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Mr. M. W. GEORGE, 6769 Inverness Street, furnished the key to the apartment located at 214 West Neeley Street, owned by him and formerly occupied by LEE HARVEY OSWALD. Mr. GEORGE informed he was in error on the dates previously furnished which indicated OSWALD had resided at 214 West Neeley Street from April 1, 1963, to May 31, 1963. He advised OSWALD actually resided upstairs at this address from March 2, 1963, to May 1, 1963.

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The following investigation was conducted on November 29, 1963, by HENRY J. OLIVER and LOUIS M. KELLEY:

M. W. GEORGE, 6769 InVerness, Dallas, Texas, furnished the following information concerning LEE HARVEY OSWALD:

OSWALD and his family resided in the upstairs apartment at 214 West Neeley Street, Dallas, Texas, from about March 2, 1963 until May 1, 1963. GEORGE stated he is the owner of this house and the upstairs apartment is 214 while the lower floor is 212 Neeley.

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212 West Neeley was occupied from February 16, 1963 to May 1, 1963 by GEORGE B. GRAY and his wife. He believed GRAY was employed by Texas Power and Light Co. and his wife by Wards, but stated he believed they had left Dallas and moved to Arlington, Texas when they moved away from 212 Neeley.

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GEORGE stated he had no idea how to locate the GRAYS at the present time and also, that there are no other houses facing on Neeley Street in the block where this residence is located.

Mrs. W. G. PATE, Apt. 1, 629 Elsbeth Street, Dallas, Texas, advised on November 29, 1963 that she has only resided at this address for three weeks and does not know OSWALD. She advised that 214 West Neeley is behind her address and the only apartment in her building near the Neeley address is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. CARL OWENS, who have only resided at this address one week. *629 Elsbeth Street Dallas Texas*

722 Mr. and Mrs. MARVIN FRIDDLE, 702 North Madison, Dallas, Texas, advised on November 29, 1963 that 214 West Neeley is around the corner and across the street from their home. They do not know OSWALD and cannot furnish any information concerning him. They do know that a young man, his wife and two small children resided at the upstairs apartment at 214 West Neeley for a very short time around April and May of 1963. The only reason they know this was because they would see him, his wife and children around this house and on the upstairs balcony. They were unable to furnish any information concerning

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the activities or associates of OSWALD and his wife and did not believe anyone else in the neighborhood would be able to since the house where OSWALD resided sits by itself on West Neeley.

Mrs. NELL FRICK, 630 Madison, Dallas, Texas, advised on November 29, 1963 that she and her husband have resided at this address for about one month. 214 West Neeley is located behind the house where she resides and she was unable to furnish any information concerning OSWALD, his associates or activities.

Mr. W. D. ELLIS, foreman, Davey Tree Expert Co., 605 North Collins, Arlington, Texas, advised on November 29, 1963 that GEORGE B. GRAY left his employment with this company about July 1, 1963. His last check was mailed to him on July 3, 1963 at Route 2, Box 129, Ragland, Alabama. This is the only address he has for GRAY. ELLIS stated the application for employment for GRAY giving any background information available would be maintained at the home office of the company located at Kent, Ohio.

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JAMES COONER, Internal Revenue Service, Dallas, Texas, telephonically advised SA JOHN J. FLANAGAN on November 27, 1963, that he had just received information concerning LEE HARVEY OSWALD from BOB STOVALL of ~~Jaggars - Chiles - Stovall, Inc.~~, former employer of OSWALD. Mr. COONER stated that STOVALL told him that in looking over his employment records concerning OSWALD he had noted the following notation:

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"4/1/63 - Send Oswald's mail to P. O. Box 2915, Dallas, Texas"

Mr. COONER said he felt certain that the FBI had knowledge of this address but wanted to assist in furnishing a date in connection therewith.

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On November 23, 1963, EVERETT D. GLOVER, 5723 Southwestern Boulevard, Fleetwood 3-5296, telephonically advised that during March or April, 1963, he was invited to a party at the home of GEORGE DE MOHRENSCHILDT, who, at that time, resided on Dickens Street in Dallas. At this party, GLOVER was introduced to LEE OSWALD who was described to him as a person who had travelled to Russia to find out for himself what life in Russia is like. GLOVER was very much interested in learning more of OSWALD's experiences in Russia and for that reason invited OSWALD to his (GLOVER's) home. OSWALD and his Russian wife did visit in the GLOVER home on one occasion, on a social function. These are the only two occasions on which GLOVER had personal contact with OSWALD.

GLOVER mentioned having been contacted by some representative of the Saturday Evening Post in connection with his personal knowledge of OSWALD. He stated he did not want to be interviewed by any periodicals but that if the FBI had any interest in interviewing him, he is willing to be interviewed. He mentioned that he was not close personal friend of OSWALD but his knowledge of the latter is limited to the two social functions during which they had personal contact.

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Mrs. PENNY ~~PEARSON~~, 7317 Ravenport, Ft. Worth, Texas, advised she and her husband have resided at this address for three years. She said that ROBERT OSWALD and his wife VADA lived next door to them at 7313 Davenport from the time of their occupancy three years ago until the OSWALDs moved in about March, 1963. Mrs. PEARSON said she believes the OSWALDs lived at the address two years or longer prior to the PEARSONS moving in the neighborhood.

Mrs. PEARSON said further that ROBERT OSWALD's brother, LEE OSWALD, lived with the ROBERT OSWALDs for a period of about six weeks in May or June, 1962. She said she or her husband actually never met LEE OSWALD but she did meet his wife, name not recalled, who spoke very little English. Mrs. PEARSON said she recalls the LEE OSWALDs had a small girl at that time who was just a few months old.

Mrs. PEARSON said from conversation with VADA OSWALD at that time that this person told her that LEE OSWALD had formerly worked in New Orleans for an import-export company after he got out of the Marine Corps. Mrs. PEARSON said she recalls VADA OSWALD saying that LEE apparently got in with some wrong people, meaning Communists, in New Orleans and went to Russia. Mrs. PEARSON said she recalls VADA OSWALD saying that after LEE had been in Russia for maybe two years that he became disillusioned and returned to the United States. Mrs. PEARSON said she believes that he returned to the United States just prior to living with his brother for the above-mentioned period of time in May or June, 1962. Mrs. PEARSON said further that she recalls the conversation with ROBERT OSWALD at a later date at which time he said LEE had moved somewhere and was working for an unknown company in Fort Worth. Mrs. PEARSON said she then recalls hearing from conversation with either ROBERT or VADA that LEE had moved to Dallas, where he was employed by some type of company which had something to do with language, and was employed because he could speak Russian. She said she does not know what company he was supposed to have been employed by at that time.

Mrs. PEARSON said that ROBERT OSWALD's mother is a practical nurse and she does not know where the mother now resides but believes she possibly resides in Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. PEARSON said she had only seen LEE OSWALD from a distance in the yard at the time he stayed with his brother and sister-in-law in Fort Worth. Mrs. PEARSON advised she had no

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other information concerning OSWALD and to her knowledge there would be no other person in the neighborhood who would have known this person.

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Mrs. A. W. (RUBY) ~~MAXWELL~~, 7313 Davenport Street, advised she and her husband purchased this home in June, 1963, through the Jim Brannan Real Estate Company of Fort Worth. Mrs. MAXWELL said the former owners of the house were ROBERT L. and VADA MARIE OSWALD. Mrs. MAXWELL said it is her understanding that these persons were supposed to have lived in this home for approximately five years prior to the purchase of the house. Mrs. MAXWELL said she did not know the OSWALDs.

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On November 25, 1963, Inspector ~~TOM KELLEY~~, U. S. Secret Service, made available machine copies of LEE H. OSWALD's U. S. Individual Income Tax Return for 1962, which was obtained on November 26, 1963. This return reflected his address to be 602 Elsbeth, Apartment 2, Dallas, Texas. The address 602 Elsbeth, Apartment 2, was stricken and above was inserted P. O. Box 2915. This form reflected OSWALD's Social Security No. as 433-54-3739. OSWALD checked the box prior to the designation "Married, filed joint return". His total income was listed as \$1,354.06. This was broken down as follows:

\$737.81 from Jaggars-Chiles-Stovall, Inc., 522 Browder
\$626.25 from the Lelie Welding Co., Fort Worth.

Of the money received from Jaggars-Chiles-Stovall, Inc., \$55.40 had been withheld and of the money earned at Lelie Welding Company, \$2.00 had been withheld for a total withholding of \$57.40. This form reflected that OSWALD had a daughter named JUNE LEE OSWALD. The form was signed LEE H. OSWALD and dated January 29. It was also signed by ~~M. OSWALD~~ and again just dated January 29. *From Russia*

Texas Also included with the material furnished by Inspector KELLEY was a machine copy of a letter addressed to the "Internal Revenue Beure". The letter is as follows:

"Dear Sirs:

"I arrived in the U.S. from an extended trip abroad on 3/6/62 with wife & child, i.e., two dependents. My total wages for 1962 therefore was \$1356.06, with 3 exantions.

