

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date November 29, 1963

The records of the [REDACTED] reflect the following long distance calls have been made from telephone pay station, located at 1030 North Kangs Boulevard, Dallas, Texas, such being telephone number Whitehall 3-0062.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TO</u>
9/4/63	OX 4-3934, Midland, Texas, [REDACTED]
9/4/63	FE 9-4752, Seguin, Texas
9/6/63	628-6095, Uniontown, Alabama, [REDACTED]
9/6/63	LA 6-5092, Morgantown, Kentucky
9/8/63	875-2398, Chattanooga, Tennessee
9/13/63	LA 6-5092, Morgantown, Kentucky
9/13/63	FE 8-3511, Fort Worth, Texas, [REDACTED]
9/13/63	CH 1-6992, Indianapolis, Indiana
9/16/63	635-1591, Colorado Springs, Colorado, [REDACTED]
9/16/63	LA 6-5092, Morgantown, Kentucky
9/17/63	221-4415, Lancaster, Texas
9/18/63	FI 5-7006, Kalamazoo, Michigan
9/19/63	AX 1-4959, Indianapolis, Indiana
9/19/63	ED 6-6378, Bloomington, Indiana, [REDACTED]
9/22/63	FI 5-7006, Kalamazoo, Michigan
9/23/63	WA 7-8879, Fort Worth, Texas, [REDACTED]
9/23/63	FR 8-1381, Temple, Texas, [REDACTED]
9/23/63	MI 5-8479, Brownwood, Texas
9/23/63	TU 3-0368, Corpus Christi, Texas, [REDACTED]
9/24/63	* WI 8-1592, Marshall, Texas

Tickets during the period October 1, 1963 to October 30, 1963, are going through an accounting process within the telephone company and presently are not available.

Following are available during period October 30 through November 11, 1963:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TO</u>
10/30/63	Wichita, Kansas, 682-4442
10/27/63	Spur, Texas, CR 2-4590

on 11/29/63 at Dallas, Texas File # DL 89-43

By Special Agent ROBERT C. LYNN/nc Date dictated 11/29/63

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TO

11/2/63	Denison, Texas, MO 5-8421
11/6/63	Wichita, Kansas, NU 2-4442
11/6/63	Tyler, Texas, Broadway Furniture Company LY 2-4391
11/7/63	McKinney, Texas, LI 2-4107, H. A. FINCH <i>Texas</i>
11/8/63	Wedgewood, Texas, AX 2-3696
11/9/63	Lafayette, Louisiana, CE 4-8098, <u>RICHARD</u> SUBON'S residence
11/9/63	Spur, Texas, CE 2-4590
11/11/63	Farmington, New Mexico, 325-1865

The above information will be made available upon the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum which should be directed to

[REDACTED]

NO 89-69

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The following investigation was conducted by IC
CHARLES L. MURRAY at New Orleans, Louisiana, on December 3,
1963:

Mr. LOUIS ^{SA} ~~WATSON~~ GARDE, Clerk, Identification Bureau,
and Mrs. GLORIA ~~WATSON~~ Clerk, Record Room, both New Orleans
Louisiana Police Department, advised that a check of their
records failed to reflect any information identifiable with
ROBERT LEE OSWALD.

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Mr. LOUIS LAGARDE, Clerk, Identification Bureau, New Orleans Police Department, advised their records reflect that OSWALD ROGER ~~R~~ALPH, white male, DOB June 12, 1931, place of birth, Hammond, Louisiana, was arrested November 29, 1962, with charge of crime against nature. Disposition was shown as two years probation.

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On 12/3/63 at New Orleans, Louisiana File # NO 89-69

by IC CHARLES L. MURRAY

/mrk

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1Date December 4, 1963

LA.
 Mrs. ~~BILLIE~~ *GILMORE*, Docket Clerk, Second Municipal Court, Section B, 501 North Rampart Street, advised that her records reflected that on August 12, 1963, LEE HARVEY OSWALD appeared before Municipal Court Judge EDWIN A. ~~BABYLON~~ *La* and pleaded guilty to a charge of violation of Ordinance 828 of Mayor Council Series, Section 42-22, relative to disturbing the peace by creating a scene. Mrs. GILMORE stated Judge BABYLON sentenced OSWALD to pay a \$10 fine or serve 10 days in jail. Mrs. GILMORE said that her records revealed OSWALD paid a \$10 cash fine.

Mrs. GILMORE stated the Municipal Court record on OSWALD disclosed that on August 9, 1963, he was arrested and charged as indicated above, and at 5:20 p.m., August 10, 1963, he was paroled for a Mr. ~~A. HECKMAN~~, a Jury Commissioner, State of Louisiana, Orleans Parish, New Orleans, Louisiana.

LA
 Mrs. GILMORE advised that the Municipal Court records further disclosed that CARLOS J. BRINGUIER, CELSO M. HERNANDEZ and MIGUEL M. ~~CRUZ~~ had also been arrested on August 9, 1963 with OSWALD and charged with violation of the same Ordinance and Section. On August 12, 1963, these individuals appeared in court at the same time as OSWALD, however, they pled not guilty. The record shows that the charge against these three individuals was dismissed.

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New Orleans, Louisiana

File #

NO 89-69

SA JOHN L. QUIGLEY

Jaw

Date dictated

12/4/63

Date December 4, 1963

The records of the New Orleans Police Department, First District Precinct Station, reflect in the Desk Book for the period July 5, 1963 to August 10, 1963 on Page 298, Item 4843, arrest #645, the following record on LEE H. OSWALD:

LEE H. OSWALD, 4907 Magazine Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, a white male, age 23, born at New Orleans, Louisiana on October 8, 1939, 5'9", 140 pounds, Cuban nationality, no occupation, was arrested on August 9, 1963 at 4:15 p.m. in the 700 block of Canal Street. He was charged with violation of Municipal Ordinance 828, MSC 42:22, disturbing the peace by creating a scene. The arresting officers were Lieutenant ~~W. GAILLOT~~, ~~F. WILSON~~ and ~~F. HAYWOOD~~. There was a notation that OSWALD was paroled by A. HECKMAN on August 10, 1963 at 5:20 p.m. Disposition was \$10 and/or 10 days, Municipal Court, August 12, 1963.

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Report #34
Car. no. 58679191CR
New Orleans La.
Under the same item number, 4843, was arrest #646 for CARLOS JOSE BRINGUIER, white male, age 29, Cuban nationality, residence 501 Adele Street; arrest #647 for CELOS M. HERNANDEZ, white male, age 47, Cuban nationality, 519 Adele Street; and arrest #648 for MIGUEL CRUZ, white male, age 18, Cuban nationality, 2526 Nazant Street. The arrest records reflect the above three defendants posted a \$25 bond on August 9, 1963 at 7:10 p.m. The above three were also charged with violation of MSC 42:22, disturbing the peace by creating a scene, and the final disposition was reflected as "discharged by Municipal Court on August 12, 1963."

