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# LEADS:

Leads have been previously set forth by teletype and are, therefore, not being restated.

#### INFORMANTS:

CI T-1 is Chio Bell Telephone Co., Columbus, Ohio, who requested that her identity not be disclosed.

Security Informants, Criminal Informants, Potential Informants and Sources of the Cincinnati Division were unable to furnish any information concerning subject. Identities of Informants and Sources, as well as dates contacted and identities of Contacting Agents are available in the Cincinnati Files. \* FD-204 (Rev. 3-3-58)

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CI T-1 advised GENE DAUGHRETY called JACK PAYTON in Houston, Texas, 11/24/63, and asked, "What do you think about the recent development in Texas?" EUGENE ALPHONSUS O'DOHERTY, 1167 South Eigh Street, Columbus, Ohio, advised 11/25/63 he telephoned JACK PAYTON evening of 11/24/63 at Houston to discuss his possible employment by PAYTON. During course of conversation, he asked PAYTON what he thought of developments in Texas, meaning the assassination of President KENNEDY and the apprehension of OSWALD. does not recall PAYTON's reply but believes it was along the lines of, "That's the worse thing that could happen to us in Texas:" O'DOHERTY never heard of subject or JACK RUBY until their names were mentioned following the assassination. Information concerning miscellaneous telephone calls set out. Sgt. DONALD SWARTZ, Columbus, Ohio, P.D., advised 11/29/63 he received unverified information to the effect that subject attended Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio, in 1957. Investigation discloses that subject did not attend this college, but that RUTH AVERY PAINE, nee HYDE, 2515 West 5th St., Irving, Texas, attended Antioch College from 10/31/49 until 6/25/55.

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> INFORMATION REGARDING TELEPHONE CALL FROM EUGENE ALPHONSUS O'DOHERTY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, TO JACK PAYTON, HOUSTON, TEXAS

CI T-1 advised on November 25, 1963, that GENE <u>DAUGHRETY</u> made a telephone call from Columbus, Ohio, telephone number 444-7231, which is located in a bar at 1312 South High Street, Columbus, Ohio, to JACK PAYTON, telephone number MA 3-6217, Houston, Texas, at 9:26 P.M. on November 24, 1963. CI T-1 was able to hear parts of the conversation as follows:

<u>DAUGHRETY</u> asked, "What do you think about the recent development in Texas?" PAYTON replied, "It is a good thing they got him before we were implicated."

CI T-1 advised that they then had a conversation about a "group" which was not clear to informant.

PAYTON then stated, "Our maxt move will be to get behind them so we can overthrow JOHNSON."

At another period in the conversation PAYTON said, "It's a good thing they think of him as an ultra-leftist."

Later PAYTON asked <u>DAUGHRETY</u> "What about the reaction from Moscow?" <u>DAUGHRETY's</u> reply was not heard. <u>DAUGHRETY</u> asked, "What about RUBEN?" PAYTON cut him off in the middle of a sentence, and said, "Remember, we have given our names."

<u>DAUGHRETY</u> advised PAYTON that he could be reached at his home telephone number 443-3491 after 10:00 P.M. FD-302 (Rev. 3-3-39)

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EUGENE ALPHONSUS O'DOHERTY, 1167 South High Street, was advised that he did not have to make a statement and that any statement he did make could be used against him in a court of law. He was advised he had the right to an attorney. He furnished the following information:

O'DOHERTY advised that he has received education in Ireland, which would be considered slightly higher than a high school diploms in this country. He attended Murlog National School, Lifford County, Donegal; St. Columbs College, Derry City, County Derry; St. Eunans College, Letterkenny County, all Ireland. He advised that he has never been arrested either in the United States or any other country.

O'DOHERTY served in the Irish Army from August, 1934, to August, 1944, SN 74298, and received an Honorable Discharge with the rank of Private. He had held the rank of Sgt., but voluntarily had his rank reduced to private so that he might receive a Compassi~ate Discharge on the death of his mother. Following his discharge, until about 1946 or 1947, he held odd jobs in Ireland and then became self-employed as a photographer at 65 Sheil Road, Liverpool, England, under the business name of Corrib Photography.

He also was engaged during this period of time on a part-time basis as a driving instructor in Liverpool. He stated that for approximately one year before coming to the United States in 1962, he worked as a driving instructor with the O'Connell Bridge School of Motoring, Dublin, Ireland. Since June, 1963, he has been employed at Columbus, Ohio, as a driving instructor with the Motor Club of Columbus Driving School, 3422 E. Broad Street, and the Grove City School of Driver Education. His superior in the above employment is WALTER DICE. His Social Security Number is 456-74-2131.

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- <u>11/25/63</u>	er Columbus, Ohio	Date dictated
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His only relatives in the United States are: brother, JOHN K. O'DOHERTY, 6611 W. North Avenue, Oak Park, Illinois, an insurance agent; brother, VINCENT JOSEPH O'DOHERTY, Columbus, Ohio; sister, Mrs. ELEANOR GLADYS CORSER, last known to reside at 1700 Kenwood Avenue, Austin, Texas.

O'DORERTY holds Alien Registration Card No. A13105157. This card reveals that he was admitted to the United States as an immigrant on August 23, 1962 at the Port of New York City. This was his first entry into the United States and he has remained since that time on an immigrant visa issued by the American Embassy, Dublin, Ireland. He holds Ireland passport No. E259653, issued by the Irish Government on 6/26/62. He advised that he intends filing for U. S. citizenship upon the completion of two years required residence.

He stated that upon his errival \$/23/62 at New York City, he immediately flow to Austin, Texas, to reside with his sister, Mrs. ELEANOR GLADYS CORSER, and he continued residence with this sister until he moved to Columbus, Ohio, in May, 1963, to reside with his brother, VINC'NT JOSEPH O'DOHERTY, 1167 S. High Street. He stated that he came to Columbus from Austin for the purpose of finding permanent employment. He further advised that the above sister at Austin, Texas, was employed in a secretarial capacity with the Internal Revenue Service, Austin, but she recently changed jebs.

He further advised that while he was at Austin, he was employed intermittently as a photographer, beginning in October, 1962, and ending May, 1963, for JACK PATTON, who operated the Rainbow Studios, San Antonio Highway, Austin, Texas. He stated that PATTON also operated a business at Houston, Texas. - O'DOHERTY estimates that he worked from ten weeks to

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three months at Austin and approximately three weeks at Houston for PAYTON. He stated that PAYTON contracted with various department stores, such as Montgomery-Ward, on a percentage basis, to take pictures of their customers, principally children. He stated PAYTON's current address is P. O. Box 543, Bellaire, Houston, Texas.

O'DCHERTY described PAYTON as a strongly religious individual, who is a member of the Baptist faith. He stated that PAYTON goes to church twice on Sunday and usually carries a Bible with him at all times. He further advised that he thinks PAYTON is a member of the John Birch Society, but is not certain of this. He stated that PAYTON does possess a copy of the Blue Book of the John Birch Society and has often praised the Society in his presence. He further advised that PAYTON is strongly anti-Communist and once indicated to O'DOHERTY in conversation that he had engaged in picketing at some unknown place for an anti-Communist cause.

O'DOHERTY stated that PAYTON had expressed dissatisfaction with the U.S. pelicy toward Cuba and thought that this country should force on site inspection for missile sites of that country. He stated PAYTON was certain that President KENNEDY was no Communist but he felt that KENNEDY could have taken a stronger action toward Cuba. He is satisfied that PAYTON has never expressed any animosity whatever against President KENNEDY and has heard him state he would rather have President KENNEDY as President than LYNDON JOHNSON. He never expressed any particular reasons for preferring KENNEDY over JOHNSON.

He further stated that PATTON appeared to favor some of the things done by Najor General EDWIN WALKER and other activities of General WALKER were not favored by PATTON. He remembers that PATTON expressed dissatisfaction with Najor General WALKER making an appearance at Mississippi University, Oxford, Mississippi, during the racial trouble relating to getting Mr. MEREDITH into that school. PATTON expressed the idea that this

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was a foolish act on the part of Gen. WALKER. He does not believe that PAYTON did in anyway financially support? Gen. WALKER.

