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Anna: The staff had two objectives in going to the Records Center in St. Louis: (1) To develop personalidentifying data on individuals of interest as a first step in locating them. We are seeking to locate these individuals to determine whether they possess (or are aware of the exixtence of) assassination records.(2) To locate assassination records that can be found in personnel files. As you well know, personnel files are a rich resource for the researcher. They contain a wide range of types of records (performance evaluations, disciplinary actions, letters of commendation, etc.) that can reveal a great deal not only about individuals, but also about institutions and events. In fact, personnel files may be the only source for a record whose other copies have been destroyed. St. Louis may have extremely important (an undiscovered) records. In my view it is a rich and important resource that should be exploited. To:David Marwell @ JFK-ARRB.GOV (David Marwell) @ Internetcc: (bcc: David Marwell/ARRB)From:ANELSON @ american.edu ("Anna K. Nelson") @ Internet @ WORLDCOM Date:07/19/96 11:24:27 AM CDTSubject:Re: UpdateDavid, Thanks for the update. I'm sure the Personnel Center in St. Louis isrich in information --but-- are we seeking reminiscences or are weseeking records? Since we are not investigating, what sort of records canwe find? Missing FBI notes? Maybe, but I hope the staff doesn't take toomuch time taking depositions, etc. unless there is a real opportunity forclarifying existing records or finding new ones. Thanks again for the update. It is just what we need to keep abreastwithout requiring (I hope) too much staff time.

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