Celos M. Hernandez
Celos Hernandez
519 Adele st
New Orleans, La.
C. appears NYC Cuba

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SA REGIS L. KENNEDY

/lyc

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Identification Officer JAMES C. ROBINSON, Police Department, advised there was no reference to LEE HARVEY OSWALD or his known aliases of reference in the police identification files.

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Date 12/2/63 at Biloxi, Miss.

File # NO 89-89
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by SA H. WARREN TOOL, JR. /lyc

Date dictated 12/3/63

NO 89-89
FAS: cjo

AT COVINGTON, LOUISIANA

The following investigation was conducted by
SA FRANK A. BASS, JR., on December 2, 1963:

Chief Criminal Deputy Sheriff CHARLES ~~X~~ DUVISION, ^{la}
St. Tammany Parish Sheriff's Office, informed that his
records and the records of the Clerk of Court of St.
Tammany Parish failed to show any information reflecting
an arrest in the name of LEE HARVEY OSWALD or any member
of his family.

Chief of Police PETER ~~X~~ REVERE, ^{la} Covington, Louisiana
Police Department, informed that his records showed no
information to indicate an arrest record in the name of
LEE HARVEY OSWALD or any member of his family.

^{la} St. Tammany Parish Juvenile Officer, ~~X~~ NORMAN
HYDE, advised that he was not acquainted with LEE HARVEY
OSWALD.

^{la} Mrs. JOYCE ~~X~~ KIEFER, Office Deputy, St. Tammany
Parish Sheriff's Office, a former resident of Vermont
Street, informed that she did not know LEE HARVEY OSWALD
nor any member of his family as previously having resided
on Vermont Street.

Deputy Sheriff DUVISION, mentioned above, has
been associated with the St. Tammany Parish Sheriff's
Office for 33 years; however, did not have any knowledge
of LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

Mr. BILL ~~X~~ KIEFER, Vermont and Rutland Streets, ^{Covington LA}
advised that he has lived approximately 40 years at this
particular location; however, has never known of LEE HARVEY
OSWALD or any member of his family.

There is no credit bureau in the Covington
area, this being covered by the New Orleans Retailers
Credit Bureau of New Orleans.

The following investigation was conducted by SA
JAMES J. O'CONNOR, at Miami, Florida:

Check of records of the following agencies was
made on November 22, 1963, in the name of LEE H. OSWALD,
with negative results:

Dade County Department of Public Safety;
Miami, Florida, Police Department;
Miami Beach, Florida, Police Department;
Miami Municipal Court.

On November 29, 1963, a check of records of the
same law enforcement agencies resulted negatively in
locating records under the aliases of OSWALD, that is,
ALEX JAMES WIDELL, A. J. WIDELL, O. H. LEE, and O. PED LEE.

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Airman First Class JOHN G. ~~SHERIDAN~~ ^{WES}, Air Police
Record Section, advised that air police incident and arrest
records are not retained prior to the year 1962.

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Keesler Air Force Base, File #
Mississippi

NO 89-69

SA H. HARRIS TOOL, JR.

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Colonel JOHN C. ~~EVERS~~, Commandant, Technical School, advised that records of military personnel and/or students attending formal technical training courses at Keesler Air Force Base, Mississippi, for the period 1953 to November, 1960, are not available at Keesler Air Force Base, their having been retired to the Military Personnel Records Center, 9700 Page Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri. Colonel EVERS said that for the period 1956 to 1959 the Technical School was known as the 3380th Technical Training Group, Keesler Air Force Base, Mississippi.

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On 12/4/63 at Keesler Air Force Base, Miss. File # MO 89-89by SA H. WARREN TOOL, JR.

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Date dictated 12/4/63

NO 89-89
JES:jan

The following investigation was conducted by SA(A)
JAMES E. SCHMIDT, JR:

AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

Mr. JOSEPH B. ^{LA}TONER, Manager, New Orleans Retailers Credit Bureau, Inc., Masonic Temple Building, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised on December 2, 1963 that his files failed to contain a record for A. J. HIDEKL.

Mr. ANTHONY ^{LA}GIARDINA, Identification Bureau, New Orleans Police Department, advised on December 2, 1963 that his files failed to contain a record for A. J. HIDEKL.

Mr. JOHN E. ^{LA}HEVRON, Assistant Secretary and Treasurer, New Orleans Public Service, Inc., 317 Baronne Street, advised on December 2, 1963 that the identity of persons obtaining gas and electric service in New Orleans cannot be checked by name alone and can only be checked by address where such service is allegedly rendered. HEVRON stated New Orleans Public Service, Inc. maintains a deposit ledger containing names of persons who have made deposits for gas and/or electric service. He stated this ledger does not contain the name of A. J. HIDEKL.

Date December 4, 1963

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Mr. E. L. CARTER, JR., Credit Manager, Montgomery Wards, Fort Worth, Texas, residence 1912 Martel, stated that his records reflect LKE OSWALD purchased a television set from his company on September 22, 1962. At the time of the purchase, he listed his address as 2703 Mercedes, Fort Worth, Texas. Sometime later, he changed his address to Post Office Box 2918, Dallas, Texas. At the time of the purchase, he bought it on credit, and as he had no previous credit record with Montgomery Wards, and was unable to furnish any credit references, a co-signer on his credit purchase was required. His brother, ROBERT L. OSWALD, signed the note guaranteeing payment. ROBERT OSWALD listed his residence as 7313 Davenport, Fort Worth, Texas.

On his application, LKE OSWALD listed his age as 22, married, wife's name, MARINA, one dependent. He stated he had been employed for four months as a Welder at the Leslie Welding Company, on White Settlement Road, in Fort Worth, where he made \$250 per month. Prior to his employment with Leslie, he stated he had been in the U. S. Marine Corps for four years and was assigned to the base at El Toro Base, California.

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on 12-4-63at Fort Worth, TexasFile # DL 89-43

by Special Agent

H. FOW CARTER:mjaDate dictated 12-4-63

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Miss

Mrs. RITA GATE ~~LEE~~, Assistant Manager, Harrison County Credit Bureau, which agency collects credit information along the entire Mississippi Gulf Coast, including Keesler Air Force Base, advised there was no reference to LEE HARVEY OSWALD in the credit bureau files.

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On 12/2/63

at Gulfport, Mississippi

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by SA H. WARREN TOOL, JR. /lyc

Date dictated 12/3/63

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J. Miscellaneous

(a) Health Data

Date 12/3/63

Texas
MARY LOU LAUTENSLAGER, Assistant Medical Records Librarian, Harris Hospital, 1300 W. Cannon Street, Fort Worth, Texas, stated her records, No. 81375, identified by the name LEE OSWALD, Grandbury Road, Route No. 45, Benbrook, Texas; birth place Louisiana; religion Lutheran, reflects the following information: Admitted: February 8, 1946, Discharged: February 13, 1946. *Also Edw. in Hqs. K2441*

Relatives	Mother - Mrs. MARGUERITE EDNAEL (address same as above) <i>Edward Ednael</i>
	Stepfather - <u>Mr. E. A. EDNAEL</u> Grandbury Rd (address same as above) <u>Route # 45 Benbrook, Texas</u>
Diagnosis	Acute Mastoiditis - left
Operation	Simple Mastoidectomy
Attending Physician	<u>Dr. C. R. RILEY</u> Texas
Intern	<u>J. C. RILEY</u> Texas

Page headed "History and Physical Examination" dated February 8, 1946, and signed RILEY, bears the following notation: "6 year old admitted with acute mastoiditis, left. Simple mastoidectomy performed, no complications."

