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1528 CANADA BLVD., SUITE 208 GLENDALE, CALIFORNIA 91208 245-8578 — 242-0722 — 241-6035

June 30, 1965

Mrs. Merguerite Cawald Box 9578 Fort Forth, Texas

Dear Mrs. Cowald:

Lee Harvey oswald

I recently case across a new development in the Kennedy surder case. I find that there is substantial reason to believe that Ar. Aennedy was not riding in the motorcade at the time of his reported assassination. I have reason also to believe that the man taking his place in the car was named Officer J. D. Tippit

Several sonths ago I sent a telegron to Mr. Robert Kennedy requesting him to make a Senate speech denouncing the murderers of his brother, fresident John Kennedy. To date, this speech has not asterialised and now it is obvious to me that if what I believe now to be the truth, it would be impossible for Senator Ecanedy to make any denounciation of an event that did not happen.

A coreful study of the Warren Commission report is now in order to reassess some of the herotofore unexplained events and statements.

As reported to you earlier. I stated that a simulated assassination attempt was in progress at the time of the shooting at 12:30%. The sevender 22, 1963. This statement still holds as factual. The complete reading of all Secret Service personnel rejorts verify this, since all reports include the fact that a firecracker was discharged at the critical moment.

As you know. I feel that your con. Lee Harvey Cawald, was part of this protective screen of agents working on behalf of President Kennedy. Since this has been proved, it is incongruous to believe that President Kennedy would have been allowed to expose himself personally to the Cangers inherent in such an operation. The information that the man taking his place was Officer J. D. Rippit is withhold at the present time from this correspondence. However, it would be wise to reassess in light of some of the information contained in latter as follower 6 1965

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(2) The finding of four 38 caliber bullets of two manufacturers in the Tippit murder and the coincidence of "Fresident Kennedy" being struck by at least four bullets. (3) The tramendous sympathy and compassion evidenced for Mrs. J. D. Tippit following the assassination. (4) Mr. J. D. Tippit's reported association with Jack Ruby prior to the assassination; keeping in sind that hr. Ruby was part of the protective group. (5) The heretofore unexplained reason for Mr. Jack Ruby's visits to the scene of the esessination, his reported presence at Farkland Hospital, and the physical evidence of the bullet on the stretcher, and the 38 caliber cartridges found in the Oak Cliff section which ballistically matched the bullets in Tippit's body. (6) The covering of President Kennedy's head from the view of photographers upon his admission to Parkland Hospital even though a subsequent trachectomy was performed to allow him adequate breathing. (7) The fact that pictures of the arrest of Lee Harvey Cawald at the theater are subject to doubt, and the fact that Lee Harvey Cawald did not throw away the evidence of his revolver us until the time of his reported arrest. (8) The fact that Lee Marvey Cawald was charged only with the Tippit murder initially by the Dallas police. (9) Explains the lock of details of the Tippit autopsy in the Warren Cosmission report whereas complete details of other people supposedly murdered on that day are fully covered. (10) Explains Warren Commission affadavits which question the reason for lack of photographs of Officer Tippit. (11) Possibly explains in some degree the burning of the doctors' notes during the autopsy of "Fresident Lennedy". (12) Explains serious discrepancies in the Tippit shooting in the Oak Cliff section. (13) Gives a reason why Officer Tippit did not call on the radio prior to his supposed shooting in the Oak Cliff section. (14) Explains why it was necessary for Tippit to have been shot four times with a .38 caliber bullet, which, of course, was the caliber of the bullet used in the Depository Building (15) Possibly explains to some degree why "President Kennedy's" shirt was washed and not kept for pristine condition for examination for blood type.

(16) Explains a coincident happening of two "murders" in Dallas within such a short period of time of each other, and explains the reason why the "Tippit murder" had to take place in the Oak Cliff section following the abortive attempt to expose the murder plot and national conspiracy to overthrow the Government. (17) Explains lack of detail of the methods by which Secret Service was possibly utilizing doubles in protection of public figures. (18) Possibly gives an explanation of a reported secret tape Kennedy died of natural causes.

made which quoted Chief Justice Warren as saying that Fresident

The above items are just a few lines of investigation which should be conducted to determine the facts of not only your son's participation in this affair; but the clearing of the dishonor to this country that is being compounded daily.

Some of this information was given to the local agent of the Federal Eureau of Investigation two days ago for evaluation.

I sincerely hope, Hrs. Osvald, that this will be of some vine to you in your atudion.