"I believe you check your records to estimate these figures you will find I should get a substantial refund from the taxes taken from my wages for" (rest illegible)

It was signed "L. H. OSWALD, S/S NO 433-54-3739, P.O. Box 2915, Dallas, Texas."

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There was also included a machine copy joined front and back of a voucher of the Leslie Welding Company, Inc., 11241 West Melrose St., Franklin Park, Ill, bearing number 7511 which reflects the hours to be 39.48 with the earning \$49.35; earnings to date being \$626.52 and the deductions indicate F.I.C.A. of \$1.54, withholding tax of \$2.00. This is dated October 6, 1962. On the reverse side is the following: "Explanation: last paypheck copy I received at this place of work."

All of the material furnished by Inspector KELLEY was submitted to the FBI Laboratory for handwriting examination.

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Special Agent JOHN J. FLANAGAN was furnished an envelope containing material which had been left at the Dallas Field Division by TOM KELLEY, Inspector of the Secret Service.

Material furnished by Mr. KELLEY included the following:

26 checks drawn on the account of Jaggars - Chiles - Stovall, Incorporated, Dallas, Texas, payable to LEE H. OSWALD. These checks were drawn on the Mercantile National Bank at Dallas, Dallas, Texas. The checks are described as follows:

Number	Date of Check	Date of Bank Stamp	Amount
<u>5811</u>	<u>4/10/63</u>	<u>3/12/63(?)</u>	<u>\$ 34.48</u>
5663	4/3/63	4/5/63	74.38
5511	3/27/63	3/29/63	74.38
5364	3/20/63	3/22/63	70.69
5217	3/13/63	3/15/63	67.59
5072	3/3/63	3/8/63	56.91
4922	2/27/63	3/1/63	57.98
4981	2/20/63	2/22/63	70.69
4639	2/13/63	2/15/63	54.78
4492	2/6/63	2/8/63	59.14
4348	1/30/63	2/1/63	72.34
4203	1/23/63	1/25/63	56.10
4058	1/16/63	1/18/63	69.14
3912	1/9/63	1/11/63	54.78

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<u>Number</u>	<u>Date of Check</u>	<u>Date of Bank Stamp</u>	<u>Amount</u>
3767	1/2/63	1/4/63	\$ 67.10
3620	12/26/62	12/28/62	49.28
3472	12/19/62	12/21/62	56.94
3322	12/12/62	12/14/62	65.33
3169	12/5/62	12/7/62	71.58
3016	11/28/62	11/30/62	67.19
2864	11/21/62	11/23/62	69.53
2714	11/14/62	11/16/62	67.47
2560	11/7/62	11/9/62	62.11
2408	10/31/62	11/2/62	49.41
2255	10/24/62	10/26/62	49.61
2101	10/17/62	10/19/62	41.21

The endorsements appearing on these checks were reviewed and it was noted that checks bearing numbers 5511, 5364, 5217, 5072, 4922, 4781, and 4203 also bore the endorsement of the Mart Liquor Store, 401 South Ervay, Dallas, Texas.

An Employee Identification Questionnaire (presumably relating to OSWALD's employment at Jaggars-Chiles-Stovall, Inc., 7522 Browder Street, Dallas, Texas. This card contained the following information:

Name:

Address:

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

3519 Fairmount (this address has a line through it and appearing above it the address 602 Elsbeth Street). Beneath that under permanent address is Post Office Box 2915, no city shown

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A check mark is carried beside the word "Married". His wife is carried as MARINA N. OSWALD. His Social Security Number is 433-54-3739. His telephone number is LA 1-0692. His date of birth is set forth as October 18, 1939. He was listed as 5'9" in height and 150 pounds in weight. In answer to the question, "Do you have any of the following ailments?", followed by several listed ailments, he indicated "No". Following the question with, "Have you ever been charged with or convicted of a felony?" the blank beside the word "No" is checked. The card is signed LEE H. OSWALD. At the top of the card is reflected the fact that he was employed on October 12, 1962, and terminated on April 6, 1963. The reverse of this card is blank. Texas Russia 14

There was also a letter from the Texas Employment Commission, Austin, Texas, dated May 6, 1963, to Jaggars-Chiles-Stovall, Inc., 7522 Browder Street, Dallas, Texas, setting forth that claimant LEE H. OSWALD, 757 France Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, had filed a claim for unemployment insurance to the Employment Security Agency of Louisiana on April 29, 1963. This was a form letter in which the addressee was advised to set forth any facts which might adversely effect the claimant's right to unemployment insurance.

Also included was a form B-3 (163) of the Texas Employment Commission, 2206 Main Street, Federal Claims Office, Dallas 1, Texas. The following information was set out on this form:

Name:	LEE H. OSWALD
Social Security No.:	533-54-3937
Address:	214 W. Neely, Dallas, 8, Texas
Sex:	Male
Age:	23
Name of last Employer:	Jaggars-Chiles-Stovall, Inc., 522 Browder, Dallas, 1, Texas
Occupation:	Photographer
Date My Last Work Began:	10/12/62
The Last Day I Worked: I Was Separated From My Last Work Because:	4/5/63 "I was laid off by JOHN GRAVES, head of Photography and Art Dept. due to lack of work"

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Form B-72163 bears caption "Texas Employment Commission", "Employers Protest to Initial Claim for Benefits". The typing on this document is obviously a carbon copy. It was dated May 6, 1963, and bears the following caption: "433-54-3937". Immediately thereunder is "Lee H. Oswald, 757 France St., New Orleans, La." (in a column). None of the questions on this document were answered.

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DR-1116 WILLIAM MARTIN JUREK, 9211 Hathaway Street,
Dallas, Texas, who is employed at Texas Instruments Corpora-
tion, Dallas, advised he and his wife, MARION JUREK, own
apartments located at 602 and 604 Elsbeth Street in the
Oak Cliff section of Dallas, Texas.

JUREK made available and turned over to SAs GASTON C. THOMPSON and JACK B. PEDEN a 5x8 card containing the application for rental of apartment 2 at 604 Elsbeth Street, Dallas, in the name of "L. H. OSWALD." JUREK pointed out that this application bore the handwritten date "Nov 3/62" which he stated represented the date the application was received and the date on which OSWALD first rented the apartment. JUREK observed that the application bore only limited information in addition to the name of the applicant, and he was unable to state whether the handwriting on the application was prepared by the applicant or by the manager of the above apartment. He volunteered, however, that he had instructed the manager of the above apartments to have such applications prepared by the applicants themselves, and for that reason he felt that the handwriting probably was prepared by the applicant. He advised that the manager of the above apartments, M. F. TOBIAS, would be able to furnish definite information as to whether or not the handwriting on the rental application was actually prepared by OSWALD.

JUREK observed that the space for "Last Address" bore the notation "Service" and it was his opinion that this notation may have been placed on the application to indicate that the applicant was in the military service prior to the time he rented the above apartment on November 3, 1962. He advised that information contained on the back of the application with reference to payments of rent indicated OSWALD and his wife and one child resided in the above apartment from November 3, 1962, to about March 1, 1963. He advised the rental payments were \$68.00 per month and that record of payments on the application reflected OSWALD paid the entire \$68.00 on about the third of each month except on one occasion, that being on or about February 3, 1963, when he paid only \$60.00.

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He added, however, that his records reflected a receipt showing OSWALD paid the remaining \$8.00 on February 8, 1963.

JUREK further advised that his records revealed payments of rent by OSWALD were made in cash, and he had no information which might indicate OSWALD, or his wife, ever had a bank account.

JUREK noted that the rental application bore a notation which reflected OSWALD made a \$5.00 cash "key" deposit at the time he moved into the apartment on November 3, 1963. He stated it is customary to refund this deposit if the key to the apartment is returned at the time an occupant vacates an apartment unit, provided there has been no damage to the unit for which the occupant was negligent and responsible. JUREK checked his records to determine if he had made a refund of this \$5.00 by check to OSWALD, and he could find no record of having made such refund. He made a search for such refund check, as he stated an endorsement on such check was the only other possibility of any handwriting prepared by OSWALD which might have been in his possession.

