WAS UNABLE TO LOCATE REPORT PERTAINING TO THIS COMPLAINT.
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BOYNE STATED HE CONTACTED MEMBERS OF HOUMA ^{POLICE DEPARTMENT} PD AND, IN PARTICULAR, ASSISTANT CHIEF OF POLICE IRVING T. SCHEXNAYDER, WHO GAVE FINAL APPROVAL OF ALL REPORTS FILED WITH HOUMA ^{POLICE DEPARTMENT} PD. SCHEXNAYDER THOUGHT THAT REPORT POSSIBLY HAD BEEN GIVEN TO FBI BECAUSE GOVERNMENT AMMUNITION WAS INVOLVED.

CAPTAIN BOYNE STATED THAT TODAY, ^{DISTRICT ATTORNEY} DA BROUSSARD REQUESTED HIM TO CONTACT SPECIAL AGENT OF FBI TO DETERMINE IF FBI HAD ORIGINAL COPIES THIS REPORT IN THEIR FILES.

THE NEW ORLEANS STATES-ITEM FINAL EDITION, APRIL FIVE INSTANT, REPORTED THAT THE ORLEANS PARISH GRAND JURY INDICTED LAYTON PARTICK/MARTENS FOR PERJURY IN CONNECTION WITH THE INVESTIGATION OF THE MURDER OF PRESIDENT JOHN F ITZGERALD KENNEDY. ACCORDING TO NEWSPAPER, MARTENS OF THREE SIX TWO TWO CONSTANCE, WAS ROOMMATE OF DAVID WILLIAM FERRIE AT TIME OF ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY AND WAS ARRESTED WITH FERRIE TWO DAYS LATER.

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MARTENS WAS INDICTED IN CONNECTION WITH TESTIMONY HE GAVE THE GRAND JURY A WEEK AGO RELATING TO GORDON NOVEL, A WITNESS SOUGHT BY DISTRICT ATTORNEY JIM GARRISON. THE INDICTMENT CHARGED MARTENS APPEARED AS WITNESS MARCH TWENTY NINE AND TESTIFIED THAT HE DID NOT RECALL EVER HEARING OF MEETING GORDON NOVEL, THAT HE DID NOT KNOW THE PURPOSE OF THE TRIP WHERE BOXES WERE BEING REMOVED FROM THE BUNKER AND THAT HE DID NOT REMEMBER SERGIO ARCACHA SMITH BEING ON THE TRIP. THE NEWSPAPER ARTICLE SAID THE GRAND JURY CHARGED THIS TESTIMONY WAS PERJUROUS BUT THERE WAS NO EXPLANATION OF WHAT PARTICULAR STATEMENT THE JURY CLAIMS IS FALSE.

UNLESS ADVISED TO CONTRARY BY BUREAU
UACB, BY CLOSE OF BUSINESS, APRIL SEVEN, SIXTYSEVEN,
CAPTAIN BOYNE, HOUMA ^{POLICE DEPARTMENT} PD WILL BE ADVISED THAT FILES THIS OFFICE DO NOT REFLECT REFERRAL THIS MATTER TO FBI.

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