O'DOHERTY further advised that he has never known PAYTON to own any type of firearms except a .22 caliber rifle which he used to shoot squirrels and snakes around his home at Austin. He stated that PAYTON is definitely not a wan of violence and he cannot imagine him joining others in any form of violence. He stated he does not have any reason to believe that PAYTON is acquainted with or possesses any information , regarding LEE HARVEY OSWALD and/or JACK RUBY. He further advised that he has no reason to believe that PAYTON is in any way connected with the assassination of President KENNEDY.

He stated he last saw PAYTON during May, 1963, when he, O'DOHERTY, came to Columbus. Shortly after his arrival in Columbus, O'DOHERTY wrote PAYTON one letter thanking him for the help which #AYTON had given him in the way of employment. He also telephoned PAYTON shortly after he started working in Columbus, to tell him that he had obtained a job here. He stated that PAYTON appeared to like him and was interested in knowing that he was getting along all right. He further advised that PAYTON had called him about a week ago (11/18/63), to ask if he was still employed and indicated that he was thinking of the Christmas photography business again. O'DOHEETY stated he had worked the previous Christmas season for PAYTON and it appeared to him that PAYTON desired to have him return to Texas to work during this Christmas season as a photographer.

O'DOHERTY volunteered that he telephoned PAYTON during the evening of 11/24/63, after 9:00 PM, to talk with him briefly and principally to let PAYTON know that he would not be coming to Texas for such Christmas employment. He stated that he had called PAYTON from a bar on S. High Street, a short distance from his brother's residence. He stated that he had intended to pay for this telephone call but the charges were reversed during the call itself. He stated it was PAYTON's idea to reverse the charges when he learned that O'DOHERTY was still a driving instructor and apparently presumed that O'DOHERTY was not making much money. O'DOHERTY recalled that PAYTON brought up the facts that had been in the news regarding it was an awful thing that had happened and it was the worse thing that could happen to them there in Texas. He stated that this was all that PAYTON said about the assamination and he talked the rest of the time about their work.

O'DOHERTY then was confronted by information in the possession of SA JOHNSON regarding his telephone call of 11/24/63, to JACK PAYTON at Houston, Texas. On being confronted with this information, O'DOHERTY advised that be asked PAYTON, "What do you think about the recent development in Texas?" He stated that he cannot recall the precise answer given to him by PAYTON but he believes it was along the lines of, "Thats the worse thing that could happen to us in Texas." SA JOHNSON confronted O'DOHERTY with the fact that it was believed that the answer given by PAYTON was, "It is a good thing they got him before we were implicated." O'DOHERTY replied to this by stating that he does not know now whether or not PAYTON made this statement in answer to his question but if he did make such a statement, PAYTON meant to convey the idea that it was a good thing that LEE HARVEY OSWALD was apprehended so that the "extreme right" to which PAYTON identified himself would not be blamed for the assassination of President KENNEDY. Such an answer by PAYTON did not convey the idea that it was a good thing that OSWALD) himself had been murdered but rather that it was a good thing he had been apprehended so that it could be brought out that it was not the "extreme right" responsible for the assassination. He stated he is sure that PAYTON was not in anyway condoning the murder of OSWALD. He stated he does not recall any statement made by PAYTON nor himself during this telephone call to the effect that "It is a good thing they picked up him as a ultra-leftist."

O'DOHERTY then was confronted with the apparent statement made during this long distance call that, "Our next move will be to get behind them so we can overthrow JOHNSON." O'DOHERTY does not recall this specific statement having been made but does recall that PAYTON gave him the idea that he would have to get to work for the purpose of defeating President JOHNSON at the polls at the next election. He stated that PAYTON although an "extreme rightist" does affiliate himself with the Republican party during elections. It is his interpretation that PATTON meant that they, the party, would have to get 1.1 Æ

moving to defeat JOHNSON at the next election. He is certain that PAYTON in no way intended to convey the idea that any violence or underhanded means would be used to defeat or overthrow President JOHNSON.

O'DOHERTY advised that there was some mention of Moscow papers and he explained that PAYTON had made the statement that the Moscow papers, "weren't long about coming out and trying to put the blame on the right wing." He denied that PAYTON had asked his reaction or the reaction in Moscow regarding this series of events in Dallas.

O'DOHERTY was questioned as to his desire to be informed by PAYTON and he explained that when he indicated he desired to be informed, he was speaking of possible employment during the Christmas season with PAYTON and he merely meant that he would like to be informed of such prospects.

O'DOHERTY admitted that they had discussed the name of RUBY and RUBENSTEIN during this long distance call and it is his recollection that he had asked PAYTON why it was that the paper called the killer of OSWALD by the name of RUBY while other newspapers called him RUBENSTEIN. PAYTON informed him that the newspapers there were using the name of RUBENSTEIN.

O'DOHERTY advised he does not recall during this long distance telephone call that PAYTON had cautioned him about mentioning any names because their own names had been mentioned in this call. He stated that there was no reason to use caution in the mentioning of any names because there was no plot or any other conversation of which they were ashamed. He stated that he gave his own name to the long distance operator at the end of the call and gave her his correct name.

O'DOHERTY advised that he is not connected in anyway with JACK PAYTON or any group with which PAYTON may be affiliated. He stated that you have to know PAYTON to know how he constantly telks anti-Communistic and about his religion.

O'DOHERTY advised that he himself does not belong to any organization of any kind here or abroad. He stated that he does not in anyway support any organization or group of any kind. He stated he is sympathetic with the Trish Republican Movement, which consists of people who are working for a United Ireland by peaceful means. He stated that this Movement is not identical to the Irish Republican Army. One of the purposes of the Movement was as a charity to assist the dependents of all prisoners, that is political prisoners, including those of the IRA. He stated that he was a member of the Irish Republican Movement while he lived in Ireland for a period of 5 or 6 years, until he resigned shortly before he applied for his American visa to come to this country. He stated that he was a member of the political wing of this Movement known as KSim Fein." He stated that his affiliation and resignation relating to this organization is also set forth in his immigration file. He stated he was never involved in any violence regarding such  $\pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ affiliation and never carried any arms or other means of destruction. In fact, the Sinn Fein paper called the <u>XUnited</u> Irishmen" made clear that they did not support violence. He Stated that the activities of the Movement were strictly political in nature. He advised that this was one of the reasons that he came to the U.S. in the first place and that was to get away from political activity in Ireland and also. to be with his widowed sister in Austin, Texas,

O'DOHERTY stated that around March gr April, 1963, out of curiosity and an interest to meet him, Went alone to see Major Gen. EDWIN WALKER at Dallas, Texas. He stated be was interested to find out why Gen. WALKER had forced integration at Little Rock, Arkansas, as the Commanding Officer of the armed troops and then so strongly opposed integration at Oxford, Mississippi. He stated he could not understand this contradictory stand on the part of Gen. WALKER. He stated be was not a follower or sympathizer of WALKER but was more curious and interested in him as an individual as stated above. He stated that he saw Gen. WALKER at his home during this visit and interviewed him for approximately 14 hours. He stated that he hoped to obtain a story from Gen, WALKER for publication and that it might even be published in Ireland. He stated that he went to the Columbus Dispatch, Columbus, Ohio, shortly after he arrived in Columbus, in 5/63, and tried to sell the story of his interview with Gen. WALKER. He stated the Dispatch did not buy this story because they insisted on the right to edit the story while Gen, WALKER had insisted that the question and and the second second

answer type story go in verbatim.

O'DOHERTY advised that not only does he not consider himself in anyway a supporter or follower of Gen. WALKER, but that he is not a supporter or sympathizer of the John Birch Society and again repeated that he is not interested in any group. He further advised that he is not anti-Negro or anti-Semitic. He admitted that he has stated in conversations that he is against "forced integration" but is in favor of integration itself. He claimed that he has no strong feelings on integration.

O'DOHERTY stated that he has never heard and never knew LEE HARVEY OSWALD and/or JACK RUBY until their names were mentioned following the assassination of President KENNEDY. He stated that he knows nothing whatsoever relating to the assassination except what he has received through the news media. He stated that he has no theories who may be involved with the assassination. He further advised that he and PAYTON never discussed the assassination except after it was committed and as stated above, during their long distance telephone call on 11/24/63. He stated that he was shocked at this action as were other people and that he strongly condemns such action as this. He stated he would never in anyway support such acts of violence and would come forth voluntarily and furnish information to the authorities if he possessed any facts regarding the assassination. He stated that he was never in Dallas, Texas, for any visit, except the one mentioned above during March or April, 1963, for the short visit with Major Gen, WALKER,

O'DOHERTY stated he has never made the statement that President KENNEDY was a Communist and never mentioned that he in anyway favored the assassination of President KENNEDY. He stated that he would not think of saying that he was in favor of assassination of any American President. He stated that he held no animosity toward KENNEDY nor does he hold any animosity towards President JOHNSON.