Page entitled "Operative Record" bears the following notation: "A simple mastoidectomy was done. The wound was closed with dermal. A rubber dam drain was used."

Miss LAUTENSLAGER further stated her records contain Outpatient file No. 8554, identified as Master LEE OSWALD, Benbrook, Texas; Mother Mrs. MARGARET OSWALD, Benbrook, Texas, appeared in Outpatient Clinic July 19, 1948, was treated "Puncture Wound, Right Heel," and discharged same date. The record indicates OSWALD was brought to Harris Hospital by a Mr. (first name unknown) ALLEN, in private automobile. Attending physical was G. O. HUTCHESON, Jr.

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by Special Agent BENJAMIN O. KEUTER:vr

Date dictated 12/3/63

J. Miscellaneous

(b) Funds

~~* Oswald, Marguerite * Cleaver Ric~~

~~* Oswald, Marguerite * ^{NCC} Cleaver Ric~~

~~* Oswald, Marguerite * Cleaver Ric~~

~~* Oswald, Margaret~~

~~* Oswald, Marguerite~~

~~* Oswald, Marguerite C.~~

~~* Oswald, Marguerite C.~~

~~* Pic, Edward John MRS.~~

~~* Eckdahl, Ed MRS.~~

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Texas

Born July 21, No year
Covington, LA

Date December 3, 19631

Texas
 ED HERBERT, News Director, KTVT-TV, 4800 West Lancaster, stated he noticed in the Sunday, Fort Worth Star Telegram a news story alleging that LEE H. OSWALD had reportedly received Western Union Money Orders in the denominations of \$10 and \$20 from an individual in the State of Mississippi, who was described as being a "right winger", a "former Marine", and "may have served with OSWALD in the U. S. Marine Corps".

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 HERBERT said it occurred to him that ~~BYRON de la BECKWITH~~, the individual charged with the murder of National Association for the Advancement of Colored People official, MEDGAR EVERS, was both a right winger and a former member of the Marine Corps. HERBERT said that he sent a query to the Associated Press in Jackson, Mississippi, asking that agency to determine whether possibly DE LA BECKWITH had sent Western Union Money Orders to OSWALD. HERBERT said apparently the Associated Press man at Jackson had misunderstood the query and had checked only at the Western Union office to find if money orders had been sent, because HERBERT's reply from the Associated Press in Jackson had said only that there was no record of money orders sent to OSWALD in the Western Union office at Jackson, and no information was set forth about DE LA BECKWITH.

HERBERT stated that the basis for his query was the newspaper story and he had done no further checking into any possible connection between OSWALD and DE LA BECKWITH.

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JOSEPH L. SCHOTT and

by Special Agent B. TOM CARTER:mjs

Date dictated 12-3-63

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WCD:nan

On December 2, 1963, Confidential Informant Dallas T-13 advised that he had received a teletype message from Associated Press, Dallas, Texas, December 2, 1963, requesting that he check [redacted] at [redacted] Mississippi, to determine if any money had been wired from Jackson to LEE HARVEY OSWALD at Dallas, Texas. He stated that the teletype message did not set forth the basis for this request, and that he had checked with the [redacted] of [redacted] at [redacted] and informed him he had no recollection of any such money orders.

Confidential Informant Dallas T-14 advised on December 2, 1963, that while he does not see all money orders he does not recall recently seeing any money orders being sent to OSWALD from [redacted] and has heard no comments of other clerks that they have seen such money orders. Dallas T-14 stated that records of [redacted] Dallas, Texas, could be checked for this information as money order records are filed alphabetically by the name of the recipient at the receiving office.

Records are confidential and can be obtained only through issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

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3. Miscellaneous

(c) Selective Service data

DL 100-10461

WCD:nan

Confidential Informant Dallas T-16 advised that Selective Service records reflect that LEE HARVEY OSWALD registered on September 14, 1959, with Local Board 114, Fort Worth, Texas, and he has SSN 41-114-39-532. OSWALD was born October 18, 1939, at New Orleans, Louisiana, and resided at 3124 W. 5th Street, Fort Worth, when he registered. He listed as his nearest relative, a brother, ROBERT OSWALD, 7313 Davenport Street, Fort Worth. OSWALD served in the U. S. Marine Corps from October 24, 1959, to November 7, 1959, when he was honorably discharged. In the military service he was an electronics operator, and his civil occupation was that of a radio operator. On February 2, 1960, OSWALD was classified IV-A.

A newspaper clipping reflected that OSWALD attended Arlington High School one year before he entered the U. S. Marine Corps, and he went to Moscow five weeks after his discharge from the Marine Corps.

With regard to Selective Service card bearing the name LEE HARVEY OSWALD, SSN 43-354-39-37, Mrs. WILSON advised that the numeral 43 is a prefix for the State of Vermont and 354 is the indicated Local Board. The State of Vermont has only 14 local boards; therefore, this appears to be an altered card.

With regard to Selective Service card bearing the name ALEK JAMES HIDEELL, SSN 42-224-39-5321, Local Board No. 4, Fort Worth, Texas, Dallas T-16 advised there is no Local Board No. 4 in Fort Worth. She stated the numeral 42 is a prefix for the State of Utah and 224 is the indicated Local Board. The State of Utah has only 39 local boards; therefore, this appears to be a fictitious registration card.

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J. Miscellaneous

(d) General Miscellaneous

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EHB/bap

Items furnished by Mrs. LILLIAN DESLATTES on December 2, 1963, to Special Agent EMIL HENRY BECKER being furnished to the FBI Laboratory for identification purposes, except for Western Union Sending Blank which contained no handwriting specimen.

Items furnished by Mr. MOSES BRENER on December 2, 1963, to Special Agent EMIL HENRY BECKER being furnished to the FBI Laboratory for identification purposes.

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Date 12/2/63

Mr. ARTHUR WESSELER, 760 Morningside Road, Ridgewood, New Jersey, telephonically advised that news releases in connection with the assassin of President J. F. KENNEDY have indicated that the rifle used in the assassination was purchased from a Chicago mail order house under the name HEIDEL.

WESSELER stated that an auto mechanic employed at a Texaco station owned and operated by one W. C. KNAPP, Route 2, vicinity of White Plains Road, Westchester County, New York, was named GEORGE HEIDEL. WESSELER advised that GEORGE HEIDEL was known as a "screwball" and as a Communist. He stated that he was not able to identify GEORGE HEIDEL as being identical with LEE HARVEY OSWALD, but when he heard that GEORGE HEIDEL had left the Westchester area in about October, 1963, to reside in Texas, he thought the incident may have a connection with instant case.

WESSELER stated he was not able to furnish more specific information.