Me 1 m JUREK advised the manager of the above apartment, ~~M. F. TOBIAS~~, or his wife, ~~NANNIE TOBIAS~~, called him during the month preceding the date the OSWALDS vacated the apartment and advised him that one or more of the neighbors had complained about the OSWALDS "creating a disturbance," with OSWALD reportedly having "beaten" his wife. He stated upon receiving this information he contacted OSWALD at Apartment 2, 604 Elsbeth, Dallas, Texas. He said he advised OSWALD that he had received a complaint from one of the other tenants that there had been a disturbance recently in his, OSWALD's, apartment and that it was his, JUREK's, policy to keep such incidents to a minimum. He said he inquired of OSWALD as to whether he could give him any help, whereupon OSWALD maintained he and his wife had not had a fight or any argument and that the noise referred to by the other tenant(s) undoubtedly was caused by his small child which was about one year of age. JUREK said that at the time he contacted OSWALD he talked to him through the screen door and was not invited inside the apartment. JUREK stated he was never inside

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the apartment during the time it was occupied by the OSWALD family.

JUREK stated that upon being advised by the manager that the OSWALD family had moved out of the apartment, he and his wife, MARION, visited the apartment for the purpose of checking it and seeing if it was in condition to be rented to another tenant. He advised the apartment had been "pretty well cleaned out"; however, he did recall having found a business-type card behind one of two drawers in a closet between the bedroom and kitchen of the apartment. He advised this business-type card definitely had the word "Cuba" on it, and it is his best recollection the card bore some printed notation such as "Friends for Cuba" or "Fair Play for Cuba" or words to that effect. He said he has a vague recollection the card may have had OSWALD's name printed thereon; however, he could not be certain as to this latter fact. He said he attached no significance to the card at the time and threw it in the trash.

JUREK advised that the OSWALDs gave no notice they were going to vacate the apartment and did not leave any forwarding address.

Prior to furnishing the above rental application to SAs THOMPSON and PEDEN, JUREK placed his name on the card for future identification purposes.

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MARION JUREK, 9211 Hathaway Street, Dallas, Texas, advised she and her husband own apartments located at 602 and 604 Elsbeth Street, Dallas, Texas.

She refreshed her memory by reviewing the application for payment record in the name of "L. H. OSWALD" and advised OSWALD and his family and a small child approximately one year of age occupied Apartment 2 at 604 Elsbeth from November 3, 1962, to about March 1, 1963. She advised the rent on this apartment was \$68.00 per month and her records reflected that all payments made by the OSWALDS were made in cash. She advised that it was her opinion the handwriting in ink on the face of the rental application was prepared by L. H. OSWALD; however, the manager of the apartments at the above address, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. TOBIAS, could furnish definite information in this regard. She advised that to the best of her knowledge neither she nor her husband has any other document which possibly might contain handwriting or handprinting of L. H. OSWALD or his wife.

Mrs. JUREK advised that she is of Czecho-Slovakian and Hungarian descent and was told by the TOBIASES that Mrs. OSWALD was Czecho-Slovakian. She volunteered that in view of the above information and in an effort to be friendly and make Mrs. OSWALD feel at home, on one occasion she attempted to speak to Mrs. OSWALD in the language used by Czecho-Slovakians. She advised that after speaking a few words in the language used by Czecho-Slovakians, it was readily apparent that Mrs. OSWALD did not understand her and made no answer, merely motioning with her hands to indicate she did not understand Czecho-Slovakian. Mrs. JUREK added Mrs. TOBIAS later informed her that Mrs. OSWALD had stated to Mrs. TOBIAS that her (OSWALD's) husband had told her to say that she was Czecho-Slovakian rather than Russian.

Mrs. JUREK advised that she, accompanied by her husband, checked Apartment 2, 604 Elsbeth Street, Dallas, about two or three days after the OSWALDS had vacated the

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apartment around March 1, 1963. She recalled that in checking the apartment after the OSWALDs had moved out, she found in a drawer in the dresser in the bedroom two or three editions of a paper in Russian. She did not recall anything about the dates or places of publication of such Russian papers; however, she said that in view of her Czecho-Slovakian background, she was certain they were in the Russian language.

Mrs. JUREK advised that she was never inside Apartment 2, 604 Elsbeth Street, Dallas, during the time such apartment was occupied by the OSWALDS.

MARION JUREK placed her name and the date November 23, 1963, on the OSWALD rental application for future identification purposes.

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MAHLON F. TOBIAS, SR., 602 Elsbeth (Apartment 7),
Dallas, Texas, advised he and his wife manage apartments at
602 and 604 Elsbeth, which apartments are owned by MARTIN
JUREK.

TOBIAS was requested to review a 5x8 card containing an application for rent of Apartment 2 at 604 Elsbeth, Dallas, by one L. H. OSWALD. Mr. TOBIAS's attention was called to the fact that the face of the application bore the handwritten date "Nov 3/62", handwritten name of the applicant, "L. H. OSWALD," the handprinted word "Wife" immediately below the name of the applicant, and the handwritten word "Service" immediately below the word wife and in the space provided for "Last Address." His attention was also called to the fact the application bore the handwritten figure "2" as the number of adults who would be residing in such apartment as well as the handwritten "1" as the number of persons under 21 who would be residing in such apartment. TOBIAS observed all of the above handwritten and handprinted notations were in blue ink, and he said such handwriting and handprinting were prepared by L. H. OSWALD in his presence and in the presence of his wife, MANNIE TOBIAS, on November 3, 1962. He said he could testify, therefore, that such handwriting and handprinting were prepared by OSWALD in his, TOBIAS's, presence.

TOBIAS identified a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD (New Orleans, Louisiana, No. 112 723, 8/9/63) as being the individual who submitted the above application for rental of Apartment 2 at 604 Elsbeth, Dallas, Texas.

TOBIAS advised that on one or two occasions during the time the OSWALDS resided in the above apartment, he was told by one or more of the other tenants in the apartment building that OSWALD had "beaten up" his wife. He said that on at least one occasion he observed Mrs. OSWALD with some blue and black marks about her face which indicated Mrs. OSWALD may have been beaten.

He further recalled that after the OSWALDS had been occupants of the above apartment for one month, an

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individual whom Mrs. OSWALD referred to only as "George" came to the apartment at 604 Elsbeth and furnished transportation for Mrs. OSWALD and her small child to leave the apartment. He recalled that Mrs. OSWALD took with her certain clothing and personal effects at the time she left the apartment on this occasion. She said either Mrs. OSWALD or "George" mentioned that Mrs. OSWALD would be gone for about a week. He stated Mrs. OSWALD was gone approximately one week before returning to the apartment, and he did not know how or exactly when she returned to her apartment.

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Texas

TOBIAS described GEORGE as a white male, about 40 years of age, 6', 190 lbs., dark hair and dark complexion. He recalled GEORGE was driving a convertible which may have been a Chevrolet, but he was unable to remember whether this car had Texas license plates or some out of state plates.

Mr. TOBIAS said he never learned any information as to where OSWALD worked during the time he was residing in the above apartment but observed OSWALD left the apartment each morning and returned each afternoon during week days, indicating he may have been leaving for and returning from work.

TOBIAS recalled having been inside the above apartment on two occasions during the time it was occupied by the OSWALDS. He stated that he observed a number of books at the head of the bed in the bedroom of the apartment, which books appeared to be "Russian or refer to Russia in some manner." He stated that he did not observe any firearms in OSWALD's apartment on either of the occasions he was inside the apartment during the time it was occupied by that family.

He volunteered the OSWALDS did not have a phone in their apartment and from time to time asked to use and did use the telephone in their (TOBIAS's) apartment. He stated that on each of the occasions that OSWALD or OSWALD's wife used the telephone, they always spoke in a foreign language.

He advised Mrs. OSWALD spoke very little English but expressed the opinion that she "understood more English than she let on like." He recalled Mrs. OSWALD stated on at

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least one occasion that her husband had told her to say that she was of Czecho-Slovakian descent rather than of Russian descent. He further recalled that Mrs. OSWALD stated that her husband told her to do this as he, OSWALD, felt people might not be friendly to her if they knew she was of Russian descent.

TOBIAS placed his name and the date November 23, 1963, on the OSWALD rental application referred to above for future identification purposes.

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Mrs. ~~NANNIE M. TOBIAS~~, 602 Elsbeth Street (Apartment 7), Dallas, Texas, advised she and her husband are managers of the apartment building(s) at 602 and 604 Elsbeth Street, Dallas.

Mrs. TOBIAS was asked to review the handwritten and handprinted application for rental of Apartment 2, 604 Elsbeth Street, Dallas, by L. H. OSWALD. She refreshed her memory by reviewing such application and then advised L. H. OSWALD and his wife and small child approximately one year of age occupied Apartment 2, 604 Elsbeth Street, Dallas, November 3, 1962, to about March 1, 1963. She further advised that the handwriting and handprinting in ink on the face of the application was prepared by OSWALD in her presence and in the presence of her husband, M. F. TOBIAS, on November 3, 1962.