#### MISCELLANEOUS:

The following telephone calls were received at the Cincinnati Office on November 24, 1963, regarding the assessination of President KENNEDY:

> At 9:25 A.M., an anonymous female caller advised, "You have the wrong man and the wrong gun". She refused to identify herself or the location from which she was calling.

At 9:25 A.M., an anonymous female caller advised she thought OSWALD was a front for other people. She stated her name and address were secret.

At 1:17 P.M., an anonymous female caller asked why a truth serum was not given to OSWALD.

PAUL BACKENSTEAD, Dayton, Ohio, telephone 233-0849, called at 5:20 P.M. to say that he had no specific information but thought that with all the prominent people of the world in Washington, D.C. tomorrow for the funeral of Former President KENNEDY that it would be an opportunity for another Pearl Harbor. He thought the Government should be alerted. He said he had been watching developments in Dallas, Texas, on TV and thought the gun of OSWALD came from Chicage and that probably OSWALD's killer came from Chicage. BACKENSTEAD could furnish no specific information but said these were just his thoughts.

Mrs. ELFREDE JOHNSON, 2745 Kennedy Avenue, Dayton, Ohio, telephonically advised SA WILLIAM R. STRINGER that on the night of November 23, 1963, she was listening to a German radio program on short wave called "The German Wave", located at approximately 100 megacycles on the short-wave band. During the program, she heard one of the announcers relate that there is reason to believe that <u>HAPRY LEF</u> OSWALD is a Russian citizen. There was no elaboration on this statement. Mrs. JOHNSON stated her parents presently live in West Germany near the East German border.

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On November 25, 1963, DANIEL W. BILLINGS, JR., 822 Cleveland Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio, advised that be had just been talking to Mrs. FRANCIS ASTELES, New Carlisle, Quebec, Canada, and that she had advised him that OSWALD had been seen in RUEY's strip joint by a mind reader. He said this information was bearsay.

On November 23, 1963, the following persons telephonically contacted the Cincinnati Office and suggested that OSWALD be given an examination to determine whether he had eaten chicken and thereby connect him with the murder of the President:

ROY CHAPMAN, 4410 Eastern Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio.

FRED GENE CARSON, Box 34, Fayetteville, Ohio.

BARNEY WEISMANTEL, 922 Garfield Avenue, Cincinnati, Chio.

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LEONARD SIVE (no address given).

Mrs. TERESA SELLERS, 7801 Beechmont Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio.

On November 26, 1963, EDWARD K. MOOTS, 56 Parkwood Avenue, Dayton, Ohio, appeared at the Dayton Resident Agency and advised IC FELIX K. HUDE that be had seen JACK LEON HUBY shoot OSWALD on television. He stated that he thought right before HUBY shot OSWALD he heard someone in the crowd at the Dallas Police Department say, "There he is, Lee". MOOTS did not know who made this statement or its meaning but said that he wanted to furnish this information for any help it may be in the investigation.

The following undated letter was received by the Columbus Resident Agency on Movember 26, 1963:

"Dear Sirs: - I bet

"Oswald needed money and was approached by a Communist who offered him money to not tell anyone he was in the building; he was told to

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"isolate himself from his wife so he rented a room. His (Oswald's) life was threatened if instructions were not carried out. Having been seen in the building was in the real <u>assisin's</u> plan so he Oswald could be proven the one would have to take the blame. when all he did with a gun aimed at him was to tell the <u>assasin</u> just when the Presidents car reached the spot laid out by the plotters as the logical spot to fire at Mr. Kennedy. The shot was fired the gun thrown down by the <u>assasin</u> who made. a quick get away. which he of course had ample time to figure out

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"Oswald was <u>affraid</u> he would be accused of the crime so was running from the police in self preservation\_ The map of the plot was also forced on Oswald under threat and instructions what to do with it only to make it seem positive proof that he (Oswald) was the killer.

"The real killer and master mind of the ring are at large.

"I am sending you this FB\_I as my theory and wonder if you do not think likewise. It grieves me to see men put to death for crimes they never committed and I do much thinking over such cases. I believed Oswald innocent from the\_

#### "/s/ May B. Keller

"P.S. My son called me from San Antonio last night, to wish me a Happy Birthday and his wife in talking to me said Isn't a terrible tragedy to have happen to our adopted State; they are natives of Columbus, also. However not trying to solve crimes and hope not to be considered a crack pot only hoping the ring leaders of this terrible tragedy can be traced down by your wonderfull .FB.I secret service.

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> "Most humbly <u>gratefull</u> if you take a little time to read this which may mean nothing but could perhaps. help a tiny bit in finding and bringing to justice the ones responsible in our most worthy President. I am now suspicious of Red China and Cuba as being involved and still have to include <u>Russia</u> the sneaks."

Colonel WILRUR R. CARTER, United States Air Force Retired, advised SA RICHARD B. GEORGE on December 1, 1963, Los Angeles, he was phoned by WILLIAM NORTH, Air Force Civilian Employee at Wright Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio. WORTH stated he had information that both RUBY and OSWALD were members of Dallas Branch of Crime Syndicate, whose headquarters is in New Orleans. WORTH stated Syndicate has meeting scheduled in Chicago in near future. WORTH inferred that he had received some sort of information regarding assassination only moments prior to same, but did not have time to give warning. WORTH did not furnish details.

NORTH requested Agents phone him at his home, Xania, Ohio, phone 372-7173, stating he is being called "At the request of your last Commander", in order to set up meeting with Agents. NORTH was apprehensive regarding his own welfare and requested his identity be kept confidential.

CARTER stated he has known NORTH ten years, regards him as reliable, but has no idea where NORTH would obtain his information.

On December 1, 1963, SA JOHN W. LILL, JR. and SA JOE W. HATHAWAY interviewed WILLIAM RAY NORTH, Xenia, Ohio, at which time NORTH advised that he is now and has been under psychiatric care for the past two years. He has pains in his head, cannot sleep, stated that he was drunk Friday, November 29, 1963, and Saturday, November 30, 1963. He was unable to furnish any information of value.

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# INFORMATION REGARDING OSWALD'S POSSIBLE ATTENDANCE AT ANTIOCH COLLEGE, YELLOW SPRINGS, OHIO

Sgt. DONALD SWARTZ, Intelligence Unit, Columbus, Ohio, Police Department, advised on November 29, 1963, he has received the following unverified information from a source he declined to identify:

LEE HARVEY OSWALD allegedly attended Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio, using his true name for a short period of time in 1957 and was dismissed because he was unable to prove his graduation from high school.

OSWALD had lived c/o MICHAEL PAINE and wife, RUTH PAINE, nee HYDE, Irving, Texas. RUTH HYDE is a graduate, Class of 1955, of Antioch College. Her parents were identified as WILLIAM A. HYDE and CAROL E. HYDE.

SWARTZ stated his inquiries at Columbus show WILLIAM A. HYDE, Actuary, Farm Bureau, (now Nationwide) Insurance Company, 246 N. High Street, Columbus, residence 580 N. Park Street, Apartment 105, Columbus, Ohio. A divorce was granted to WILLIAM A. HYDE from CAROL E. HYDE, Franklin County, Columbus, 1961. The couple had three children not identified.

Previous address for WILLIAM A. HYDE is 4400 Glenmawr Ave., about 1961, also 1968 Summit Ave., date not known and 115 Glenmawr, 1940, all Columbus, Ohio.

RUTH PAINE, nee HYDE, reportedly has a brother, CARL D. HYDE, dob 12/30/37, residing 125 E. Davis St., Yellow Springs, Chio. He is a Doctor at Dayton Hospital, Dayton, Ohio, and is married to LORENA. He previously resided 1198 Selden, Detroit, Michigan.

Sgt. SWARTZ furnished the above information to SA ROBERT F. MAHLER.