11/28/63

Swoope, Virginia

File # Richmond 89-34
Dallas 89-43

SA E. THEODORE WEBB / mbd

Date dictated 12/2/63

1 NO 89-69
LGD:bal

Texas

An individual who identified herself as WANDA LORMAN, owner of Wanda's Seven Seas Bar, 608 Iberville Street, telephonically furnished the following information to Supervisor LEON M. GASKILL at 12:25 PM, November 26, 1963:

Miss LORMAN stated she overheard a conversation in her bar to the effect that LEE OSWALD hung out at Jenkins Book Store, 600 Magazine Street, and that the Jenkins Book Store was known as a communist hangout. Miss LORMAN would not further explain the information she furnished. She could not or would not state from whom she had received this information. She requested that she not be contacted at her place of business concerning this, adding that if she obtained any further information she would contact the FBI.

Texas

Miss ANN MORGENSEN, Assistant Manager, The Jenkins Book Company, Inc., 600 Magazine Street, furnished the following information to SA LESTER G. DAVIS on November 29, 1963:

The Jenkins Book Company sells books on a wholesale basis only. She advised that the majority of the books were books for children, but that books for adults were carried in stock. She explained that these were in the category of library books. She continued that her company sells mostly to elementary schools, public libraries and universities.

Miss MORGENSEN stated that they have no reading room at this book company and that if anyone came in requesting to read any of the books in stock, they would be turned away as books are for sale only and in wholesale lots at that.

Miss MORGENSEN advised that her office is adjacent to the entrance to the book company and she sees practically everyone who comes into this store. She viewed a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and advised that she did not recognize OSWALD as anyone who had ever been in the book store. She stated that it was possible that he might have at some time made inquiry regarding their books, but that books would not have been sold or loaned him since the company does not do business with individuals.

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Date December 6, 1963

Texas
At about 1:00 p.m., December 5, 1963, I received from THOMAS J. KELLEY, Inspector, U. S. Secret Service, the following material:

An opened letter typewritten commencing "Friend Lee" and signed typewritten "Pedro Charles" and signed in ink "Peter." Together with the above typewritten letter was received an envelope postmarked "La Habana Cuba, 9:30 a.m., November 28, 1963." This letter is addressed to "Lee Harvey Oswald, Mail Office, Dallas, Texas, U.S.A." This letter was sent air mail.

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Dallas, Texas

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File # DL 89-43

by Special Agent ROBERT C. LISK/gm

Date dictated 12/5/63

1Date 12/4/63

Texas
 LYNN ~~PARKER~~ stated he is the manager of the Community Blood and Plasma Service, 2109 Commerce, Dallas, Texas. According to PARKER, his records indicate a JOE ~~FRANKLIN~~, who resided at Box 349, ~~Vernon, Texas~~, gave blood at the blood bank on AUGUST 18, 1960, October 19, 1962, and December 14, 1962. He further stated their records indicate FRANKLIN was born April 24, 1926, six feet tall, 163 pounds, and had United States Army Serial Number US 54150836, and Social Security Number 448-16-4273. FRANKLIN also is listed on their records as being a professional honor.

According to PARKER he carefully reviewed all their records but was unable to locate any record for a LEE HARVEY OSWALD, L. M. OSWALD, LEE OSWALD, LESLIE OSWALD, A. NIDELL, A. J. NIDELL, ALEX J. NIDELL, ALEX JAMES NIDELL or O. M. LEE.

PARKER concluded by saying that if someone appears at the blood bank for the purpose of donating blood but is unable to pass the hemoglobin test which is administered immediately upon the donor's arrival, no record of the donor is maintained.

A photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD was exhibited to Mr. PARKER and by him to other employees who were working there during October, 1962, with the result that no one was able to recall that LEE HARVEY OSWALD had ever appeared at the Community Blood and Plasma Service.

12/4/63Dallas, TexasFile # DL 89-43by Special Agent JAMES R. GRANAN, JR. &Date dictated 12/4/63MAROLD R. DOBSON/sv

1Date December 4, 1963

Texas
 DELBERT WILLIS, City Editor, "Fort Worth Press" stated that a review of his newspaper files reflects only three articles recording LEE OSWALD during the 1959 to 1960 period. One of these is marked in pencil, November 16, 1959, entitled "Turncoat Hangs Up on Mother", which was written by KENT BIFFLE, a "Fort Worth Press" writer. A second one is marked in ink, June 10, 1960, and is entitled "Ex-Fort Worth Marine Quits Russia to Return Home" which was written by the United Press International. The third bears the date January 6, 1960, entitled "Fort Worth Turncoat in Moscow Writes Mother He's O.K." MR. WILLIS stated he believes the last article was also written by ~~KENT BIFFLE~~ *BIFFLE* *Texas*

BiFFle
 MR. WILLIS stated that he believes the two articles written by ~~KENT BIFFLE~~ were based on information furnished ~~BIFFLE~~ by MRS. MARGUERITE OSWALD, mother of LEE OSWALD. He explained that MRS. OSWALD was continually calling KENT ~~BIFFLE~~ *BIFFLE* during this period and kept him advised of all developments concerning her son. He stated that ~~BIFFLE~~ is now employed as a writer for the "Dallas Morning News", Dallas, Texas.

MR. WILLIS furnished five photostatic copies each of three above described news stories.

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 on 12/3/63 at Fort Worth, Texas File # DL 89-43
 by Special Agent B. TOM CARTER and
JOSEPH L. SCOTT/BS Date dictated 12/4/63

DL 100-10461
WCD:mas

Confidential Informant Dallas T-15, at Del Rio, Texas, on November 23, 1963, advised as follows:

Dallas T-15 advised that JERRY F. CULBERTSON, description not known, placed an English language advertisement in a Spanish-language newspaper, El Eco, Ciudad Acuna, Mexico, November 3, 1963, which was paid for by Western Union money order November 4, 1963, in the amount of \$2.25 sent from Fort Worth, Texas, and signed JERRY F. CULBERTSON.

The advertisement reads as follows:

"Breeding Jerry or Odell collect important."

This source did not know the significance of the above message nor the identity of CULBERTSON.

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DL 100-10461

WCD:sah

Confidential informant Dallas T-4 advised that [redacted] records reflect no PE-2 exchange in the New Orleans Metropolitan area. [redacted] stated that there was no TE-2 or VE-2 exchanges in this area. [redacted] advised that additional checks of [redacted] records reflected there was no PE-2 or 732 exchange under Area Code 318, which is northern Louisiana. [redacted] stated that in Area Code 504 there was one 732 exchange, that being REpublic 2, which serves Bogalusa, Louisiana. Dallas T-4 stated that in Area Code 601 (southern Mississippi) there is a 732 exchange which serves Morton, Mississippi out of the business office in Meridian, Mississippi.

On December 2, 1963, confidential informant Dallas T-5 advised that REpublic 2-3245 is assigned to [redacted] at the [redacted]

[redacted] Louisiana, and has been connected since 1945.

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Date 12/2/63

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New Orleans, LA.