Mrs. TOBIAS was shown a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD (New Orleans, Louisiana, No. 112 723, 8/9/63) and she identified the subject of such photograph as being identical with L. H. OSWALD who occupied the above apartment at 604 Elsbeth, Dallas, Texas, and who prepared the rental application referred to above.

Mrs. TOBIAS stated the OSWALDs did not have a telephone in their apartment and therefore from time to time used the telephone in their, TOBIAS's, apartment. She advised on each and every occasion that Mr. or Mrs. OSWALD used the telephone, they spoke in a "foreign language" and she and her husband were unable to interpret what the OSWALDs said.

She recalled that on one occasion she received a telephone call from a male individual asking her to call Mr. or Mrs. OSWALD to the telephone. She said she told the male individual calling that they did not make a practice of calling tenants to the phone, whereupon the individual said, "This is an emergency. Tell them GEORGE called, and they will know how to get in touch with me." She advised she then went to the apartment occupied by the OSWALDS, and either Mr. or Mrs. OSWALD came to the telephone and made a call, speaking in a "foreign language."

Mrs. TOBIAS advised that sometime later,

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possibly around December 1, 1962, a "big fellow" came to 604 Elsbeth, Dallas, and moved Mrs. OSWALD and her child out of the apartment for about one week. She stated she observed Mrs. OSWALD back at the apartment after approximately one week; however, she did not know exactly when Mrs. OSWALD returned to the apartment or by what means of transportation.

Mrs. TOBIAS said that Mrs. OSWALD referred to the above individual as "George," who was a white male who appeared to be in his 40s, about 6', and weighing around 190 lbs. She further described this individual as having dark hair and a dark complexion. She recalled the automobile which "George" was driving was a nice looking convertible and either cream or red in color.

Mrs. TOBIAS advised that sometime around February 1, 1963, a woman came to her apartment stating she was trying to contact the OSWALDs, as she had received a telephone call from Mr. or Mrs. OSWALD stating their baby was sick and they did not have money to take the baby to a doctor. Mrs. TOBIAS accompanied this female individual to the front door of the OSWALDs' apartment and rang the doorbell; however, no one answered the front door. Mrs. TOBIAS said she then knocked on the front door and after several minutes, Mr. OSWALD came to them, having walked around the side of the building rather than opening the front door. She said she informed Mr. OSWALD that this lady wanted to see him, whereupon OSWALD opened the front door and ushered her inside the apartment, stating, "I will take care of her," or words to that effect. Mrs. TOBIAS described this individual as a white female, 30-35 years of age, 5'3", 140 pounds, nice-looking in appearance. She recalled she told this lady that Mrs. OSWALD was Russian, whereupon this individual advised she was also Russian and that she worked in an office in downtown Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. TOBIAS volunteered that Mrs. OSWALD on at least one occasion stated that her husband had instructed her to tell people that she, Mrs. OSWALD, was Czecho-Slovakian rather than Russian, as he, OSWALD, felt people might be unfriendly toward them if they knew his wife was of Russian descent.

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Mrs. TOBIAS advised that when the OSWALDs vacated the apartment at 604 Elsbeth Street, Dallas, on or about March 1, 1963, they moved about two blocks away to an upstairs apartment in a frame house on Neeley Street, Dallas, Texas.

She recalled that the only means of moving used by OSWALD was a baby stroller plus what they could carry in their hands.

Mrs. TOBIAS affixed her name and the date to the OSWALD rental application for future identification purposes.

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Mrs. M. F. TOBIAS, SR., manager, apartment building, 602-604 Elsbeth, Dallas, Texas, advised that she had previously furnished information that L. H. OSWALD had resided in Apartment #2 of 604 Elsbeth from November 3, 1962, until March 3, 1963. She stated that at that time she also furnished information that GEORGE (LNU) visited apartment #2 at 604 Elsbeth, Dallas, Texas, in a convertible automobile, possibly a Chevrolet, and moved Mrs. OSWALD and her young daughter out of apartment 2 sometime around the last day of November or the first day of December, 1962. Mrs. OSWALD, however, was only gone for approximately one week before she returned. She advised that she has since seen a photograph of JACK RUBY in a Dallas newspaper and felt there might be a possibility that RUBY might be identical with the person named GEORGE. She was shown a photograph of JACK RUBY taken on November 24, 1963. She stated she could not identify RUBY as being GEORGE from this photograph, however, he does resemble this man GEORGE. She stated that she would have to see RUBY in person to either identify or eliminate him.

Mrs. TOBIAS advised there are no tenants presently residing in the building at 604 Elsbeth who would have resided in that building when L. H. OSWALD did from November 3, 1962, to March 3, 1963. OSWALD definitely moved either on March 3, 1963, or the day before or day after. When he moved he moved to 214 W. Neely Street, which is only about 1½ blocks away. There are four apartments in the building at 604 Elsbeth where OSWALD resided. These apartments are numbered 1 - 4. Residing in apartment #1 which is located on the same floor as apartment #2 where OSWALD resided when OSWALD moved in was BEVERLY and GLENN BOLTON. The BOLTONS however, only resided there until about November 17, 1962, when they moved out of town. She believes that BOLTON's father is Mr. A. G. BOLTON, SR., Dallas, Texas, telephone # AX 8-2510.

Mr. ALAN TURNER, on or about November 24, 1962, moved into apartment #1 and was still residing in apartment #1 when the OSWALDs moved. TURNER she believes now resides in California but he did not leave any forwarding address with her.

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JACK TUCKER was residing in apartment #3 which is located on the second floor of the building on November 3, 1962, when OSWALD moved into this building in apartment 2. TUCKER moved on December 16, 1962, but did not leave any type of a forwarding

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address and she has no idea where he might be at this time.

On December 29, 1962, two persons using the names of CARL and LUCY ZEMBOWER moved into apartment #3 and resided in this apartment until February 9, 1963 when LUCY moved to apartment 6 in the other building. CARL at that time was not still residing with LUCY. Apartment #3 then was vacant until after OSWALD moved. She stated that LUCY ZEMBOWER moved later to some unknown address. After LUCY moved CARL came back to the apartment looking for LUCY. CARL at that time told Mrs. TOBIAS that he and LUCY were not married and that the name ZEMBOWER was actually the name of LUCY. She did not learn the last name of CARL and could not advise where he or LUCY could be located.

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ALAN TURNER, who is previously set out as being in apartment #1, was on November 3, 1962, residing in apartment #4 and resided in #4 until November 24, 1962, when he moved to apartment #1. Apartment #4 was vacant until about December 17, 1962, when a G. W. WELLS moved to this apartment. WELLS resided in this apartment until about January 8, 1963, when he moved into apartment #6 in another building. She believes that WELLS has now left the city and she has no idea where he might be at this time.

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RUSSELL ATKINS moved into apartment #4 on January 28, 1963, and was still residing in #4 when OSWALD moved on March 3, 1963. ATKINS has now moved and she has no idea where he is at this time. She stated the Texas State Police did come to his apartment looking for him after he moved but she could not furnish any information as to why they were looking for him.

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She stated that she could not furnish any information regarding the whereabouts of any of the above persons other than that set out above. She stated the owner of the apartment building, Mrs. W. M. JUREK, 9211 Hathaway Street, Dallas, Texas, telephone EM 1-0763, has the information cards which were filled out by the above tenants and these cards might give some background information which might assist in locating them.

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Mrs. TEOFIL (ANNA NIKOLAEVNA) MELLER, 5930 1/2 LaVista Drive, advised she had not seen LEE HARVEY OSWALD since about Christmas, 1962. Mrs. MELLER, who is of Russian extraction and an American citizen, stated she met Mrs. LEE OSWALD during July or August, 1962, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. PETER GREGORY, 3512 Dorothy Lane in Fort Worth, Texas. Mrs. MELLER was sympathetic to Mrs. OSWALD because she could not speak English and had no friends in this country. She was also destitute financially and she would make periodic trips from her home in Dallas to Fort Worth taking Mrs. OSWALD clothing which had been donated by friends. At that time her baby was about six months old. She also contributed groceries to the family during that period. OSWALD was employed in Fort Worth at some unknown place, she said, and on one night, probably in November, 1962, she received a phone call about 11:00 p.m. from Mrs. OSWALD. Mrs. OSWALD told him in Russian that her husband had beaten her and she did not have any money to secure lodging. Mrs. MELLER stated she told her to take a taxi and that she would pay the fare. Thereafter, Mrs. OSWALD and the baby stayed with Mr. and Mrs. MELLER in their apartment at 5930 1/2 LaVista Drive in Dallas. During that time, OSWALD never called her and she was never known to be in contact with him. *And Texas* *Russia*