Thank you again for your kind association in the past and the privilege of permitting me to participate on your behalf until this is completely elegred up.

Sincerely yours,

GOT: RE

CC: Senator Robert Zonnedy Ars. Jacqueline Kennedy Mr. Thillip Delly Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Mr. Micholas B. de Katszenbach To all interested parties File

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TO:

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FROM:

SAC. DALLAS (47-0) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

DAVID LAWVER IMPERSONATION

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On 6/25/65, at 11:50 A. M., JAMES C. BOWLES, Sergeant in Charge, Dispatcher's Office, PD, Dallas, Texas, telephonically contacted this office and advised SA EDWIN D. KUYKENDALL as follows:

Miss MAURICE PETTY, telephone clerk, Dispatcher's Office, Dallas PD, at 11:40 A. M. that day received a telephone call. This call was referred to her when it came in and a man on the line told her that President Kennedy got killed in Dallas on 11/22/63, and asked her did OSWALD kill him. The caller told her it was the FBI in Chicago, Illinois, calling. She asked him if his call was from the FBI in Chicago and he repeated that it was. She then turned this call over to Sergeant BOWLES.

Sergeant BOWLES then was informed by the male caller that he was DAVID LAWVER, a white male, age nineteen, calling from Akron, Ohio, and gave his telephone number as JE 5-9994. The call came in, according to BOWLES, without comments from a long distance operator which indicated that direct dialing was apparently utilized by the caller. The caller said he had his back injured while in the Navy and was in Walter Reed Hospital in 1954. This comment indicated to BOWLES that the caller would have to be more than nineteen years of age.

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The caller told BOWLES the reason for his call was that he had been going over the book on JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY's assassination and he wanted to know why OSWALD killed KENNEDY; why RUBY was in the City Hall basement; why RUBY had a gun; why OSWALD was killed; how many shots were fired; did they still have RUBY; what did they plan to do with RUBY; and a few other similar questions.

BOWLES stated the caller sounded insane to him. He furnished the above for the FBI's information.

Dallas Office indices are negative concerning DAVID LAWVER.

The Bureau and Chicago are furnished the above for information, Chicago being advised because subject first claimed the call was being made by him from FBI, Chicago.

No action is contemplated by the Dallas Office.

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AT AKRON, OHIO. Will attempt to identify subject through telephone of 5-9994 and/or directories and establish sources.

If the subject's identity is established, check indices and determine whether an interview with subject to admonish him concerning impersonation is advisable.

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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY 11-22-63, DALLAS, TEXAS MISCELLANEOUS -INFORMATION CONCERNING Lee Oswald

There are enclosed for the Bureau an article appearing in the New York Times, International Edition, Paris, 6-23-65 regarding a book called "L'Affaire Oswald" (The Oswald Affair) by LEO SAUVAGE, a writer for "Le Figaro", a reputable Paris daily newspaper, and one copy of the book. The enclosed article gives a summary of the book.

The enclosures are furnished for the information of the Bureau and the completion of Bufiles.

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Frenchman's Book

Special to The New York Times.

by the New York correspondent pothesis, was conceived by unof Le Figaro, the highly respected Paris newspaper, accuses the Warren commission on the as- trial of Oswald would have revsassination of President Ken- ealed his innocence. nedy of having set out to prove Lee Harvey Oswald guilty.

author charges.

The author is Leo Sauvage, York.

Mr. Sauvage, throughout his nation of President Kennedy." 442-page hook, "L'Affaire Mr. Sauvage's own investiga-Oswald," expresses a conviction tion presents no new evidence."

that Oswald was innocent. He advances an unsubstantiated Says Warren Panel hypothesis that the market be president Kennedy and his suspected assassin may have hypothesis that the murders of Ignored Plot Angle suspected assassin may have been the result of two separate

The plot to kill the President, PARIS, June 22-A new book according to the Sauvage hyspecified Southern racists.