WILLIAM D. HOGAN, 217 1/2 Bourbon Street, a graduate in the Department of Sociology, presently working in the Division of Biostatistics, Tulane University Medical School, advised that he knew ROBERT HOFFMAN and had attended parties held at HOFFMAN's apartment, which was located on Robert Street, about four blocks toward the river from St. Charles Avenue. He said that HOFFMAN is presently in the University of North Carolina. He observed a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and stated that OSWALD definitely was not at any party held at HOFFMAN's apartment in which he, HOGAN, attended. He stated he is certain that if OSWALD had attended a party at HOFFMAN's apartment, that some of the other guests would have remembered him and most certainly would have called this to his attention after all the publicity which OSWALD has received.

HOGAN stated that he left New Orleans about June 11 or 12, 1963, to attend a six-week summer school session at the University of North Carolina. The summer school began on June 17 and ended on July 26, 1963. He said that on his way back to New Orleans he spent several days in Florida and actually returned to New Orleans about August 1, 1963. He said the parties he attended at HOFFMAN's apartment would have been prior to his attendance at summer school since he has been very busy at the university since his return to New Orleans and has not attended any social functions.

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K. INTERVIEWS WITH MARINA NIKOLAEVNA OSWALD,
NEE PRUSKOVA, AKA, MRS. LEE HARVEY OSWALD,
AND DATA CONCERNING

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MARINA OSWALD was interviewed at **11611 Farrar Street.**

A Verifax copy of a page of notes handwritten in partly Russian and partly English, original of which had been found in the wallet of **LEE HARVEY OSWALD** at New Orleans, Louisiana, by the Police Department at the time of his arrest on August 9, 1963, was examined and discussed with **MARINA OSWALD**. The writing on this piece of paper is fragmentary and much of it is not understandable. The following notes are what can be made out by Mrs. OSWALD.

- 1. Note ~~X~~ ^{Lu 220} Minsk ROSE 92463
- 2. _____ 76 AT Moscow X 78545
- 3. _____ 76 AT Minsk 25994 XI 39
- 4. Radio Factory experimental depart., 3-29-56
- 5. 221-82
- 6. Hotel _____ X 42980
- 7. _____ 202440
- 8. Comrade ~~X~~ ^{no loc} MIADYEV 279 Com. SOVMARKEBOZ (Council of Peoples Economy)
- 9. Comrade ~~X~~ ^{no loc} SHARAPOV 20528
- 10. LEO ~~X~~ ^{no loc} SETIAEV Radio Moscow B-36588
- 11. United Press 77688 ~~X~~ GOLDBERG } no loc.
~~X~~ BOSEY }
- 12. ^{No loc.} ~~X~~ Associated Press 776430 JOHNSON
- 13. ~~X~~ ^{no loc} MARIA 33883

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The items appearing on this page of paper have been numbered by Special Agent BOGUSLAV and correspond to the position of the notes on the original page of notes beginning about the middle of the page with what appear to be the words, "Zoe Muher", although this purports to be Cyrillic writing, and ending at the bottom of the page. The original page of these notes has been forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for examination.

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Photographs numbered on the back 1 through 47 were exhibited to MARINA OSWALD at her place of residence, 11611 Farrar Street. These photographs were made available to SA JAMES E. BOOKHOUT of the FBI Office at Dallas by Captain J. W. FRITZ of the Dallas Police Department. These photographs were among the effects of LEE HARVEY OSWALD in possession of the Dallas Police Department.

MARINA OSWALD identified these photographs by number as follows:

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1. MARINA OSWALD
 2. PAVEL GOLACHEV, a friend of OSWALD's who worked in the same factory in Minsk, Russia
 3. The opera house in Minsk
 4. OSWALD in 1952
 5. OSWALD in Minsk
 6. Picnic scene near Minsk with two girls from Argentina who reside in Minsk *young girl Oswald?*
 7. Minsk scene
 8. PAVEL GOLACHEV
 9. LEE HARVEY OSWALD
 10. Minsk scene
 11. PAVEL GOLACHEV
 12. LEE HARVEY OSWALD and the ~~BIEGER~~ ^{Russia} family, a family from the Argentina that lives in Minsk
 13. PAVEL GOLACHEV, girls names unknown *dark girl Anita Ziegler?*
 14. LEE HARVEY OSWALD in Minsk, Russia
 15. OSWALD
 16. LEE HARVEY OSWALD and JUNE
 17. OSWALD and PAVEL GOLACHEV
 18. OSWALD and his half-brother named JOHN EDWARD PIC in the United States
 19. Russian rural scene
 20. Picture believed to have been taken in Japan by OSWALD

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- ✓21. Russian beach scene
- 22. The great Buddha of India
- 23. Minsk railroad station
- ✓24. Minsk Palace of Culture
- 25. OSWALD and friends at a work break at the factory in which he worked in Minsk, other names unknown
- ✓26. PAVEL GOLACHEV
- ✓27. MARINA OSWALD and LIALIA (LNU) *Grissie Petrovich*
- ✓28. A view of Minsk from OSWALD apartment
- ✓29. Minsk scene
- ✓30. OSWALD's apartment scene
- ✓31. Palace of Culture in Minsk
- ✓32. Apartment house in which the OSWALDs lived in Minsk
- ✓33. Street scene in Minsk nearby OSWALD apartment
- ✓34. A Minsk river scene
- ✓35. Scene in Minsk
- ✓36. OSWALD and an unknown friend, taken before MARINA knew OSWALD *same girl in 13 on left hand*
- ✓37. MARINA and JUNE and Mrs. SIEGER, resident of Minsk
- ✓38. An Argentine family mentioned above who live in Minsk that came to Russia from Poland. Girl with a big smile is ELEANOR ZIEGER. Man's name is believed to be ALEXANDER ZIEGER *Russia Poland*
- ✓39. MARINA OSWALD
- ✓40. OSWALD, MARINA and an acquaintance, name not recalled
- ✓41. OSWALD and person MARINA does not know
- ✓42. ANITA ZIEGER, Minsk resident *Russia*
- ✓43. OSWALD and wife MARINA
- ✓44. PAVEL GOLACHEV
- ✓45. LEE HARVEY OSWALD standing in front of apartment house similar to theirs
- ✓46. LEE HARVEY OSWALD. Photo taken by MARINA OSWALD
- ✓47. OSWALD with rifle.

Handwritten notes on the left margin, including "Schub!" and "13-7-72"

Handwritten note: "x aunt of Marina why he?"

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Mr. JAMES HERBERT MARTIN, who resides at 11611 Farrar Street, and in whose house MARINA OSWALD is residing, advised MARINA OSWALD had retained the services of an attorney on his recommendation. This attorney is JOHN M. THORPE of the firm of Thorpe & Leech, Attorneys and Counselors-at-Law, 302 W. College Street, Grand Prairie, Texas, telephone numbers AM 2-2608 - office, and AM 4-1898 - residence.

Mr. MARTIN advised that MARINA OSWALD continued to receive a number of letters containing checks and money orders for cash and that he had been handling this money for MARINA. He said that to date \$5,926.15 has been received and these amounts have been deposited in a savings and a checking account in the First National Bank of Dallas. In addition, \$1,000 has been collected by a Rev. Allen of the First Methodist Church in Houston for MARINA and \$600 has been collected for MARINA by a group in Ft. Worth, Texas.