After the expiration of the first week at her apartment, Mrs. OSWALD stayed at the home of Mrs. DECLAN FORD, 14057 Brookcrest in Dallas. Mrs. FORD is of Russian extraction and Mr. FORD is a native American, she related. She did not know the exact time Mrs. OSWALD and the child stayed at the FORD home but was positive in her assertion that the last time she had seen Mrs. OSWALD and OSWALD was at a Christmas party at the FORD home in 1962. Since that time, Mrs. MELLER has not heard from OSWALD or his wife. Mrs. MELLER stated she had never talked politics with either Mr. or Mrs. OSWALD and it seemed to her that OSWALD was always nervous and not an easy person to talk to. She believed OSWALD had few friends and stated no one liked him. During her acquaintance with Mrs. OSWALD she said she had probably seen LEE HARVEY OSWALD about four or five times. On those occasions, she never mentioned Communism to OSWALD nor he to her. On one occasion, she said OSWALD had some books on a table in the OSWALD home at 3703 Mercedes in Fort Worth which she thought were questionable. It was her belief that they probably came from the public library but she did not know the title to any of them. Her recollection was that the OSWALDs did not have a telephone at this address and she never knew OSWALD to use another name other than his own. She had never seen any firearms in the possession of

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OSWALD nor had she met any of his family except his wife and child. She said she knew OSWALD had lived in the USSR at one time and that his wife was a Soviet citizen. She did not know any of the details concerning their coming to this country. She did not know of any friends or acquaintances of the OSWALDs except those mentioned other than GEORGE BOUCHE, 4740 Homer Street, Dallas, Texas. At the time she knew Mrs. OSWALD she spoke no English and Mrs. MELLER attempted to assist her in the use of English.

On one occasion, Mrs. MELLER stated she asked her husband to help OSWALD find a job inasmuch as she felt sorry for Mrs. OSWALD. She said her husband called Mrs. HELEN CUNNINGHAM, an employee of the Texas Employment Commission who lives on Winnetka Street, Dallas, Texas. This was prior to the time that Mrs. OSWALD spent a week with them in Dallas. She did not know where OSWALD was employed as a result of this contact and she said she had no knowledge of his activities after the Christmas party in 1962.

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Mr. TEOFIL MELLER, 5930½ LaVista Drive, an employee of Sanger-Harris Department Store, Preston Center, stated he had never seen OSWALD except on one occasion. Mr. MELLER said he never formally met OSWALD but had OSWALD pointed out to him at a Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. DECLAN FORD in Dallas.

MELLER said his wife requested that he contact Mrs. HELEN CUNNINGHAM of the Texas Employment Commission for the purpose of securing a job for OSWALD. He contacted Mrs. CUNNINGHAM and she was successful in getting him work with a printing shop in Dallas. MELLER did not know the name of the printing shop or its exact location.

Mr. MELLER was acquainted with Mrs. OSWALD and remarked that she had stayed at his apartment at 5930½ LaVista Street in Dallas with his wife and himself. On one night she called from a filling station stating her husband had beaten her and that she was penniless. Mrs. MELLER invited Mrs. OSWALD to come to their residence which she did in a taxi, the taxi fare being paid by the MELLERS. MELLER said that on one occasion he asked Mrs. OSWALD why she ever married OSWALD in the first place and Mrs. OSWALD answered that it had been her dream to have a room of her own. In Russia, she explained to Mr. MELLER, several persons usually slept in one room sharing a kitchen and housing conditions were poor. She at no time gave MELLER any of the details concerning her coming to this country with OSWALD but MELLER did remember that OSWALD had been a resident of the Soviet Union for some time. He said Mrs. OSWALD is well educated and believed her to be a pharmacist by occupation. During the time he knew her she was never known to possess one penny, he related. It was MELLER's understanding that OSWALD was aloof and did not want to become acquainted with anyone. Insofar as MELLER knew, OSWALD had no friends and from what he could gather from persons who did know OSWALD he concluded that OSWALD was a "know all" type of person. Mrs. OSWALD never mentioned guns or firearms during her stay at their apartment and they did not discuss Communism or politics.

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Mr. ~~JANCHERI~~ ~~UPCHESHAW~~, also known as George-
~~Upcheshaw~~, previously known as George Rieg, advised he
 currently resides at 6238 Lake Shore Drive. He stated Dallas, Texas
 he is a United States citizen having been naturalized
 August, 1963, and that his nationality origin is Circassian
 from the Caucasus Mountain region of Russia. He stated
 that he considers himself to be non-Russian inasmuch as in
 past history that area was not controlled by Russians many
 years ago. He stated that the region that he comes from
 consists of a population that has been oppressed by the
 Communists since the Communists obtained control of Russia.
 He stated he first came to the United States in November,
 1951, and for a time was an instructor in Russian at
 Cornell University, New York State, until June, 1956.

He stated that a friend of his in Dallas advised
 him about a year ago regarding a young couple who had come
 to the United States from Russia; that the man was an ex-
 United States Marine who had previously renounced the United
 States and gone to Russia; that he was not happy in Russia
 and henceforth returned to the United States. He stated
 his friend told him that this couple was coming to Dallas,
 and if he would like to meet them the friend would let him
 know when they arrived. UPCHESHAW stated he himself expressed
 resentment because he was not sympathetic to any person
 with the background which this individual apparently had.
 He said his friend suggested to him that perhaps he, UPCHESHAW,
 might be able to make this individual's Russian wife feel more
 at home in Dallas because she spoke no English. He stated a
 couple of days later when this couple came to Dallas he met
 them but at the time paid no attention to their names. He
 advised that in the brief period of contact that he had with
 this couple on the occasion that he met them he observed that
 the man whom he now knows to be LEE HARVEY OSWALD was very
 dominating with his wife. He noted that when OSWALD's wife
 would say something he would suppress her as though what she
 had said was of no significance or value. He said he felt
 OSWALD's wife had used poor judgment in choosing OSWALD as her
 husband. He said that from what he could gather OSWALD could
 see no one's viewpoint but his own and was the type of person
 who wanted to adjust the world to himself rather than adjust
 himself to the world. He said that for this reason he did not

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like OSWALD due to his attitude. He said that OSWALD in his opinion had the symptoms of persons whom he has had occasion to observe at various times since World War II, which he considers to be pseudo-intellectual.

UPCHESHAW stated that about two months after this his friend called him and said that OSWALD had been beating his wife; that persons who sympathized with the plight of OSWALD's wife were attempting to help her get some sort of job and a place to live. He said his friend suggested that possibly he, UPCHESHAW, might be willing to keep OSWALD's wife and baby at his house until they were able to accommodate her job-wise. UPCHESHAW stated he agreed to this. He added that after two or three days his friend called him again and said that OSWALD and his wife had reconciled their differences. He said that he has never seen OSWALD or his wife since that time and until he was aware that there was some indication that OSWALD may have been implicated in the assassination of President KENNEDY he had had no occasion to be concerned about OSWALD and his wife.

UPCHESHAW stated he met OSWALD's wife on one occasion while she was apart from OSWALD during a period of estrangement. He stated that a woman brought the girl to his house to see himself and his wife. He said he had a conversation with OSWALD's wife and during this conversation no politics were discussed, and he considered it purely a social call. He stated his wife indicated after OSWALD's wife had left that she thought OSWALD's wife was impressed with UPCHESHAW, possibly because of UPCHESHAW's maturity combined with the fact that UPCHESHAW had used Russian jargon which would have been more impressive to a younger Russian person than usual Russian language. He said that to put her at ease he also quoted bits of poems in Russian and attempted to talk in a rather light vein.

UPCHESHAW said that in his opinion OSWALD's wife was not a brilliant type of person and displayed no extra intelligence. He said he regarded her as a very ordinary type of Russian girl whose education may have been approximately comparable to what is the eighth grade in the United

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States. He said he could recall that no discussion of her husband, OSWALD, took place at that time. He said that it was within a few days after this that he heard OSWALD and his wife were reconciled and therefore he himself and his wife had no opportunity to take her into their home. He said that he feels OSWALD's wife was aware that he and his wife had been willing to have her stay with them.

He said that he never knew OSWALD's full name until shortly following the time of the assassination of President KENNEDY in Dallas, Texas, on November 22, 1963, but that he knows this person to be identical to the one that he had met approximately a year ago.

him because of his wife. At one time MARINA OSWALD told Mrs. FORD that LEE OSWALD stated that he hated his mother. MARINA OSWALD also stated that LEE was not liked by many persons in Russia.

Mrs. FORD stated MARINA OSWALD met LEE OSWALD at a dance in Minsk, Russia, and that she was visiting him in a hospital in Minsk where he was a patient when he proposed to her. MARINA OSWALD, according to Mrs. FORD, worked as a pharmacist in Minsk, Russia. MARINA OSWALD told her her husband went to Moscow, Russia, in 1959 where we had an exhibition and worked for exhibition, then defected to the Russians at this time. He worked in a factory of some type in the Soviet Union in the City of Minsk. He liked to debate with students in the Soviet Union and associated mostly with the workers. According to Mrs. FORD, the reason MARINA OSWALD stated that her husband came to the United States was that he did not think the living conditions were good enough and he stated he could not stand another of the hard Russian winters. LEE OSWALD also stated that he had wanted to get out of Russia before his daughter JUNE was born but the American Embassy held him up.