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The November 30, 1963, issue of the "Columbus Citizen Journal" carries a front page story captioned, "Mrs. OSWALD's Pal, Ex-Local Woman."

This article is based on a long distance telephone interview made November 29, 1963, by Reporter JOHN DEPKE with Mrs. RUTH HYDE PAINE, Irving, Texas.

The article states that Mrs. PAINE and OSWALD's wife, Mrs. MARINA OSWALD, were together watching TV in Mrs. PAINE's home on Movember 22, 1963, when President KENNEDY was assassinated. The article states that Mrs. PAINE was contacted by the police following the assassination, that her home was searched, and the fact that she had furnished authorities with facts of her knowledge of the relationship with LEE OSWALD.

It is stated in the article that Mrs. PAINE graduated in 1949 from University High School, Columbus, Ohio, and later attended Antioch College.

Mrs. PAINE's father, WILLIAM HYDE, is an official of Wationwide Insurance Company, Columbus, Ohio.

SA ROBERT H. BERTKE determined on November 30, 1963, that records of Antioch College would not be available until December 2, 1963.

Mr. WILLIAM WARREN, Associate Dean of Students, Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio, advised SA BERNARD D. MALONEY on December 2, 1963, that review of his records fails to reflect LEE HARVEY OSWALD had ever attended this college, made application, or known to have inquired at the college for application.

Mr. WARREN said that his records reflect RUTH AVERY HYDE attended Antioch College from October 31, 1949, until June 25, 1955, when she received a Bachelor of Arts Degree with major in Education. He explained that Antioch College is a Co-operative School in which the students are on the campus for academic purposes for a period of three months and then are placed at various employments

in conjunction with their academic endeavors. In this way, a student will normally take five years to obtain a degree in a specialized field. His records reflect HYDE was born September 3, 1932, New York, New York, of parents, Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM A. HYDE, 1986 Summit Street, Columbus, Chio. During her attendance at Antioch, she was employed as follows:

> Jewish Community Center, Indianapolis, Indiana, January 2, 1950, to March 31, 1950;

Downtown Community School, New York City, October, 1951, to January, 1952, and March 31, 1952, to May 29, 1952;

Jewish Center, Columbus, Ohio, and City Recreation, Columbus, Ohio, October 31, 1952, to December 19, 1952;

Mad River Township Schools, Dayton, Ohio, September 8, 1953, to October 23, 1953, and January 4, 1954, to March 5, 1954;

American Friends Service Committee, Summer Study Tour, June 25, 1954 to August 4, 1954;

YMHA and YWHA, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and American Friends Service Committee, August 23, 1954, to May 31, 1955.

Mr. WARREN said that, according to the school records, RUTH HYDE had married MICHAEL R. PAINE and was last known to be residing at 2515 W. 5th Street, Irving, Texas, as of October 3, 1959. He said he has determined that all mail sent to this address from that date has not been returned and they have received no change of address for her. "PD-323 (Rev. 11-28-61)

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Title LEE BARVEY OGWALD

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Reference Report of Special Agent THOMAS B. ESTEP, Cincinnati, captioned and dated as above.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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REMIGIO AGUILAR is a prominent married businessman in Mexicali and was, according to TUBACH, involved in an extra-marital affair with NORMA GUTIERREZ. It is noted that IRMA GUTIERREZ and MARIA LUISA GARCIA SILVA are also citizens of Mexico and residents of Mexicali. It is not believed that interview of the above Mexican nationals should be conducted at this time in this case. No lead is being set out to conduct any investigation in Mexicali at this time UACE. Investigation in Mexico could result in self possible embarrassment to the Bureau. The Bureau is aware that an interview of this nature in Mexico would require the presence of Mexican Police authorities which might cause considerable embarrassment to the Mexican nationals being interviewed. NITE STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUE

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#### Synamole:

Immigration and Naturalization Service, Calexico, California, made available an anonymous letter indicating that "JACK who killed the assassin of your President" has acquaintances in Brawley, California. EDUARDO TUBACH, mentioned in anonymous letter, considers the letter to be a "spite" letter.

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#### DETAILS: BACKGROUND ON JACK RUBY

On November 27, 1963, ROBERT L. WELSH, Immigration Inspector, Acting Officer in Charge, United States Immigration and Waturalization Service (INS), Calexico, California, divised that an anonymous letter in the Spanish language had been received that morning which indicated that "JACK" had bet with individuals in Mexicali, B. C., Mexico.

Mr. WELCH made available the letter and a translation thereof which had been made by LINDA M. MONTOYA, Clerk-Typist. This translation was as follows:

Loyd E, Horal Do you want to know who killed your President. Interrogate these persons: <u>REMIGIO AGUILAR</u>, EDUARDO TUBACH, LLOY HORAL, These last ones are from Brawley, California. MORMA GUTIERREZ, MARIA LUISA GARCIA SILVA, INHA GUTIERREZ. These I think are immigrated. At the house of Mr. REMIGIO they held their meetings and they are sure that this JACK who killed the assassin of your President for fear that he would talk. This JACK was at the meetings that all the

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above-mentioned held. We hope you will interrogate them. It will be very easy because the girls are threatened with death. All the Mexican names live in Mexicali, B. C., Mexico. REMIGIO AGUILAR is very well known and he can inform you where the rest live. We hope this will serve you some information." PD-302 (Nov.'1-83-60)

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EDUARDO TUBACH, Rancher, 152 G Street, Brawley, California, advised Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation that all persons mentioned in the letter were known to him. He identified REMIGIO AGUILAR as the owner of the major cattle shipping yards in Mexicali, LLOYD E. HORAL as one of his foremen in his ranching enterprises, and himself as a rancher doing business as Edward Tubach Ranches, Imperial Gounty, California.

TUBACH stated WORNA GUTIERREZ was a "girlfriend" of AGUILAR; that IRMA GUTIERREZ was the "girlfriend" of MORAL; and that MARIA LUISA GARCIA SILVA was his "girlfriend". IRMA GUTIERREZ and NORMA GUTIERREZ are sisters.

TUBACH stated that MORAL commenced to visit Mexicali frequently about six or seven years ago. He eventually became acquainted with SILVIA GARCE VIRGENES in Mexicali and resided with her from time to time in a common-law relationship.

Approximately four years ago, TUBACH commenced visits to Mexicali where he rented an apartment near the corner of Avenida Compuertas and Calzado Justo Sierra. He had met MARIA LUISA GARCIA SILVA, and they resided in the apartment as man and wife. NORMA GUTIERREZ resided in the next apartment, and about a year ago he became acquainted with AGUILAR who visited her with regularity. At about that time, HORAL, through NORMA GUTIERREZ and MARIA LUISA GARCIA SILVA, became acquainted with IRMA GUTIERREZ. He dropped SILVIA GARCIA VIRGENES and commenced a relationship with IRMA GUTIERREZ.

This angered SILVIA GARCIA VIRGENES who threatened to have both TUBACH and HORAL arrested and expelled from Mexico. Both had been visiting Mexicali without proper documents. She also threatened to cause them other unstated embarrassments.

TUBACH said all the above were known, one to the other. On rare occasions, they would all be at the apartments, but not together. He could recall only one occasion when they all dined together. He denied knowing JACK.

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TUBACH said he assumed that the JACK mentioned in the letter was JACK RUBY of Dallas, Texas; however, JACK RUBY is unknown to him personally, and the only information he possesses concerning RUBY is that which came to his attention through news media as a result of the President's assassination.

TUBACH specifically denied having ever met with JACK RUBY or having anything whatsoever to do with the -assassination of the President or the subsequent killing of LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

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	Remytel 12/5/63, capti There is enclosed here head memorandum setting forth re Dr. ROBERT BEEBE, of the Illinoi tute, 1601 West Taylor St., Chica	with six copies sults of interv s State Psychia	iew with tric Insti-	
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may desire to interview while confined at the Illinois State Psychiatric Institute, and since his possible release date is unknown, the attached information was telephonically furnished to the local office of Secret Service, Chicago. while confined at the Illinoit

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# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No. Chicago, Illinois December 9, 1963

RE: INFORMATION CONCERNING

Dr. ROBERT BEEBE, Illinois State Psychiatric Institute, 1601 West Taylor Street, telephone TA 9-7550, Chicago, Illinois, telephonically advised this office on December 5, 1963, that a patient by the name of was presently confined at Ward 6-E at the Institute. Dr. BEEBE advised that during an interview with the state of threatened to kill President JOHNSON as well as other officials of his former place of employment, namely Reynolds Aluminum Company, Chicago. Dr. BEEBE stated that Was admitted to the Institute on November 27, 1963, and Mas described as a 25-year-old Mexican, married, residing at Chicago, Illinois.