He stated he has a tentative appointment with a reporter representing the Huntley-Brinkley Report for December 5, 1963, concerning the appearance of MARINA in an interview on this program. He said that if arrangements can be worked out an interview with MARINA will probably be filmed at the Inn of the Six Flags, Ft. Worth-Dallas, where Mr. MARTIN is Resident Manager, sometime around December 6 or 7, 1963.

Mr. MARTIN made the statement that he had heard that Mrs. PAINE had received \$5,000 for giving an article to Look magazine and that he felt MARINA should also get whatever money she could on behalf of her children. He said that he believes that MARINA should give only a copyrighted interview and for that reason he felt the services of an attorney were needed.

MARTIN said that he considers himself as the agent of MARINA.

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MARINA OSVALD was interviewed at the home of JAMES HERBERT MARTIN, 11611 Farrar Street, Dallas, Texas, telephone DAVIS 7-8589.

MARINA OSVALD furnished the following background information concerning herself. She was born July 17, 1941, at Severodvinsk (formerly called Moletovsk), Arkhangel Oblast, USSR. She does not know who her father was. Her stepfather is ALEXANDER IVANOVICH MEDVEDEV. Her mother is KLAVDIA VASILEVKA MEDVEDEV. She moved from Severodvinsk while she was an infant and went to live in Arkhangelak, Arkhangel Oblast, where she lived with her maternal grandmother, TATIANA YAKOVLEUNA PRUBAKOVA, now deceased, and her grandfather, VASILY PRUBAKOV (sometimes spelled PROOSAKOV). She remembers her grandfather wore a uniform and her mother always told her that he was a Captain First Class. Her grandfather died when she was about 4 or 4½ years old and she continued to live with her grandmother until she was about 7 years old. When she was 7, she went back to live with her stepfather and mother at Zguritza, Moldavian, SSR (formerly called Besarabia). A half-brother, PIOTR ALEKANDROVICH MEDVEDEV, was born at Arkhangelak in 1945 or 1946, and a half-sister, TATIANA ALEKANDROVNA MEDVEDEVA, was born in 1949. *Russia*

At Zguritza she went to school for 4 years. Then the entire family moved to Leningrad in 1952 where she entered the 5th grade. It was in this town that her stepfather was born and he had now returned home. Her stepfather was by training and profession an electrical worker. He was skilled, and in Leningrad at this time had a job maintaining equipment in a gas producing plant. He had, before the war, been employed in the Moldavian SSR at an electrical station. During the war he was mobilized and had spent the war at the front. She believes he was some sort of an Army Officer. Meanwhile, her mother worked in a hospital. She does not know where.

She attended the fifth, sixth, and seventh grades of a ten-year school called the 374th Woman's School at Leningrad. At the conclusion of her seventh grade she wanted to go to a specialized school because her mother was quite ill and she felt that she might need a specialty in order that she

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might be independent. She was allowed to enter a specialty school, which she did following the conclusion of her seventh grade work. She entered the Pharmacy Technicum at Leningrad in 1955 and graduated with a diploma as a pharmacist in June, 1959. During her last year in pharmacy school she had also worked in a drug store in Leningrad. This drug store was a central drug store located on Nevsky Prospect (a main street in Leningrad). Her mother died when she was in the second year of pharmacy school. She continued to reside with her stepfather although she felt like a stranger in the house. She explained that she and her stepfather did not get along well together and that this had been a situation of long standing. She explained that this situation was probably more due to her actions than to those of her stepfather. She said she had been "fresh" with her mother, particularly, and the stepfather had not liked this. She said she was not amenable to discipline and was generally a source of concern to her stepfather.

She advised that during this time while she was attending pharmacy school after her mother died she took meals away from the stepfather's home although she slept there. She explained that upon the death of her mother the children had come into a pension, and that this was divided three ways.

MARINA said she did not feel that her childhood was a happy one because of the friction between herself and her stepfather.

Upon graduation from pharmaceutical school in June, 1959, she was assigned work in a pharmaceutical warehouse in Leningrad. This work consisted of packing and preparing pharmaceutical orders. She did not like the work and quit after one day. She explained that generally a person had 3 days in which to decide whether or not to retain a professional type job and that it was not a black mark to quit a job during this first three days. After quitting this job, she took a two months' vacation, and just enjoyed herself. She was residing in her stepfather's house in Leningrad.

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Toward the end of August, 1959, she bought a railroad ticket to Minsk, Belorussia, SSR, as she had decided to go live with her aunt and uncle who reside in Minsk. Minsk is a 24-hour railroad ride from Leningrad. This uncle is ILIA VASILIEVICH PRUSAKOV, who is now about 52 years of age, and the aunt is VALENTINA GURIEVNA PRUSAKOVA, who is now about 37 years of age. This aunt and uncle had lived in Arkhangelsk when she lived there. Her grandmother had lived with this aunt and uncle for a while prior to her death. There was a mutual liking between this aunt and uncle and MARINA. This uncle had graduated from college as an engineer, specializing in lumber. He had been in the Armed Forces in World War II and after the war was assigned to the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Belorussia, in Minsk, and is presently in charge of the department which deals with lumber. Although he works as an engineer, he has the rank of a Colonel or Lieutenant Colonel and always wears a military uniform. Everybody in this ministry wears a uniform. For example, a medical doctor who lives in the same apartment house as does her uncle and who works in this ministry also wears a military uniform.

Her aunt, VALENTINA, had no children, and she spent her time at the apartment.

When she arrived at the apartment of her aunt and uncle, they had a general discussion about her, MARINA's, future, and it was agreed that she could remain at the apartment if she wanted to do so. MARINA said that she was going to look for a job. The aunt said that MARINA would probably get married soon, but the uncle was opposed to an early marriage by MARINA. MARINA was 18 at this time. MARINA said she herself was opposed to marriage at this time and desired only to get a job and go to work.

She had previously had male admirers in Leningrad and had only recently broken up with one particular boy. This boy's mother was very interested in her son marrying MARINA, but neither the boy nor MARINA felt that their relationship was close enough for marriage. MARINA refused to give the name of this boy at this time.

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Concerning the uncle's apartment, MARINA said it was one of the best in the apartment house, which was for the employees of the Ministry of Internal Affairs. It was located on the 4th floor and had a kitchen, one bath, a foyer, a study, one bedroom, and a combination living room and dining room. The rooms were large although the kitchen was rather small.

In October, 1959, MARINA went to work in the drug section of the Third Clinical Hospital in Minsk, which is located on Lenin Street, in the central section of Minsk. She worked there for one year, until October, 1960, at which time she had earned a month's vacation. She took this vacation in a rest home near Leningrad. This rest home had several cottages in forest-like surroundings. The sexes were separated. The persons at the rest home ate, slept, relaxed, and had fun.

Concerning her social life, MARINA said, as stated before, that she had had several male admirers in Leningrad but had not been interested in matrimony. She pointed out, parenthetically, that at that time her teeth were in good condition and she took pains with her appearance and she believed that she was attractive to men. She said that at the present time she has lost several of her teeth as a result of her two pregnancies and does not feel that she is as attractive as she once was.

