

Mae Brussell, interviewed by Fran Watkins and Larry Bensky.

Brussell:I have a quotation from the new book by Louis Tackwood that I brought in, that's coming out in June -- Avon has ordered half a million printing -- and there's going to be a big party for researchers in LA, and we're all going to be down there, and I'm put down as one of the people that helped with the research of it -- The Glass House Tapes -- and Tackwood talks about Sturgis and the Bay of Pigs group, and he talks about McCord, not McCord, yes, James McCord being in Dallas, being one of the killer men that were in Dallas the day Kennedy was killed, and then going on down to the Bahamas. This is in The Glass House Tapes. That Mr. Martin-(McCord)-was in Dallas and went on down to the Bahamas.

Watkins: We have to go back and question the testimony of Tackwood. Tackwood has been caught in many -- if not -- Well, I don't want to say outright lies, but very much of the things that he has said have been questioned. So I think that we have to look very carefully at -- on what basis did he say that McCord was in Dallas ?

Brussell: But you see, I am a researcher, and when people like Tackwood surface -- I believe that your station had all the tapes and interviews --

Watkins: That's right.

Brussell: And I'm the only one in the United States that's said, okay, I've done eight years work; now I'm going to take everything he said, and when I find something wrong I'll rule him out. And I have spent two years since then, and I've gone through everything he said, and I've known him personally -- he spent three weeks at my house -- co-authoring another book with him -- I can't find anything that's been disproven that he made in the original allegations, so I have to challenge you to tell me what he said that was wrong. And then we'll go back and talk about Tackwood.

Watkins: No. Okay. I say there are many many things that he said that have not been proven.

Brussell: Well...

Watkins: That there's no evidence for.

Brussell: Oh --

Watkins: Now let's go back and talk about McCord.

Bensky: Let's talk specifics.

Brussell: In his Glass House tapes -- he has the tapes that referred to him being in Dallas -- and this will be in the book, The Glass House Tapes, and you'll see it, it'll be out next month. And he, in the tapes, from the Squad 19 plans, referring to McCord, whose name ~~was~~ he had, he says, was in Dallas. That's part of the book.