During interview with the state in the last six years. BEERE advised that Dr. ROBERT LRAVETS, resident doctor at the Institute, diagnosed the state of the opinion paranoid schizophrenia, and although he was of the opinion that the statements made by the state of the statements made by the state of the statements of the information. Dr. BEERE advised that the office of the information. Dr. BEERE advised that the will be confined at the hospital for an indefinite period.

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FROM. SAC, SAN ANTONIO /105-2909/ /P/ /5P/ LEE HARVEY OSWALD. IS DASH R. OO, DALLAS.

RE BUREAU TEL TO SAN ANTONIO FIVE ZERO ONE P. M., DECEMBER SEVEN, LAST.

STAFF SERGEANT JOHN EDWARD PIC, AF ONE ONE THREE ONE THREE TWO THREE NINE, MEDICAL SQUADRON, LACKLAND AFB, TEXAS, HALF BROTHER OF SUBJECT, ADVISED SA JOHN RUSSELL GRAHAM ON DECEMBER TEN, INSTANT, THAT IN ABOUT AUGUST, FIFTYTWO, MRS. MARGUERITE OSWALD, MOTHER OF SUBJECT AND SGT. PIC, CAME TO VISIT SGT. PIC AND HIS WIFE WHILE THE PICS WERE TEMPORARILY LIVING AT THREE TWO FIVE EAST NINETYSECOND STREET, NEW YORK, M. Y., IN APARTMENT OF MRS. PIC-S MOTHER, MRS. MARY FUHRMAN, WHO WAS VISITING AWAY FROM NEW YORK.

PIC STATED HIS WIFE, MARGARET, AKA., MARGE, HAD NEVER PREVIOUSLY MET MRS. OSWALD AND THEY COULD NOT GET ALONG TOGETHER AT ALL, IT APPEARING TO PIC THAT NO ONE COULD GET ALONG WITH MRS. OSWALD AND THAT SHES WAS TRYING TO DESTROY PIC-S MARRIAGE. PIC NOW UNABLE END PAGE ONE MIC, 13 JUGAN PAGE TWO

TO RECALL DETAILS OF MRS. OSWALD-S CONDUCT EXCEPT THAT MINOR ARGUMENTS CONINUALLY DEVELOPED BETWEEN HER AND MRS. PIC WHILE PIC WAS AT WORK.

AS TO ANY INCIDENT WHEREIN SUBJECT THREATENED MRS. PIC WITH KNIFE RESULTING IN SUBJECT AND MRS. OSWALD BEING REQUIRED TO LEAVE, SGT. PIC STATED HE HAD NO SPECIFIC RECOLLECTION THEREOF BUT STATED THIS REPORT PROBABLY REVOLVES ABOUT AN INDIDENT WHICH HE RELATED AS FOLLOWS.

ON EVENING, IN ABOUT AUGUST, FIFTYTWO, WHEN HE RETURNED HOME MRS. PIC TOLD HIM SHE WAS HAVING PROBLEMS WITH MRS. OSWALD AND SUBJECT AND THAT MRS. PIC HAD REBUKED SUBJECT BECAUSE OF HIS DISRESPECTFUL CONDUCT TOWARDS MRS. OSWLAD. PIC SAID MRS. PIC MAY HAVE MENTIONED THAT SUBJECT HAD KNIFE BUT HE COULD NOT RECALL IT OR ANY THREAT SUBJECT ALLEGEDLY MADE TO MRS. PIC, THE ENTIRE PROBLEM BEING RECALLED BY HIM AS ONE OF SUBJECT MERELY BEING DISRESPECTFUL TOWARDS MRS. OSWALD. AT MRS. PIC-S REQUEST, PIC TALKED TO SUBJECT RE HIS CONDUCT TOWARDS MRS. OSWALD. PIC SAID HE AND MRS. PIC HAD TOLD MRS. END PAGE TWO PAGE THREE

OSWALD THAT MRS. PIC-S MOTHER WAS DUE TO RETURN SOON AND HAD THUS ENDEAVORED TO HINT TO HER THAT SHE AND SUBJECT SHOULD MOVE OUT AND ONE EVENING SEVERAL DAYS AFTER ABOVE INCIDENT PIC RETURNED FROM WORK TO FIND MRS. OSWALD AND SUBJECT HAD MOVED. THEY HAD NOT BEEN ORDERED OR DIRECTLY ASKED TO LEAVE, ALTHOUGH PIC HOPED THEY WOULD ON ACCOUNT OF DIFFICULTY BETWEEN MRS. PIC AND MRS. OSWALD. PIC NOTED SUBJECT WAS THEN ONLY AGE TWELVE AND HE AND MRS. PIC HAD NOTHING AGAINST SUBJECT AND EVEN DISCUSSED POSSIBILITY OF KEEPING HIM ON CONDITION MRS. OSWALD MOVED AWAY, ALTHOUGH THIS PROPOSITION NEVER DISCUSSED WITH MRS. OSWALD.

MRS. PIC ADVISED SA JOHN RUSSELL GRAHAM ON DECEMBER TEN, INSTANT, THAT WHEN SHE FIRST MET MRS. OSWALD IN ABOUT AUGUST, FIFTYTWO, AS INDICATED ABOVE, MRS. OSWALD STATED SHE AND SUBJECT WANTED TO LIVE PERMANENTLY WITH THE PICS BUT MRS. PIC PRIVATELY TOLD HER SHE WOULD NOT AGREE TO THIS. THEREAFTER, MRS. OSWALD DID ALL SHE COULD TO END PAGE THREE PAGE FOUR

TURN EVERYONE, INCLUDING SGT. PIC AND SUBJECT, AGAINST MRS. PIC AND CONSTANTLY STARTED ARGUMENTS OVER MINOR HOUSEHOLD MATTERS, DETAILS OF WHICH ARE NOT NOW RECALLED. MRS. PIC SAID THAT DURING ONE SUCH ARGUMENT, NOW BELIEVED TO HAVE DEVELOPED BECAUSE MRS. PIC PROTESTED SUBJECT-S PLAYING A TELEVISION SET OWNED BY MRS. OSWALD, SUBJECT DID PULL OUT SMALL POCKET KNIFE WITH BLADE OPEN AND MOVE TOWARD MRS. PIC IN MRS. OSWALD-S PRESENCE. MRS. PIC SAID THIS SCARED HER, SHE BACKED AWAY AND SUBJECT DID NOTHING THEN. SHE REPORTED THIS THREAT TO SGT. PIC WHEN HE RETURNED FROM WORK BUT MR. OSWALD DENIED TO HIM THAT SUBJECT HAD THREATENED MRS. PIC WITH KNIFE AND MRS. PIC ;EXPRESSED BELIEF HER HUSBAND WAS ACTUALLY IN DOUBT AS TO TRUE FACTS.

MRS. PIC STATED THAT AFTER LATTER INCIDENT SHE TOLD MRS. OSWALD TO EITHER GET OUT OR SHE WOULD HAVE HER THROWN OUT AND MRS. OSWALD THEN THREATENED TO JUMP OUT WINDOW. MRS. PIC RECALLED PROTESTING TO MRS. OSWALD THAT END PAGE FOUR

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SUBJECT WAS DAMAGING BOOKCASE BY SETTING BEVERAGE GLASSES THEREON, A PROTEST IGNORED BY MRS. OSWALD, BUT COULD RECALL NO TOEHR DAMAGE TO FURNISHINGS.

MRS. PIC DENIED EVER REFERRING TO SUBJECT AS QUOTE EXTREMELY CUDDLED CHILD END QUOTE, HER IMPORESSION BEING THAT MRS. OSWALD ACTUALLY HAD NO FEELING FOR ANY OF HER SONS EXCEPT FOR WHAT SHE COULD GET OUT OF THEM.

