

Investigative Update for Week Ending October 20, 1995

To: David G. Marwell

From: Anne Buttimer

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Re: Weekly Investigative Activity

Anne

* I left on a five day, four city trip Sunday afternoon. I met with the Tampa Police Department concerning records it has from FPCC activity in that city in the early 1960's, as well as records from JFK's visit to Tampa on November 18, 1963. See Gum Shoe Issue 31 for Interview Report.

* I interviewed Frank Ragano in Tampa. See Gum Shoe Issue 58 for Interview Report.

* I met with Bill Sievert (Military Records Section) and Bill Gray (Civilian Records Section) of the National Personnel Records Center in St. Louis. See Gum Shoe Issue 53 for Interview Report.

* I met with Rebecca Patton and representatives of the Illinois Legislative leadership to determine how the Review Board will gain access to the records of the Illinois Legislative Investigative Commission. The HSCA used the records. See Gum Shoe Issue 33 for Interview Report.

* I met with John Daly of the Illinois State Archives to determine if the archives has assassination related records from Illinois state or local agencies. See Gum Shoe Issue 33 for Interview Report.

* I met with Gerry Gladden of the Chicago Crime Commission to determine how the Review Board will gain access to the records of the Crime Commission. The HSCA used the records. See Gum Shoe Issue 33 for Interview Report.

* I met with representatives of the Chicago Police Department to determine how the Review Board will gain access to Chicago P.D. records the HSCA used. See Gum Shoe Issue 33 for Interview Report.

Dave

* Dave interviewed John Sigalos, Esq by telephone concerning any concerns or issues that his client, Charles Bronson, has about donating the so-called "Bronson film" to the JFK Collection. (See Gum Shoe Issue 62.)

* Dave interviewed HSCA photographic enhancement team member Dr. Donald Janney by telephone. Dr. Janney performed many of the tasks related to photographic analysis of assassination films while he was employed at the Los Alamos laboratory. It is hoped the interview with Dr. Janney will lead to records concerning those tests, and possibly the whereabouts of the Nix film and other assassination films used by the HSCA.

* Dave re-interviewed assassination researcher Mark Oakes about Oakes' four and one-half hour video tape of several assassination related witnesses and associated individuals. Oakes agreed to donate a copy of his video to the JFK Collection but is concerned about copyright restrictions. (I'll review this matter with Jeremy and advise Dave.) Dave will meet with him this Sunday when he attends the COPA conference.
(Gum Shoe Issue 9.)

* Dave is out of the office for two days this week on personal leave.

Dave