

December 2, 1963

Mr. J. E. Barry  
Chief of Police

Re: Information regarding Jack Ruby  
and Lee Oswald

Sir:

This report is in regards to information received from a David Van Meter, 3815 Mt. Washington, FE 1 1325. Van Meter had stated a subject by the name of Julius Hardie, employee Industrial Electric Equipment Company, had quoted another employee of the same firm as saying that Jack Ruby and Lee Oswald had roomed together. Investigators contacted Hardie by phone and learned that this other employee was Gaston Powell, 3122 Rockford, no phone.

Powell related that this was only idle conversation he had heard from another source and later found out it was not true.

There is no basis for the above information.

Respectfully submitted,

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