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Issue # 71Description of Activity Activity Date: 05/02/96Subject: Final Report Re: Perry Raymond Russo THIS ISSUE IS CLOSED The undisclosed source who's information prompted this investigation thought Perry may have had tapes of conversations re: the Garrison Investigation & may have died under mysterious circumstances. The source's name is known only by David Marwell, Tom Samoluk & myself. The source said it was unusually difficult to obtain information about Perry's death in 1995 & was concerned as to why an autopsy was done for a person who he said was not of notoriety. He also found it strange that the New Orleans Police Department (within which he had many close contacts & received similar information in the past) would not provide any information on Perry's cause-of-death or any surviving relatives. The source knew of a brother of Perry's, but didn't know his name or any other possible information except that his investigator felt Perry's brother worked in the insurance business. I found Perry's brother in Louisiana & his name is Dr. Edwin Price Russo; he holds a Ph.D. in mechanical engineering, is with the University of New Orleans & is not in the insurance business. Edwin is the executor of Perry's will and plans on handling the probate himself. He has reviewed the will and there is no mention of any files, tapes, journals, agreements, binders or anything similar. Perry died with very little except for his home on Navarre street which Edwin supervised the cleaning of so it could be rented. None of the articles mentioned above were found in the home. Perry was unfamiliar with any unusual circumstances re: Perry's death but felt their relationship was so estranged that he doesn't know what or who Perry may have been involved with. Edwin provided a copy of Perry's death certificate as well as a copy of the autopsy report. He has no information on any other assassination-related records. Both documents list the cause of death as: "coronary heart disease". \* The death certificate has the name "Jean Newman" written within an area designated for the signature & address of the funeral director. The name and address typed on the certificate in this space is for "Jacob Schoen & Son, Inc." in New Orleans.

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