SGT. PIC INSISTED ON BEING PRESENT DURING ABOVE INTERVIEW OF MRS. PIC ON GROUNDS SHE IS VERY NERVOUS, AND AFTER HEARING MRS. PIC-S ACCOUNT OF SUBJECT THREATENING HER WITH KNIFE, ADVISED HE DID RECALL MRS. PIC TELLING HIM THAT BUT HE HAD NOT KNOWN WHAT TO BELIEVE AT THE TIME AND HAD NOT REGARDED IT AS SERIOUS IN ANY EVENT IN VIEW OF SUBJECTS AGE.

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LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA. IS - R - CUBA.

STORY ORIGINATED IN FORT WORTH, TEXAS, TO THE EFFECT THAT LEE HARVEY OSWALD WAS WRITING A BOOK AND HAD USED A PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, PAULINE VIRGINIA BATES, FOR ASSISTANCE.

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ON NOV. THIRTY INSTANT, MISS PAULINE VIRGINIA BATES, NEE BOND /DIVORCED/, APT. SIX, ONE FOUR TWO TWO COLLEGE AVENUE, FORT WORTH. TEXAS, INTERVIEWED BY SAS JOSEPH L. SCHOTT AND B. TOM CARTER. SHE STATED SHE IS A PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER WITH OFFICES IN THE BURKBURNETT BUILDING. ON JUNE EIGHTEEN SIXTY-TWO, LEE OSWALD CAME TO HER OFFICE. STATED HE GOT HER NAME - OUT OF PHONE BOOK. OSWALD STATED HE HAD JUST RETURNED FROM . A THREE YEAR STAY IN RUSSIA AND HAD KEPT A DIARY ON HIS EXPERIENCES AND STATEMENTS OF PEOPLE HE MET WHILE IN RUSSIA. ' HIS DIARY CONSISTED OF HANDWRITTEN AND TYPED NOTES ON ALL SORTS OF PAPER. HE REQUESTED HER TO TYPE HIS NOTES SO HE COULD USE THE MATERIAL TO COMPLLE A BOOKEC HE TOLD HER A FOI WORTH ENGINEER, NAME NOT RECALLED, HAD READ HIS NOTES AND INTERESTED IN HELPING HIM COMPILE THE BOOK. HE TOLD HER HE HAND TEN DOLLARS AND WHEN SHE TYPED TEN DOLLARS WORTH OF I DEC 12 198 MATERIAL TO STOP. MOST OF THE MATERIAL WAS IN ENGLISH BU

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SOME OF IT WAS IN RUSSIAN AND HE INTERPRETED IT FOR HER. HE READINED IN HER OFFICE AT ALL TIMES WHILE SHE WAS TYPING AND WAS VERY CAREFUL TO INSURE THAT SHE DID NOT TAKE OR LOSE ANY OF HIS NOTES. HE CAME TO HER OFFICE ON JUNE EIGHTEEN NINETEEN SIXTYTWO. SHE TYPED TEN PAGES, SINGLE SPACED, ON LETTER SIZED PAPER, MAKING AN ORIGINAL AND ONE COPY. SHE ESTIMATED THERE WERE FIVE HUNDRED WORDS TO A PAGE FOR A TOTAL OF FIVE THOUSAND WORDS. HE HAD HIS NOTES IN A MANILLA ENVELOPE ABOUT TEN INCHES BY ELEVEN INCHES IN SIZE. SHE ESTIMATES THAT SHE TYPED ABOUT ONE THIRD OF HIS NOTES. MOST OF THE MATERIAL WAS ABOUT HIS DAY TO DAY EXPERIENCES AND PEOPLE HE MET AND STATEMENTS MADE BY THEM. ALL OF IT WAS CRITICAL OF RUSSIA AND SET OUT SUCH STATEMENTS AS LONG WORK DAY, POOR FOOD AND NO VACATIONS.

OSWALD TALKED VERY LITTLE WHILE IN HER OFFICE AND CONFINED IT MOSTLY TO INTERPRETING HIS NOTES. HE DID MENTION WHILE WORKING IN A FACTORY IN MINSK HE MET AND MARRIED HIS WIFE. PAGE THREE DL 100-10461

AFTER ABOUT TWO YEARS HE DECIDED TO RETURN TO U. S. AND IT WAS A YEAR BEFORE THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT WOULD AGREE FOR HIM TO TAKE HIS WIFE WITH HIM TO THE U. S. HE WAS BITTER TOWARD RUSSIA FOR THIS DELAY. BATES ASKED HIM WHY HE WENT TO RUSSIA. HE STATED HE TOOK AN ELEMENTARY COURSE IN RUSSIAN LANGUAGE AND BECAME INTERESTED IN GOING TO RUSSIA TO SEE WHAT THE ACTUAL LIVING CONDITIONS WERE LIKE IN THAT. COUNTRY. AT ONE TIME HE ALSO TOLD HER HE HAD BEEN IN THE U.S. MARINE CORPS FOR TWO YEARS.

AFTER TYPING THE TEN PAGES SHE TOLD HIM SHE HAD TYPED TEN DOLLARS WORTH OF MATERIAL AND WOULD BE GLAD TO TYPE THE REMAINDER OF HIS NOTES ON CREDIT. HE WAS NOT AGREEABLE TO THIS AND PICKED UP HIS NOTES AND TYPED PAGES, PAID HER WITH A TEN DOLLAR BILL AND LEFT. HE NEVER RETURNED.

AFTER TYPING THE NOTES, SHE MENTIONED THIS TO HER FRIEND, CAROLINE HAMILTON, WHO IS A REPORTER FOR THE FORT WORTH PRESS. LATER, HAMILTON TOLD HER HER PAPER HAD TRIED UNSUCCESSFULLY

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TO CONTACT LEE OSWALD REGARDING HIS DIARY. AFTER PRESIDENT KENNEDY WAS ASSASSINATED SHE WAS CONTACTED BY CAROLINE HAMILTON. THIS WAS THE FIRST TIME SHE HAD TIED UP LEE OSWALD WITH THE ASSASSINATION.

ON AFTERNOON OF NOV. TWENTYNINE LAST, SHE HAD A RECORDED INTERVIEW WITH THE TV NETWORK IN HER OFFICE. SHE POINTED OUT THE STORY BY CAROLINE HAMILTON WHICH APPEARED IN THE FORT WORTH PRESS ON NOV. TWENTYNINE LAST, IS CORRECT IN EVERY DETAIL WITH THE EXCEPTION THAT LEE OSWALD NEVER STATED HE WAS WORKING FOR THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT. SHE EXPLAINED LEE OSWALD STATED THE STATE DEPARTMENT WAS RELUCTANT TO GIVE HIM A VISA AND TOLD HIM HE WOULD BE ON HIS OWN WHILE IN RUSSIA. FROM THIS STATEMENT SHE AT FIRST ASSUMED HE WAS WORKING WITH THE STATE -DEPARTMENT BUT LATER REALIZED HER ASSUMPTION WAS WRONG.

ABOUT THREE THIRTY PM, OV. TWENTYNINE LAST, SHE RECEIVED • A PHONE CALL AT HER OFFICE FROM A WOMAN WHO STATED SHE WAS MRS. OSWALD, MOTHER OF LEE OSWALD. MRS. OSWALD STATED "I CANNOT TELL YOU WHERE I AM BECAUSE I AM UNDER TIGHT SECURITY.

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"I NEARD AN INTERVIEW OF YOU ON THE RADIO REGARDING TYPING LEE/S DIARY. "I REMEMBER HIM SAYING HE HAD A PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER TYPE SOME OF HIS NOTES. "I WISH YOU WOULDN"T TALK WITH ANYONE ABOUT THIS UNTIL I CAN TALK WITH YOU, OTHERWISE YOU MAY HURT HIS WIDOW AND CHILDREN." BATES STATED SHE EXPLAINED TO MRS. OSWALD SHE HAD ALREADY BEEN INTERVIEWED BY TV NETWORK AND HAD RECEIVED ALMOST ONE HUNDRED TELEPHONE CALLS FROM THE NEWS FROM ALL OVER U. S. SHE ALSO POINTED OUT THERE WAS NOTHING OF A DEROGATORY NATURE IN ANY OF HER STATEMENTS TO THE PRESS AND TV PEOPLE. MRS. OSWALD NEVER MENTIONED IF SHE KNEW WHERE THE DIARY MIGHT BE LOCATED.