According to Mr. Sauvage, a

The core of Mr. Sauvage's attack on the Warren Commis-"The Warren Commission sion is the charge that the panel comported itself not like an refused to explore avenues not investigating body charged with designed to prove Oswald's establishing the truth, whatever guilt. Citing a number of cirit may be, but like a prosecutor cumstances and charges that determined to win his case," the in his view are unsolved mysteries, he declares:

"What all these mysteries who for the last 15 years has have in common is that they represented Le Figaro, a con-leave no doubt as to the fact servative morning daily, in New that there has never been a serious inquiry into the assassi-

(Indicate page, name of newspaper, city and state.) New York Times International Edition

June 23, 1965 Edition: International

Author:

Editor:

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Mr. John W. Douglas Assistant Attorney General Director, FBI 105-8255

June 15, 1965

1 - Mr. Sullivan

1 - Mr. Belmont 1 - Mr. Rosen

1 - Mr. Malley

JOHN J. KING V. NICHOLAS deB. KATZENHACMT. Shroder 1 - Mr. Raupach ATTORNEY GLADRAL OF THE UNITED STATES

(US DC D. COLO.) CIVIL NO. 9168

Lee HARVEY

In response to your letter dated June 9, 1965, your reference JWD: AFLeathers: ic, 145-12-979, the described weapons listed in the complaint of John J. King are being temporarily retained by this Bureau. We have not received any provious information concerning contracts to dispose of the weapons and no investigation has been conducted concerning this matter. The President's Commission assigned these weapons Commission exhibit numbers, whichwere revealed in the Commission report. The rifle was given Commission Exhibit Rumber 139 and the .33 revolverCD Commission Exhibit Number 143. The President's Commission, utilized these weapons on several occasions during the course of their official investigation and subsequently returned them to this Dureau for temporary retention until disposition is determined by the Attorney General.

This Bureau is not aware of any Departmental regulations or orders relating to this matter. My letter dated February 24, 1965, addressed to former Assistant Attorney Conoral Herbert J. Miller, Jr., captioned "Assassination of President John Fitzgerald Kennedy, November 22, 1963, Dallas, Texas, Miscellaneous - Information Concerning," relates to the "Retention of Physical Items Pertaining to the Assassination." Reference is made to my letter dated May 4, 1965, addressed to the Deputy Attorney General captioned "Legislative Program Number 304 - Providing for the Acquisition and Preservation by the United States of Certain Items of Evidence Portaining to the Assassination of President John Fitzgerald Kennedy. This letter was in response to the communication of Mr. Herbert E. Hoffman dated May 3, 1965. We do not have in our possession any relevant documents, such as contracts, items of correspondence; transcripts of administrative

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NOTE: See Rosen to Belmont memo dated 6/14/65, entitled "Assassination of President John Fitzgerald Kennedy, November 22, 1963, Dallas, Texas, Miscellaneous - Information Concerning."

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Mr. John W. Douglas hearings and administrative rules or orders relating to this matter or any information which would establish the legal ownership of the weapons described in the complaint by Mr. John J. King. It is pointed out this Eureau did not recover the described weapons. The rifle was recovered in the Texas School Book Depository Building by representatives of the Dallas County Sheriff's Office and the Dallas, Texas, Police Department which information may be found in the report of The President's Commission on the Assassination of President Kennedy, page 79. The revolver was recovered by members of the Dallas, Texas, Police Department following the arrest of Lee Harvey Oswald in the Texas Theater Building and the facts relating to this arrest begin on page 176 of the Commission report. Subsequently, these items were furnished to the FBI for appropriate examination and temporary custody. In connection with the answer to the complaint you intend to file, we have no facts beyond the allegation in the complaint in addition to those set forth herein. Consequently we are not in a position to comment conscraing the procedures to be followed by the Department in its pleadings in this matter. 1 - Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr. Assistant Attorney General

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Mr. James J. Ellswick

41-25 Case Street
Elmhurst, New York

Dear Mr. Ellswick:

Your letter of June 17th has been received and it was indeed thoughtful of you to write as you did. I want to take this opportunity to thank you for giving me the benefit of your views.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles and the movie, Manchurian Candidate, has been brought to the Bureau's attention on previous occasions.

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M: James J. Ellswick 41-25 Case Street Elmhurst, N.Y.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.
Dear Sir:

Much money and time has been spent on finding or attempting to find the reasons or cause for the death of our late and beloved president John F. Kennedy. Two years ago I sat thru a motion picture which dealt with the asassination of a future president and his wife. The title of this picture was: Manchurian Candidate "and starred Frank Sinatra.

If the late Harvey Lee Oswald had seen this picture I am sure it would have been the motivating force in his asassination of our late president. I sincerely urge you and if possible a few of the people involved in the investigation of our presidents death to view this picture as soon as possible and form your own opinion. Thank you for taking the time to read this letter and hope it will aid you in your constant search for the truth I remain

Sincerely

James J. Ellswick

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