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MP Mrs. DECLAN P. FORD, 14057 Brookcrest, Dallas 40, Texas, advised that he first met LEE HARVEY OSWALD and his wife, MARINA OSWALD, sometime during the fall of 1962 through one GEORGE BOUHE of Dallas, Texas. Mr. FORD stated that his wife, KATHERINE FORD, was born in Russia and because of the fact MARINA OSWALD was also born in Russia they became acquainted as are most Russian-born people in the Dallas-Fort Worth area. He stated MARINA OSWALD stayed at his house from November 11, 1962 to November 17, 1962, when she separated from her husband. He stated he is certain of these dates because he was out of town on a business trip on these dates and had been able to verify this through his expense voucher. On November 18, 1962, MARINA OSWALD went to stay with Mr. and Mrs. FRANK H. RAY, 4524 Alta Vista Lane, Dallas. She remained there until November 19, 1962, when her husband, LEE OSWALD, contacted her and they made up and she went back to live with him again.

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Mr. FORD advised the next time he saw MARINA and LEE OSWALD was on December 28, 1962, when he and his wife had a party and OSWALD and his wife MARINA came with some other people.

Mr. FORD stated that none of the Russian-born people or their American husbands or wives liked LEE OSWALD and he only associated with them because of MARINA OSWALD. He stated that he had attempted to help LEE OSWALD get a job but that he was very odd in his behavior and when he asked where he was working, he refused to tell them.

He stated that when LEE OSWALD was around the Russian-born persons in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, he always talked in Russian, allegedly to keep up his proficiency in the Russian language, and this was the reason he, Mr. FORD, who does not speak Russian, was unable to converse with OSWALD at any great length. Mr. FORD stated he does know that FRANK H. RAY did have a long political argument with OSWALD and he would be in a good position to describe OSWALD's political beliefs. He said he remembered one occasion when OSWALD was visiting and he pointed out JUNE OSWALD is a Russian girl and OSWALD became incensed and stated she was just as much of an American as any other child in the room even though she was born in Russia. Mr. FORD stated the last time he saw OSWALD was on December 28, 1962.

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At the downtown YMCA, N. Ervay Street, Dallas, Texas, Mr. JOE MC REE, Residents Manager, advised that the registration card for transient guests at this YMCA are maintained for a period of only six months and then destroyed. He does maintain on a permanent basis, however, a daily sheet showing the names of the permanent guests in residence and the names of the transient guests checking in on that day and checking out on that day.

The daily sheets from July 31, 1962, to November 30, 1962, inclusive, were physically examined and it was ascertained through this physical examination that LEE OSWALD registered as a transient on October 15, 1962, in Room 415, and checked out on October 19, 1962.

Mr. MC REE advised that he has no personal recollection whatever of LEE OSWALD and that there are no further records to indicate anything about him.

He then conferred with Mr. R. G. ~~BARKER~~, his desk clerk, who said that he has no recollection of ~~LEE OSWALD~~.

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Mr. ~~MAX E. CLARK~~, 4312 Salkirk Drive West, Attorney, Ridgelea State Bank Building, furnished the following information:
H. W. H. H. Texas

CLARK is a native-born American citizen. He met his wife in France during World War II. She was born in France, but her parents were born in Russia. His wife speaks and translates Russian. In this way they have met and become acquainted with a number of citizens from Russia in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

In June, 1962, Mrs. CLARK received a phone call at her home from a man giving his name as OSWALD. OSWALD told her that he and his wife had just come to Fort Worth from Russia and that he speaks Russian and that his wife was born and raised in Russia. He stated he had obtained the name of Mrs. CLARK through some contacts at the Fort Worth Public Library. He further advised that he and his wife would like to meet and talk with Mrs. CLARK. She told him that she would call them later and maybe they could get together. A short time later, possibly a week or two, Mrs. CLARK called the OSWALDS and talked to Mr. LEE OSWALD. She invited them to come down to their home for a visit. OSWALD said that it did not suit them to come down to their house and would they come out to their home in Ridgelea West. At that time, Mr. ~~MAX CLARK~~ got on the phone and talked to OSWALD and asked him to come down to their home for a visit. He again said it did not fit into their plans and told them to come out to see them. CLARK said he was not going to do that and maybe they would talk to them later. Mrs. CLARK was gone to France all during the summer of 1962. CLARK stated that on one occasion his wife went to the home of the OSWALDS at the time they were living near Montgomery Ward Store. She made this trip with ANNA MELLER and GEORGE BOUBE, of Dallas. CLARK stated that he did not go on this visit.

CLARK advised that a friend of theirs named ELENA HALL who lives in Fort Worth, is of Russian descent and that she had met the OSWALDS on one occasion. In about September or October of 1962, the OSWALDS had had some domestic trouble, were separated, and OSWALD had gone to Dallas. ELENA HALL asked MARINA OSWALD to stay with her as at that time HALL and

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her husband were separated and in the process of getting a divorce. MARINA OSWALD moved in with ELENA HALL. She remained there for two or three weeks. After about a week or ten days, Mrs. HALL was injured in an automobile accident and had to stay in the hospital. During that time, MARINA OSWALD was at this home by herself. Mrs. CLARK would go by there nearly every day to buy her groceries and see what they might need. After Mrs. HALL returned home and had recovered from her accident, CLARK and his wife went over to the home of ELENA HALL. This was on a Sunday afternoon and was sometime in October, 1962. Mr. HALL had also driven in from Odessa, Texas, and was present on this occasion. While they were there, LEE OSWALD came to the home and stayed for several hours.

CLARK advised that he had heard about OSWALD and that he was interested in finding out things about the Soviet Union. He stated he got in a conversation with OSWALD and talked to him for about two hours on this one occasion. OSWALD related the following information to CLARK:

While OSWALD was in the service of the U. S. Marines or the U. S. Army, he read and studied a lot of KARL MARX. He was dissatisfied with the Military Service in the United States and made up his mind to go to Russia as soon as he was discharged. He believed Russia was the place to live and work. Immediately after his discharge, OSWALD obtained a passport and did go to Russia. CLARK did not believe that OSWALD returned to his home after his discharge but went directly to Russia. He turned in his passport in Moscow and immediately obtained a work permit from the Soviet Union government. He was sent to Minsk, Russia, and they placed him in a factory as some type of sheet metal worker. He was furnished a small apartment to live in, and the government paid the utilities of this apartment. OSWALD said that he had a little better place to live than most of the workers due to the fact that he was an American and had recently come to the Soviet Union. He stated that his apartment had a private bath, while most of the other apartments had to share a bath with from four to six apartments. OSWALD advised that the Soviet Union also furnished medical aid and furnished free schooling for the children. He had to pay for his food and clothing out of the 75 rubles a month that he earned working in this factory. He met his

wife in Minsk one night when he attended a dance given by the workers of this factory. His wife was working in a doctor's office doing some type of work. He later married this girl that he met at the dance, and when she became pregnant, the government made her work up to one month before the birth of the child and gave her a leave of three months after the child was born. At that time, his wife had to go back to work and the government took the child and placed it in a government operated nursery. OSWALD mentioned that this was one of the things that he did not like in the Soviet Union. He also stated that he did not find that conditions in Russia were exactly like the writings of KARL MARX. He felt let down when he was sent to Minsk to work as he thought he should have been kept in Moscow. He did not care to raise his child in this government nursery. He started thinking about returning to the United States shortly after his child was born. CLARK related that during this conversation with OSWALD that OSWALD would get mad and arrogant and talk rather sarcastically about the United States and the government and also about some of the conditions in Russia.

OSWALD told CLARK that it was easy to get into Russia if a person would handle it properly. He stated the way he got into Russia was that he wrote to a Russian tourist agency either in Washington or New York and got a permit from this tourist agency. He said he had to put up some money with this tourist agency. After getting this permit, he then got his passport and later obtained a visa. He told CLARK that he turned in his passport to the U. S. Embassy in Moscow. He wanted to become a Russian citizen, but the Soviet Union Government never took him in as a citizen, and he always worked as an alien in Russia. He told CLARK that he stayed in Russia a little over two years.

CLARK stated that this was the only time he ever saw or talked to LEE OSWALD.