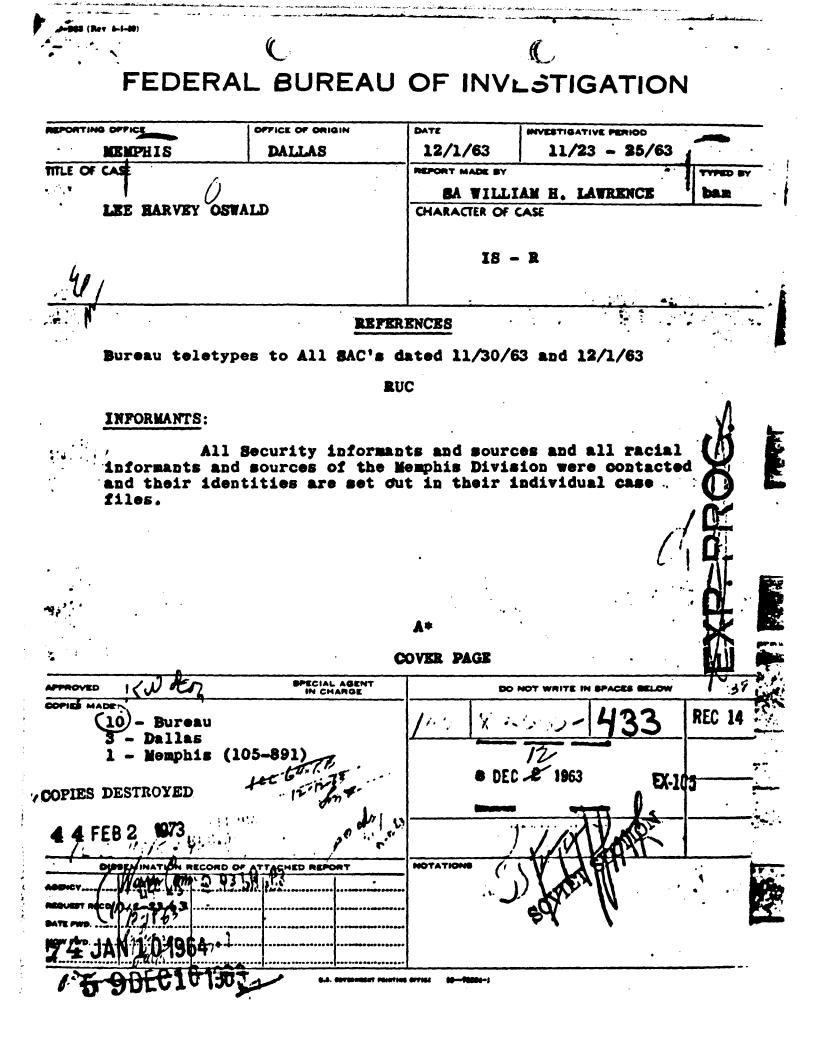
BATES STATED LEE OSWALD WAS A VERY NERVOUS INDIVIDUAL AND PACED UP AND DOWN IN HER OFFICE. HE MOVED VERY QUICKLY 'IN ALL HIS ACTIONS AND HE WALKED AT A VERY FAST PACE. HE IMPRESSED HER AS BEING VERY ALERT IN HIS MENTAL PROCESSES. 'BATES STATED SHE DID NOT KEEP ANY NOTES ON THE MATERIAL SHE TYPED AND EVERYTHING IS FROM MEMORY, EXCEPT THE DATES ON WHICH SHE TYPED THE MATERIAL.

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Records Memphis FBI Division contain no identifiable information with LEE HARVEY OSWALD. The sources of Memphis FBI Division familiar with past CP activities and familiar with pro-segregation type organizations within territory of Memphis Division, FBI, state they do not know LEE HARVEY OSWALD and have not previously heard of him.

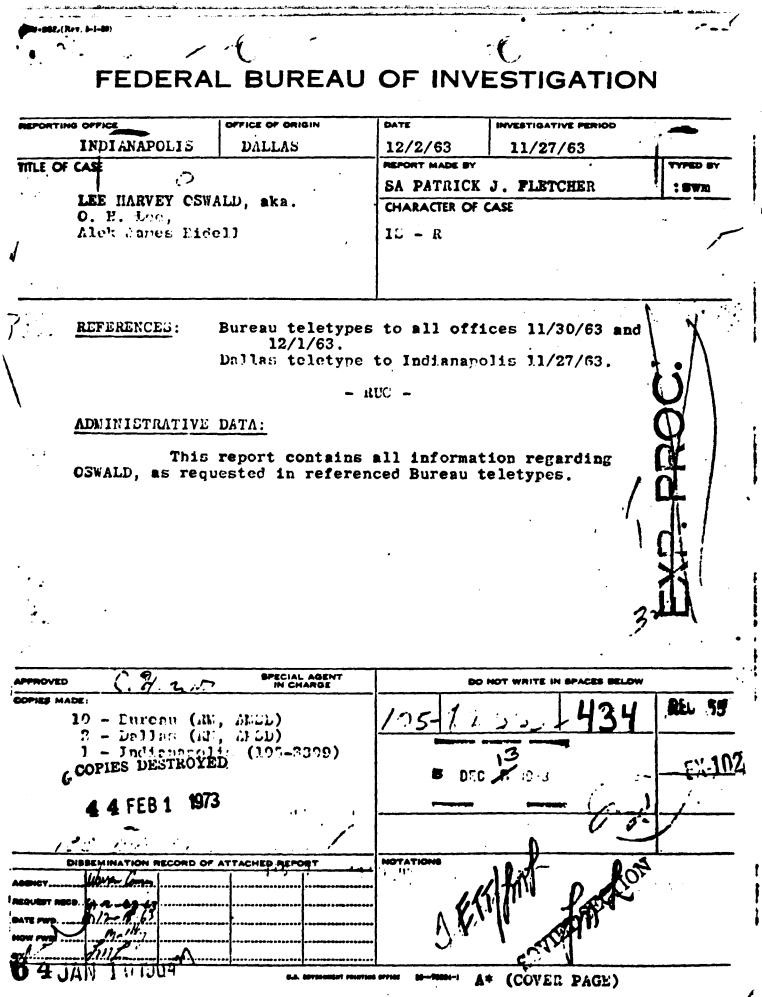
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DETAILS:

At Memphis, Tennessee:

A review of the indices of the Memphis, Tennessee Division of the FBI contain no identifiable references with LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

Confidential informants and sources of the Memphis FBI Division who are familiar with past Communist Party activities in the area covered by the Memphis FBI Division as well as those familiar with pro-segregation and related type organisations contacted on November 23, 24 and 25, 1963, have all advised they do not know LEE HARVEY OSWALD and have never previously heard of him prior to newspaper publicity implicating him in the assassination of the late JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, President of the United States, November 22, 1963.



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Captain WILL FRITZ, Dallas, Texas, PD, advised call received from EDGAR REIBER, Indianapolis, Indiana, who called to the effect REIBER met OSWALD at Indianapolis and that OSWALD wanted him to go to Russia. REIBER located and interviewed; maintained story as to meeting OSWALD, however, denies anything mentioned his going to Russia. Local bar owner, Indianapolis, advised REIBER heavy drinker and, when drinking, creates situations to suit himself. Local hotel where OSWALD reportedly resided one night located; no record under true name or known aliases. Room reportedly stayed in has been part of manager's apartment for last nine months and is a kitchen. OSWALD unknown to hotel clerks. Indianapolis PD record of arrest on REIBER set out.

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Captain WILL FRITZ, Homicide Detail, Dallas Police Department, Dallas, Texas, advised Lieutenant BOHART, of his detail, received a telephone call from one EDGAR REIBER, 128 South Illinois, Indianapolis, Indiana. REIBER claimed he met OSWALD about two months ago in Indianapolis and that OSWALD wanted REIBER to go to Russia and that REIBER would be well paid.

On November 27, 1963, the following investigation was conducted by SAs THOMAS M. SEASE, JR., and PATRICK J. FLETCHER at Indianapolis, Indiana:

EDGAR JOHN REIBER, also known as JAMES SCHNEIDER, was Jone located at the Langley Hotel, 2192 South Illinois, Indianapolis.