She advised that while living in Leningrad she had visited Minsk on vacation on several occasions. On one of these occasions her uncle had introduced her to a young man who lived in the same apartment as did her uncle. This young man, in turn, introduced her to another young man. Then this last young man introduced her to many young men and women with whom he associated socially. These young people were for the most part students in the schools of architecture, medicine, and engineering. Their social life was taken up, in good part, by getting together in cafes where they would sip coffee, exchange gossip, and read newspapers. Also, very heated discussions were carried on among the students about different architectural designs or other professional topics. Also, on occasion various young people would get together at someone's house and listen to records. She said that the crowd more or

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less ran together and that she, MARINA, did not desire to pair up with any particular boy friend. This was an enjoyable period of her life and she found her social associations very pleasant.

Concerning the two young men to whom she was first introduced, MARINA advised that she did not care to divulge their names. She said that the first young man to whom she had been introduced by her uncle and who resided in the same apartment house as her uncle spent his vacations in Minsk although he studied in Leningrad. The second young man to whom she was introduced by the first young man is a student at Minsk at some technical institute. The first boy's father is an engineer in the Ministry of Internal Affairs and the father of the second boy is a professor of Science in a technical institute in Minsk.

She advised that she once was invited by some medical student friends to attend an affair which was a combination social and cultural event to be held at the Palace of Culture. She stated that the Palace had been evidently rented by the medical institute for this purpose. She said she decided to go to this affair and spent a good deal of time dressing and preparing for it. When she finally was ready to go she decided not to go. Then her uncle said that as long as she was already dressed and ready that she should go, so she went. She said that she arrived at about 10 o'clock, which was three hours after the affair had started. MARINA pointed out that the first part of the evening had been devoted primarily to a lecture by a Russian woman who had visited the United States as a tourist. Her lecture had dealt with her impressions of the United States. MARINA arrived too late to hear this lecture. The woman lecturer had a son who was a medical student in Minsk and this son was in attendance at this affair on this occasion. This son was an acquaintance of LEE OSWALD.

When MARINA arrived at the affair, as she described it, well dressed and pretty, LEE OSWALD almost immediately saw her and told his medical student acquaintance that he would like to meet her. She was introduced to OSWALD by this medical

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student and OSWALD immediately asked her to dance. She accepted OSWALD's invitation and they spent much time together that evening.

She said that OSWALD's Russian, although good, bore a definite accent. She thought that he probably had come from one of the Russian speaking Baltic countries.

At this point MARINA interposed that she had attended this affair about the middle of March, 1961, and she had married LEE OSWALD on April 30, 1961.

Date December 1, 1963

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MARINA OSWALD was interviewed at the home of JAMES HERBERT MARTIN, 11611 Farrar Street, Dallas, Texas, telephone DAVIS 7-6569.

She advised that after OSWALD returned to Dallas in early October, 1963, and found a room in Oak Cliff, he had called her an average of twice a day to inquire about her condition as her second child was due on about October 8, 1963. She said OSWALD found a job at the ~~the~~ Texas School Book Depository on Texas October 15, 1963. She said Mrs. PAYNE had talked to one of her neighbors about OSWALD needing a job and a woman neighbor said there was a vacancy where her brother was employed, and suggested that OSWALD contact this place. Mrs. OSWALD does not recall the name of the neighbor, except that she is called LENNIE. Texas Mrs. PAYNE found that the place of employment of this neighbor's brother was the Texas School Book Depository and she called that place several times asking for the person it had been recommended that she call, but she could not locate this person. She finally was able to locate this person by telephone, and upon inquiring about possible employment for OSWALD was told that OSWALD should call about the job. MARINA said that the date of contact by Mrs. PAYNE of this person at the Texas School Book Depository must have been on Monday, October 14, 1963, as she knows OSWALD went to the Texas School Book Depository on the following day, which was October 15, 1963, and got a job.

The ~~second~~ weekend following his return to Dallas, which was the weekend of October 11-13, 1963, OSWALD had no job. He spent that weekend at the PAYNE residence and MARINA believes it was during that weekend sometime that Mrs. PAYNE talked to her neighbor, LENNIE, about the job for OSWALD.

She recalls he came to the PAYNEs for the weekend on October 18, 1963, as this is OSWALD's birthday. He spent the night of October 18th at the PAYNE house, spent all day Saturday and Saturday night, and then on October 20, a Sunday, Mrs. PAYNE took MARINA to the Parkland Hospital as her baby was due. OSWALD stayed with the children at the PAYNE house. She was released from the hospital on Tuesday morning, October 22, and PAYNE brought her back to her house. When she returned to the PAYNE home, OSWALD was at work.

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While she was in the hospital, OSWALD visited her on Monday night, October 21, with Mrs. PAINE and the children, but only OSWALD was allowed to see her and the newborn baby. She believes that he came about 7 or so in the evening and stayed for about 1 1/2 hours. She said that after his visit OSWALD returned with Mrs. PAINE and the children to the PAINE residence where he stayed overnight.

Following her return from the hospital to the PAINE home, OSWALD visited her each weekend, with two exceptions, and would usually call her at least once a day. He usually came on Friday, after work, with the neighbor who worked at the School Book Depository and would return to work on Monday morning with this same neighbor. On the two exceptions noted, one occurred when OSWALD called her from work on a Friday, exact date not remembered, to inform her that he had an appointment to see about another job the next day, Saturday, and therefore would not be at the PAINE residence that night, Friday. He said that he did not like the work at the Texas School Book Depository and wanted to try to find another job, but did not want Mrs. PAINE to know it as she had helped him get the job at the School Book Depository. He said he had seen an ad in the newspaper and was going to answer that ad. MARINA advised that the ad was by some photographic concern. She said OSWALD had appeared at the PAINE residence on that Saturday, and said that he had applied for the job but had been unsuccessful. He arrived at the PAINE residence on that day before lunch.

Concerning his job at the School Book Depository, OSWALD told MARINA that his job was to fill out orders and pack them in boxes. He said he did not like his work and it was for that reason that he was looking for other work.

MARINA asked OSWALD about the people at the School Book Depository and each time she would try to engage him in conversation about his fellow employees, he would turn her questions aside and say that he was not interested in any of them. She asked him about his boss and he said the boss was a nice man. She said she told OSWALD that he should make friends at the School Book Depository but she knew that he was not interested in making friends. OSWALD mentioned to her that they had coffee breaks at the Depository and that the atmosphere down there was very congenial. He did not tell MARINA on which floor he worked.