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Date November 28, 1963

MRS. FRANK HENRY ~~RAY~~, 4524 Alta Vista Lane, furnished
 the following information. Dallas, Texas

In about October, 1962, MR. and MRS. DECLAN ~~FORD~~, Dallas, Texas
 Dallas, asked her to come to their house and meet a girl from
 Russia. She stated that she went there and met MRS. LEE HARVEY
 OSWALD, who had had a squabble with her husband and from what
 she gathered, the husband had mistreated the Russian girl.
 At that time MRS. OSWALD was staying at the FORD house and she
 herself invited her to stay at her home (MRS. RAY's) for a
 couple of weeks until she could locate employment. After about
 two days, LEE HARVEY OSWALD called on the telephone and asked
 if he could come by to see his baby and MRS. RAY agreed to
 this. LEE HARVEY OSWALD came to her house and he and his wife
 went into a room of the house and conferred for about one hour.
 She stated she gained the impression later that their conference
 was regarding family economics. They then announced that they had
 decided to go back together so MRS. OSWALD and the baby moved
 from the RAY premises. MRS. RAY remarked that the OSWALDs appeared
 to be very poor and it was her understanding that OSWALD at that
 time was earning approximately \$1.35 per hour. MRS. RAY therefore
 asked some of her neighbors if they had any old clothes or other
 items which they could contribute for the OSWALDs to use in view
 of the tight financial situation of the OSWALDs. MRS. RAY said
 she asked OSWALD why he did not talk English to his wife, and
 encourage her to learn English. She pointed out to OSWALD that
 his wife needed to learn English in order to learn to converse
 while living in United States. She said OSWALD indicated he did
 not care if his wife learned English and pointed out that he
 desired to keep his Russian fluent. Upon being asked why he
 wanted to keep his Russian fluent, OSWALD said he liked to speak
 another language besides English. She said OSWALD did not seem
 to approve of his wife having friends and would not even let her
 wear lipstick, or makeup of any kind. She stated that OSWALD
 himself declined to accept an alcoholic beverage when offered
 to him and told her "I don't drink". In further describing
 OSWALD's wife, MRS. RAY said that she considered his wife to be
 terribly immature, very slow and the type of person who does not
 know what is going on. She said she was very undecided and
 exhibited no interest in political matters whatsoever. She stated
 that in her opinion, she did not believe MRS. OSWALD would have
 necessarily shared any ideas held by OSWALD, unless it was merely

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to appear co-operative with her husband. She stated that OSWALD's wife has indicated that she does not want to go back to Russia. She described her as a nice girl, a quiet type whom she considered shy, sweet and innocent, age about twenty-two, a wonderful mother in caring for her child. She was unaware that OSWALD's wife ever held any employment in the United States and she had no information that OSWALD's wife had ever applied for U. S. Citizenship. She stated she doubted if OSWALD would have permitted her to apply for citizenship.

MRS. RAY said she believed OSWALD's wife had no family in Russia; that her father possibly died when she was a child, that she was unaware (MRS. RAY) of any information regarding her mother and that she was raised by an aunt in Russia. She said she had no idea of where MRS. OSWALD came from in Russia but it was her belief that OSWALD and MRS. OSWALD had met initially in Leningrad.

MRS. RAY stated that in about December, 1962, she last saw MR. and MRS. OSWALD. She advised that MRS. FORD told her about two months ago, that OSWALD had been gone at that time to New Orleans, Louisiana, for about six months. She stated she was not aware they had returned to the Dallas, Texas area until after the assassination of President KENNEDY, at Dallas, Texas, on November 22, 1963.

MRS. RAY said that she never held any political discussions with MR. OSWALD and had no information to reflect that he was pro-Marxist in his views or that he was inclined to have any favoritism for CASTRO's Cuba. She said he never seemed to be the least bit intellectual or the "bookworm" type. She said she considered him dull and stupid. She said provided he was the person who assassinated President KENNEDY, she must, at this time, say that she would never have thought him capable of such a thing. She said he impressed her as the very quiet type but that he did seem arrogant, in the way he would look at people when they addressed him, as though they did not know what they were speaking about.

MRS. RAY said she believed that OSWALD may have been bitter over his inability to obtain employment in United States. She said that judging from what OSWALD's wife had said, OSWALD had been somewhat bitter while in Russia, because the Russians did not go out of their way to give him an important job. She said she believes she had heard that OSWALD was a laborer while in Russia.

She said she did not know why he returned to the United States. She said that he apparently was disillusioned because he did not attract enough attention to suit him while in Russia. She said that he was apparently a person who had little training and therefore would have had no right to expect any special attention in Russia.

Regarding herself, MRS. RAY stated that her name prior to her first marriage and prior to coming to the United States, was VALENTINA ANNA PERECHANSKYA. She was born Kursk, Russia, June 18, 1928, although she stated that when the Germans took her from Russia in May, 1942, for slave labor, they destroyed her birth certificate and gave her a new one which reflected that she was born one year earlier than her actual date of birth. She stated she was raised in Stalino Ukraine, Russia. She stated she arrived in New York City on July 13, 1946, after having married a U. S. serviceman who was in the U. S. Army, in Frankfurt, Germany, previous to that. She stated she became a naturalized citizen in 1949 and has since re-married.

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Mrs. GENE GRAVES, Bookkeeper, Leslie Welding Company, 200-E North Vacek Street, advised that LEE HARVEY OSWALD started to work for Leslie's on July 16, 1962, and worked nine hours, and thereafter OSWALD worked eight or nine hours Monday through Friday each week through Monday, October 8, 1962.

GRAVES stated that the only exceptions during this period to the eight or nine hour work day were on September 26, 1962, when he worked six hours, and four hours on September 27, 1962, and three hours and 58 minutes on September 28, 1962.

In addition to the regular work week, on Saturday, August 4, 1962, OSWALD worked five hours.

GRAVES stated the information was obtained from a weekly time card punched on a time clock on a daily basis.

GRAVES also pointed out that the original time card is sent to their office in Chicago, Illinois, and she maintains a duplicate of the original in her office.

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Mrs. ~~JOHN R. HALL~~ (ELENA), ^{nee ALKHAZOFF} 4760 Trail Lake Drive, advised that she and her husband are the owners of the Crown-Bridge-Porcelain Company at 1313 East Seminary Drive in Fort Worth. Mrs. HALL said this company is a dental technician company which makes and works with false teeth and mouth bridges. TEXAS

Mrs. HALL advised that her maiden name is ALKHAZOFF, and that she was born in Teheran, Iran, on June 20, 1926. She said that her parents were born in Russia. Mrs. HALL advised that she had been in the United States since 1957.

Mrs. HALL furnished the following information:

She said that she met LEE OSWALD and his wife, MARINA, through GEORGE BOUHE of Dallas, Texas, in June or July, 1962, at which time BOUHE brought the OSWALDs to her home, as MARINA had a missing front tooth. Mrs. HALL said that she told BOUHE that it would take \$200.00 to \$300.00 in order to have a tooth replaced by a dentist. She said at the time she first met the OSWALDs, they had a small baby girl named JUNE.

Mrs. HALL stated that in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, there is a small group of Russian-speaking people, like herself, that are friends and visit together. When any Russian-speaking person comes into the community they try to help them not to be so lonely.

Mrs. HALL said that MARINA OSWALD caused her to feel sorry for her, MARINA, upon first meeting MARINA, because of the fact that MARINA did not have any clothes and LEE OSWALD at that particular time was out of work. She said when she first met the OSWALDs, they were residing at 2703 Mercedes Street in Fort Worth. Mrs. HALL said that the OSWALD baby was sleeping in an old open suitcase at that time.

Mrs. HALL stated that shortly after meeting the OSWALDs, LEE OSWALD went to work at an unknown welding company located near his residence.

Mrs. HALL stated that she, Mrs. HALL, was working at the time, and during the day at the lunch hour and in the evenings she would go by the home and visit with MARINA OSWALD and would take clothing and food and help her with the baby.

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Mrs. HALL continued by saying that in early October, 1962, exact date unrecalled, that MARINA OSWALD told her that her husband wanted to move to Dallas and gave no reason. Mrs. HALL said that she asked MARINA how she was going to pay for the house and the bills, at which MARINA said she did not know. Mrs. HALL said she then asked MARINA to move into her home until such time as she could go to Dallas to join her husband.

Mrs. HALL said that shortly after MARINA OSWALD and her baby moved into her home, MARINA told her that she belonged to the Greek Orthodox Church and wanted to have her baby baptized, but she was afraid to mention it to her husband because "he didn't believe in God, baptizing or nothing". Mrs. HALL said that on about October 17, 1962, she took MARINA and her infant daughter, JUNE, to Dallas where the baby was baptized at the St. Seraphim Eastern Greek Orthodox Church, 4203 Newton Street, Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. HALL said that on October 19, 1962, she, Mrs. HALL, was involved in an automobile accident in Fort Worth and was hospitalized for a period of ten days. She said that MARINA OSWALD and baby continued to live at her home during this period of time. Mrs. HALL said that on October 31, 1962, after being released from the hospital, she went to New York to visit friends and left MARINA and the baby at her home. Mrs. HALL said that she returned from New York on November 15, 1962, and at that time MARINA and the baby had gone from her home, and she does not know exactly what date she had left Fort Worth.