REIBER advised he made a telephone call to the Dallas Police Department November 25, 1963.

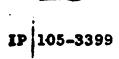
REIBER stated OSWALD was in a restaurant near the hotel on South Illinois about one and one-half months ago. He claimed OSWALD asked him to buy him a cup of coffee, which he agreed to, and, further, bought him food and gave him \$2 to rent a room in the Hotel Langley. He advised OSWALD rented Room 6 at this hotel.

REIBER advised he was with OSWALD one hour. The only conversation between the two was to the effect OSWALD asked him if he would like to be Communist, to which REIBER replied, "No." 'REIBER claimed he had no other conversation with OSWALD and did not ask where OSWALD was from.

REIBER was questioned as to how he knew this was OSWALD. He stated pictures in the newspapers of OSWALD look like him; but he advised OSWALD never identified himself to him.

REIBER, during this interview, denied OSWALD asked him to go to Russia.

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A check of the register at the Langley Hotel, 219<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> South Illinois Street, failed to reveal any registration for OSWALD under his true name or any known aliases.

WILSON DRUM, night clerk at the Langley Hotel, advised Room 6 has been a kitchen for over nine months.

JOHN GOINS, former night clerk at the above hotel, advised he cannot recall OSWALD and denied ever telling EDGAR JOHN REIBER that OSWALD had Room 6.

BOBBY FACCONE, owner of a bar located at 128 South Illinois Street, advised REIBER made a telephone call from his bar on November 25, 1963. He stated REIBER had been drinking heavily at the time he made this call. FACCONE further advised that REIBER is an individual who, if told something is true though false, begins to believe same is true; thereafter, when drinking, REIBER will attribute all the information to himself as the source. According to FACCONE, REIBER made the statement to him after making the above telephone call that he (REIBER) would be on television and in newspapers.

Records of the Indianapolis Police Department reflect that EDGAR JOHN REIBER, born September 9, 1928, was arrested August 12, 1963, as drunk; judgment withheld.

() O F'BI 12/3/63 Date: Transmit the following in \_ (Type in plain text or code) AIRTEL AIR MAIL Via . (Priority or Method of Mailing) DIRECTOR, FBI SAC, DALLAS (89-43) FRO LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka. ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY. 11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS **AFO** Re San Antonio teletype to Bureau 12/3/63 and Ŵ Dallas telephone call to San Antonio 12/3/63. This airtel will confirm information furnished ( by SA HENRY J. OLIVER to SAC J. MYERS COLE, San Antonio, on 12/3/63. HARRY SANDERSON, Clerk, Texas Employment Commission, advised that he Interviewed OSWALD at the Texas Employment Commission Office, 2210 Main Street, Dallas, Texas, according to their records, on 1073/63. SANDERSON cannot recall OSWALD by name or photograph. SANDERSON interviewed OSWALD since his initials appear as the interviewing person. No time is available for this interview, but the Texas Employment Commission closes at 4:30 PM, and the interview would have been prior to 4:30 PM. \$ 105.82.55 - Bureau **2 - San Antonio (105-2909)** 11 DEC 6 1963 2 - Dellas HJO:mam Special Agent in Charge

6 C Records of the YMCA, Dallas, reveal that OSWALD checked into the downtown YMCA on 10/3/63 and was assigned to Room 601. OSWALD was checked in by a clerk who works from 4:00 PM to 12 Midnight. No exact time is available; however, he would have had to check in after 4:00 PM. No further information available at this time which would reflect the specific time of arrival of OSWALD in Dallas on 10/3/63.

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December 3, 1963 Dallas, Texas

I, Marina Sawald, verify that letter which was shown to me by Agent Levan Likah Gopadse, who is working for the Secret Service of the Government of the United States of America, is the letter which was written by i my deceased husband Lee Oswald. This letter was written on Neely Street, Dallas, Texas, prior to his departure to New Orleans. For the proper ... understanding the contents of this letter I will try to write in proper Eussian language.

"(1) This key for the Post Office Box in the Main Post Office which is located in the city on Ervay Street on the same street where the drug store where we always have met, 4 blocks from the drug store on the same street is located the Post Office. There you will find our box. I paid for the box last month so don't worry.

(2) Send the information to the consulate what happened to me and also get elippings from the newspapers (if the newspapers will write anything about me). I think that the consulate will help you faster if they will learn everything.

(3) I paid for the house on the 2nd, so don't worry about it.

 $(4) \rightarrow 1$  have recently paid for the water and gas.

(5) Perhaps that my wages from the work also will be forthcoming. They will send it (the money) to our Post Office Box. Go to the bank where you will change the check for each.

(6) My clothes, etc. you can throw away or give away. Do not keep it. My personal papers (military, working papers, etc.) I prefer that you keep.

(7) Several of my documents located in the small blue suitcase.

(8) My address book is located on my table in my room if you want it.

(9) Here we have friends and Red Cross. who will also help you.

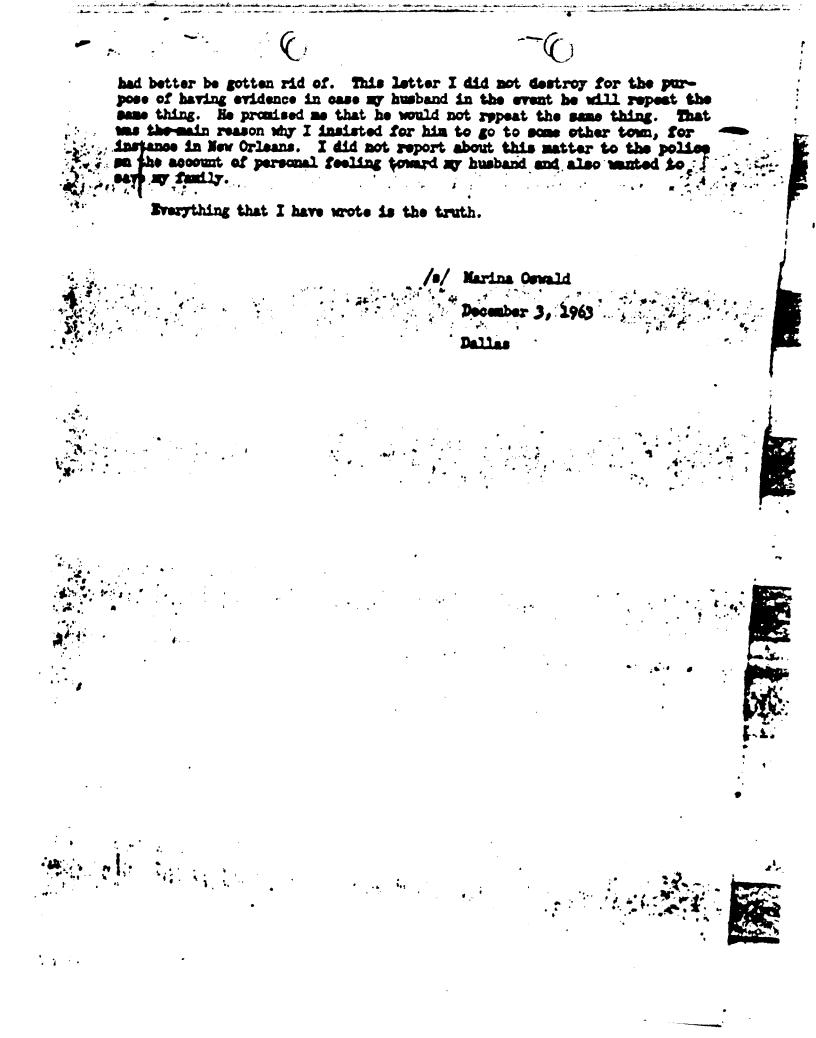
(10) I left you money as much as I could, \$60 on second and you and June could exist on \$10 a week for two months more.

(11) If I am still alive and will be taken to the city prison, the prison is located at the end of the bridge through which we always travel to the city (in the beginning of the city immediately after the bridge)."

This letter was found by me in the evening of the same day when attempted assassination was made on the person by the name of Walker. Late that might when he (Lee) came home he confessed to me that he shot that if 1963 person, he was very nervous and refused to answer any questions asked by me but said only that this person is head of the fascist organisation and DE(1713939)/0.5-8255

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