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**MICHAEL RALPH PAINE;
RUTH HYDE PAINE**

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Synopsis:

Mrs. ARTHUR M. YOUNG, Philadelphia, mother of MICHAEL RALPH PAINE, advised she and son's father were divorced winter of 1933-1934, Virginia City, Nev. Custody of child given to her and no visitations by divorced husband, except for ten days, when son was tiny child. Ex-husband seen by Mrs. YOUNG at PAINE wedding, six years ago. MICHAEL PAINE attended Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pa., school year 1950 - 1951. Dropped from school as having unsatisfactory record.

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Mrs. ARTHUR M. YOUNG, 1810 Delancey Place, advised she and her former husband, GEORGE LYMAN PAINE, JR., were divorced in the winter of 1933-1934, after she established six weeks' residence in Virginia City, Nev.

As a result of this divorce, she was given the custody of MICHAEL RALPH PAINE, their son. She said when her son was a small child he spent ten days with his paternal grandparents and she could recall no other association between the father and son until the father attended the wedding of the son about six years ago.

She said her son, MICHAEL, was a reluctant letter writer and she doubted there was much correspondence between father and son.

On December 19, 1963, Mrs. YOUNG telephonically contacted SA JOHN R. WINEBERG and stated she had talked to her daughter-in-law, RUTH PAINE, the evening of December 18, 1963, and RUTH PAINE advised that MICHAEL PAINE's father had visited the PAINES on one occasion several years ago when the PAINES lived in Texas. She also said MICHAEL PAINE visited his father over a weekend while they have been in Texas.

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[REDACTED] Swarthmore, Pa., made available the college record on a MICHAEL R. PAINE, which contained the following information:

Attendance	September 25, 1950, to June 13, 1951 (after two years attendance at Harvard University)
Major	Physics
Minor	Math and Chemistry
Rank	120th in class of 128
Failing grades	Mechanical Heat and Sound Economics Science Probability and Statistics
Former College	Harvard University, 1947 - 1948 and 1948 - 1949 school years, majoring in Physics
Home address	35 East 75th Street, New York City 21 (resided in school dorm)
Date of birth	June 25, 1928
Place of birth	New York City
High School	Graduated Horace Mann-Lincoln High School New York City, 1947
Next of kin	Father - LYMAN PAINE, JR. (divorced) occupation architect
Mother	RUTH FORBES YOUNG (Mrs. ARTHUR M. YOUNG) housewife and artist

On 12/19/63 at Swarthmore, Pa. File # Philadelphia 105-9987

by SA THOMAS F. LEWIS /djs Date dictated 12/19/63

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Brother CAMERON F. PAINE, 18 years old
Military service None
Marital status Single
Height 6'2"
Weight 165 pounds

Personal statement concerning reason for attending Swarthmore College included the following quotation:

"After leaving Harvard I lived in a barn where I built a machine shop and an electrical shop. My objective was to study in this shop in my own manner. I was unable to make friendships at Harvard. The thing that troubles my mind is my relationships with other people; therefore, I chose Swarthmore to take part in social life and to defeat the most difficult thing for me to do."

The file on PAINE included alumni office address cards with the following addresses:

35 East 75th Street, New York 21, N. Y.

RD #1, Malvern, Pa.

Card dated October 19, 1959, advising new address 2515 West 5th Street, Irving, Texas.

Also in the file was a news clipping dated October 27, 1957, from the Philadelphia Sunday Bulletin announcing the engagement of RUTH HYDE of Philadelphia, daughter of Mrs. WILLIAM A. HYDE, Columbus, Ohio, to MICHAEL PAINE, to take place December 28, 1957, at Providence Monthly Meeting of Friends, Media, Pa. Miss RUTH HYDE had graduated from Antioch College in Ohio in 1955.