Mrs. HALL said that during the period of time MARINA OSWALD lived in her home, she actually saw LEE OSWALD one weekend, at which time she believed it was on a Sunday afternoon when LEE OSWALD was driven to Fort Worth from Dallas by a GARY and ALEXANDRIA TAYLOR, who resided at that time at 3519 Fairmount, Apartment 12, telephone LA 1-0692. She said that the TAYLORS had a small child with them, and they spent the afternoon with LEE OSWALD at her home. Dallas Texas

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Mrs. HALL said that she had met the TAYLORS on that one occasion only and believes that GEORGE BOUHE had possibly known Mrs. TAYLOR's father in Dallas. Mrs. HALL said that she later learned from friends in Dallas that the TAYLORS are possibly separated now, and she does not know where they would be residing at the present time.

Mrs. HALL continued by saying that after MARINA OSWALD left her home she later learned through ANNA MILLER in Dallas that the OSWALDs were residing at 604 Elsbeth Street in Dallas. TIX'S

Mrs. HALL said further that on Christmas, 1962, she and her husband drove to Dallas to take baby JUNE OSWALD a small Christmas gift. Mrs. HALL said at this point that while MARINA OSWALD was living at her home she had shown an interest in a sewing machine that Mrs. HALL had, and Mrs. HALL told her that she could use the machine. Upon returning from her visit in New York, she observed the machine to be gone from her home and assumed that MARINA had taken it. She said that when she visited the OSWALDs on Christmas in Dallas, she asked MARINA about the sewing machine, and MARINA told her that she still wanted to use it.

Mrs. HALL said that at the time she visited the OSWALDs at Christmas she recalls asking LEE OSWALD where their Christmas tree was because of the small baby. She said OSWALD told her that he did not agree with Christmas as it was too commercial.

During the above visit at Christmas, Mrs. HALL said she recalls asking LEE OSWALD why he did not speak English to his wife and why he spoke to her only in Russian. He told her that he was afraid that he would forget his Russian. Mrs. HALL said that OSWALD spoke Russian very well.

Mrs. HALL said further that the next time that she saw the OSWALD family was on Easter day of 1963, at which time she took a little Easter gift to the OSWALD baby. She said that she went to the 604 Elsbeth Street address and was told by the landlady that the OSWALDs did not live there any longer. Mrs. HALL said the landlady

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showed her where the OSWALDs had moved, which was about two blocks north and one block west of the Elsbeth address. Mrs. HALL said she does not recall the street or the street number of this residence. She said that the OSWALDs lived on the second floor of a very shabby apartment at this address.

Mrs. HALL said that on Easter day, LEE OSWALD and his wife were both at home, and she recalled LEE OSWALD telling her husband that he did not like the Capitalistic system. At that time OSWALD appeared to be "high on Russia" and said he would like to go back to Russia.

Mrs. HALL said that at that time on Easter, MARINA OSWALD returned to her the sewing machine.

Mrs. HALL said that at the time she and her husband visited the OSWALDs in Dallas on Easter, they stayed for a period of about 45 minutes, and since that visit she has not seen either person again or heard from either person. Mrs. HALL said she had heard from friends in Dallas at a later date that the OSWALDs had moved to New Orleans, Louisiana. However, Mrs. HALL said that the OSWALDs never wrote or corresponded with her, and she had not heard of the OSWALDs again until the assassination of President KENNEDY.

Mrs. HALL said that MARINA OSWALD, in conversation with her, told her that she actually did not like Russia and was very appreciative of the United States. She said that MARINA told her that the people in Russia actually would not believe what they saw in the United States if they could be here concerning the merchandise, stores, type of food, cars and other such things.

Mrs. HALL said that she recalls when she first met MARINA OSWALD, she noticed black and blue marks on her face. She said at a later date when she got to know this person, she asked her about those bruises on her face and MARINA told her that her husband had beat her.

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After that, Mrs. HALL said that MARINA told her that on several occasions her husband had beat her and that MARINA and her husband argued a great deal of the time.

Mrs. HALL advised further that MARINA told her at one time the reason they returned from Russia to the United States was that her husband wanted to return and she also wanted to live in the United States. Mrs. HALL said that she understood from MARINA that she was a pharmacist in Russia and had worked in a hospital in Minsk. Mrs. HALL said she recalls Mrs. OSWALD's telling her that she and her husband had met at a dance in Minsk

Mrs. HALL said that she never actually talked a great deal with LEE OSWALD as he was very uncommunicative. She said that during the time she was in their home she saw books on Marxism and Red literature around the house, and for that reason she did not converse a great deal with LEE OSWALD. She said that she considered LEE OSWALD to be a "Red Russian", and she did not try to change him. Mrs. HALL said she recalls at one time LEE OSWALD's telling her he was going to write a book, but he did not mention what the book would be about.

Mrs. HALL said that it was her personal opinion that LEE OSWALD was "no good" because of the fact that he beat his wife, his way of thinking, and that she considered him to be a "Red Russian".

Mrs. HALL said further that during the period of time that she knew the OSWALDs, they never owned an automobile, and that she never met OSWALD's mother or brother. In fact, Mrs. HALL said the only interest that she and her husband actually had in the LEE OSWALD family was MARINA and the baby and trying to help those two persons.

Mrs. HALL said that MARINA never mentioned any friends or associates of her husband's in Fort Worth or Dallas, and MARINA was a "lonely person". Mrs. HALL said she recalls MARINA wanted to go to

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Dallas because she had heard there were English classes held at the YMCA; however, Mrs. HALL said that she asked MARINA at Easter when she visited her if she had gone to any classes, and MARINA told her that she had not because she lived too far from town, the classes were in the evening and she would have to take a bus. Further, MARINA said that her husband would not take care of the baby.

Mrs. HALL said further that the only place she knows the OSWALDs to have lived in Fort Worth prior to moving to Dallas was when they first moved to Fort Worth, MARINA told her that they stayed with LEE OSWALD's brother for a short time and then moved to 2703 Mercedes Street, at which time OSWALD went to Dallas, Texas, and MARINA OSWALD stayed in the HALL's home until she moved to Dallas.

Mrs. HALL said further that the only acquaintances she knows the OSWALDs had in Fort Worth would be PETER GREGORY, Mrs. ~~MAX~~ CLARK, and herself, Mrs. HALL.

Mrs. HALL advised that she does recall that the TAYLORS, the persons who drove LEE OSWALD to Fort Worth to visit his wife when she was at the Hall's residence, drove an old model, possibly a 1955 or 1956, dark metallic green car, which would have been the Buick or Oldsmobile type of automobile.

Mrs. HALL stated that she had no further information concerning LEE OSWALD and his wife. Mrs. HALL said that she does not know any person named JACK RUBY or RUBENSTEIN and had never heard of this person until he was charged with the killing of LEE OSWALD in Dallas.

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Mr. GEORGE A. BOUHE, 4740 Homer Street, Apartment O, Dallas, Texas, was interviewed at 3752 Westcliff Road North, Fort Worth, Texas. He stated that he was doing accounting work for Mr. MACK CLARK and he had telephonically contacted Mrs. ELIZABETH GREGORY and she indicated that the FBI might be interested in talking with him. *Texas*

Texas BOUHE pointed out that he was born in St. Petersburg, Russia, and had come to the United States in 1924.

He stated that in about July, 1962, he had read in a Fort Worth newspaper that LEE OSWALD had returned to Fort Worth with his Russian wife and his small child.

BOUHE stated that he believed it was two or three weeks after he read this article that he got a telephone call from PETER GREGORY, who was giving OSWALD a get-acquainted dinner at GREGORY's house and invited BOUHE to attend. BOUHE stated that he was interested in attending this dinner and was vitally interested in talking to OSWALD's wife.

He stated that the newspaper had indicated that MARINA OSWALD was from the same place in Russia as BOUHE had lived in. He stated that he determined that MARINA was not from the exact town that he was from, but they still had considerable discussion about life in Russia.

He stated also that MARINA OSWALD had stated she was having a hard time and that her husband had been unable to keep a job in Fort Worth. He stated MARINA indicated that OSWALD's brother was having them move from his house and OSWALD's mother had no money to help support them.

BOUHE stated that he had visited the OSWALD's home on Mercedes Street in Fort Worth, Texas, and further that there were very little furnishings in the house and that the baby was sleeping on the floor. BOUHE stated that because of his good fortune in the United States, he felt he should try to help the OSWALDs.

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