The other weekend on which OSWALD did not visit the PAINE residence occurred on November 15-17, 1963. On this Friday, November 15, 1963, OSWALD called MARINA and she told him not to come that weekend because one of the PAINE children

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was having a birthday and Mr. PAINK would be over and it was not convenient for OSWALD to spend the weekend. He did not come to the PAINK house that weekend. MARINA advised she became lonesome that weekend and on Sunday, November 17, 1963, had Mrs. PAINK call the telephone number where OSWALD was staying as she wanted to talk to him. Mrs. PAINK called the number and asked the person who answered the telephone for LEE OSWALD, but could not locate OSWALD at that number. She advised the next day, Monday, November 18, 1963, OSWALD called her about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. She told him that she had tried to locate him the day before and had Mrs. PAINK call the number he had left. OSWALD then became angry and told MARINA that Mrs. PAINK should not have called for him under his right name, LEE OSWALD, because he was staying there under another name. MARINA asked him why he was staying there under another name and he replied that he did not want people asking questions. MARINA became mad at OSWALD because he was staying at this house under another name. OSWALD also was mad. He told MARINA to tear his telephone number out of Mrs. PAINK's book and MARINA refused to do this. She then hung up the telephone on OSWALD.

On Thursday, November 21, 1963, OSWALD appeared unannounced at the PAINK residence, at about 5:45 p.m., with the neighbor boy who worked at the School Book Depository and with whom he usually caught a ride. She asked him why he had come and he replied that he had gotten lonesome. He wanted to make up with MARINA. She said that she was still mad at him because he was staying at his rooming house under a false name. Even though OSWALD wanted to make up, she did not make up, and as a consequence did not talk to him much during that evening of November 21. She said that OSWALD had played with the children outside for a while and then had gone to bed about 8:30 in the evening. She said that she retired about midnight. She advised that she did not know if OSWALD went to the PAINK garage that night, but advised he could have easily done so because he was outside with the children a good deal. She said that generally OSWALD would go to the garage on the weekends because many of their things were stored there and she would ask him to get something for her from these things. She said she did not pay any particular attention to when he went or what he did if he went to the garage.

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On the morning of November 22, 1963, the alarm rang at 6:40 a.m. and she awoke and OSWALD remained asleep. She began feeding the baby and at about 7 o'clock she awoke OSWALD and told him he had better get up or he would be late for work. He got up and as he finished dressing, said he would take care of his own breakfast. He then went into the kitchen, but she does not believe he fixed anything because the coffee pot was not warm when she went in later, about 7:20, and she saw no signs of breakfast preparations. She said the last time she saw OSWALD was when he left her bedroom to go to the kitchen.

On November 21, 1963, the previous evening, OSWALD told her that he would not be able to come to the PARKER residence on the coming weekend, November 22-24, 1963. She asked him why and he said it was not convenient to disturb people so often. She also remembers that on Thursday, November 21, she came running from the kitchen to see OSWALD in another part of the house, and asked him how it would be to see a real live President. She was referring to the visit of President KENNEDY, scheduled for the next day. OSWALD was extremely short in his answer, said something like "I don't know," and abruptly terminated the conversation. Mrs. OSWALD said she liked President KENNEDY and JACKIE KENNEDY because both of them appeared, in their photographs, to be very sympathetic people. She said that she would often have OSWALD read the captions under photographs of President KENNEDY and JACKIE. She said she admired them both. She stated she has asked OSWALD on one occasion what kind of a President Mr. KENNEDY was and he had replied that KENNEDY was a good President. She said OSWALD never gave any indication whatsoever that he intended any harm to the President.

She said she feels intuitively that if OSWALD was trying to kill the President, that one shot would have been enough, and that she feels, therefore, that he might have been aiming at the other person (Governor CONNALLY). She said OSWALD never mentioned any possible plans that he might have about assassinating the President. She said she cannot understand this thing.

She recalled on one occasion, quite a while ago, she made the remark to OSWALD that she couldn't imagine one person

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killing another. She asked him if he could kill another person and he replied "HITLER needed killing," and implied that by killing HITLER, others could be saved.

The rifle that was owned by OSWALD she had seen many times. She recalled specifically seeing it when they lived on Neeley Street, and she knows that OSWALD had the rifle in the garage at the PAINÉ residence. She advised she did not know that the rifle had a scope on it. She recalls that she had asked OSWALD why he had the rifle and he told her that it was for hunting purposes. She replied that he could not expect to go hunting if he did not have a car. He assured her that one day, they would have a car.

MARINA advised that the only sources of income that OSWALD had, to her knowledge, were his pay for his employment and previously his unemployment compensation. She said that he was paid each 2 weeks when he worked at the School Book Depository and she believes he received about \$100 each pay day. She also said OSWALD got one \$33 unemployment check after he began work at the School Book Depository.

She said that when she was at the police station in Dallas, following the assassination of the President, she talked to Mrs. PAINÉ and asked her to bring some things to her at the police chief's residence where she spent the night. She told Mrs. PAINÉ that OSWALD had been saving money in a wallet which was in one of the drawers of a chest in the PAINÉ house and asked Mrs. PAINÉ to bring that to her also. She said the wallet and the other things were brought to her at the police station and she extracted the money from the wallet, counted it, and found it to be \$170. A Life reporter who was standing nearby threw in \$10 and that made \$180. She said this is the money that OSWALD had saved, beginning in New Orleans.

Mrs. OSWALD advised she had been thinking about how OSWALD had come to the PAINÉ residence on the first occasion following his return to Dallas in early October, 1963. She said upon reflection she believed that OSWALD had called from the bus station, stating that he was already in Irving and asked Mrs. PAINÉ to pick him up. She said Mrs. PAINÉ was busy at the time and could not go. OSWALD later appeared at the house and said that he had hitchhiked a ride with a Negro on a truck.

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MARINA OSWALD was interviewed at the home of JAMES HERBERT MARTIN, 11611 Farrar. 2515 W 5th St. Irving, Texas

She took employment at Minsk, at the Third Clinical Hospital on Lenin Street, in October, 1959, and her last day of work at this place was in December, 1961. She explained that she married OSWALD on April 30, 1961, and beginning in late December, 1961, went on maternity leave, which would normally end two months after the birth of the child. Her first child, JUNE was born on February 15, 1962, (which was two weeks earlier than scheduled) which would mean that she would normally be entitled to maternity leave which would end approximately April 15, 1962. She, however, did not return to work after the birth of her child. Texas Minsk, Russia

Her duties at the Third Clinical Hospital consisted of filling prescriptions. She explained that the work would vary. One week she would work on liquid prescriptions, the next week on powder prescriptions, and next on medicines for external use. She said a woman was in charge of her section. When asked for this woman's name, MARINA refused to give it. She explained her pay was 45 rubles per month. She was paid every two weeks. She was allowed to use all of her money for her own purposes, as her uncle and aunt refused to take any money from her.

She met OSWALD in the middle of March, 1961, as she has previously explained, at a social function at the Texas Palace of Culture for Professional Unions. At this first meeting, OSWALD evidently took a fancy to her and asked if he could see her again. She stated that she was evasive at this point, and then OSWALD asked if she would be coming again to the Palace the following weekend. She replied that she perhaps would return the following weekend. However, no definite date was made. She explained that each Saturday and Sunday dances and other events were held at the Palace, and that one could buy tickets to attend these events.

She said a week later, on either Saturday or Sunday, she does not remember which, she and a girl friend, whose name she declined to give, went to the Palace to attend the

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