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DAVID LUTENBACHER, Principal, William Frantz School,  
3811 North Galvez, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that the  
school records contained the following information regarding  
ROBERT LEE OSWALD, JR., AND JOHN EDWARD PIC:

ROBERT LEE OSWALD, JR.

Place of birth: New Orleans, Louisiana  
Date of Birth: April 7, 1934  
Parent: ROBERT LEE OSWALD  
Parent's occupation: Agent-Metropolitan Insurance  
Residences: 2109 Alvar, 914 Hennessey,  
2109 Alvar, 1242 Congress  
Dates of admission: September 8, 1938  
January 30, 1939  
September 7, 1939  
September 18, 1939  
November 6, 1939  
January 29, 1940  
September 5, 1940  
Dates of discharge: September 15, 1939  
January 2, 1940  
November 12, 1940

JOHN EDWARD PIC

Place of birth: New Orleans, Louisiana  
Date of birth: January 17, 1932  
Parent: Mrs. LEE OSWALD  
Occupation of Parent: Insurance  
Residences: 1661 Paul Morphy  
2132 Gallier Street  
1917 Gallier Street  
2109 Alvar  
1242 Congress  
Dates of admission: September 16, 1936  
February 1, 1937  
September 9, 1937  
January 28, 1938  
September 8, 1938  
January 3, 1939  
September 7, 1939  
September 5, 1940  
November 1, 1940

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Dates of discharge:            January 4, 1937  
                                         January 2, 1940  
                                         November 12, 1940

Record indicated a transfer to George Washington  
Elementary School.

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EDWARD PUYAU, JR., Principal Jackson School, 1408 Camp Street, advised after a review of his file that he could find nothing identifiable with LEE HARVEY OSWALD in his 1953 and 1954 records.

He stated that Davies School, which was located within a close proximity to the Jackson School, (exact address unknown), had been closed down in September, 1961. He advised that both the pupils and the records of that school were transferred to the Jackson School. He stated after a review of the 1953 and 1954 records of the Davies School, he could find nothing identifiable with LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

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MYRTLE EVANS, 1910 Prytania Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that she feels quite sure that LEE HARVEY OSWALD resided at 1452 and 1454 St. Mary Street, New Orleans, from approximately May, 1954 to February, 1955. She stated that during this period of time, OSWALD would walk to the corner and take a streetcar to school. She stated that to the best of her recollection, OSWALD attended Beauregard Junior High School and Warren Easton High School. She stated that she knows of no other school which OSWALD may have attended.

EVANS advised that to the best of her recollection when MARGUERITE OSWALD and family first came to New Orleans, LA, from Texas, in approximately 1954, they resided with Mrs. MURRET, who is MARGUERITE OSWALD's sister. She advised that MARGUERITE OSWALD probably registered LEE HARVEY OSWALD at Beauregard Junior High School and gave Mrs. MURRET's address. She advised that when MARGUERITE OSWALD and family moved to St. Mary Street, she did not bother to correct the address on the school records. She advised that as far as she knows, the school system of New Orleans is set up by districts and that if the school was aware of the fact that LEE HARVEY OSWALD lived in the up-town section of New Orleans, he would not be permitted to attend Beauregard Junior High School because he would be out of the district.

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MAE FENGER, Secretary to the Principal of Jackson School, 1408 Camp Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, was interviewed at her place of business and advised after reviewing her records from 1939 until the present that she could find nothing identifiable with LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

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**PREVIOUS RESIDENCES**

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Date 12/6/63Mrs. Margaret Oswald

The records of the New Orleans Retail Credit Bureau, 333 St. Charles, regarding MARGUERITE OSWALD were made available by BETTY ENGELBRACHT which reflect the following information:

<u>RESIDENCES</u>	<u>Mrs. Margaret Oswald</u>	<u>DATE OF RESIDENCE</u>
2132 Gallier	<u>Marguerite Oswald</u>	March, 1937
805 Greenwood	<u>Mrs. Oswald</u>	Unknown
808 Taft Place	<u>Marguerite Oswald</u>	Unknown
220 North Telemachus	<u>Mrs. Oswald</u>	Unknown
123 South Cortez	<u>Mrs. Oswald</u>	Unknown
1917 Gallier	<u>Marguerite Oswald</u>	October 29, 1937
2205 Alvar	<u>Marguerite Oswald</u>	October, 1938
2123 Alvar		April, 1939
2109 Alvar		July 11, 1940
1242 Congress		September 26, 1940
813 Pauline	831 Pauline (?)	January, 1942
1454 St. Mary		May 17, 1954
<u>EMPLOYMENT</u>		<u>DATE OF EMPLOYMENT</u>
Burts Shoe Store 1117 Canal		March, 1954
Lady Oris Hosiery New York City Saleslady		July, 1953

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It could not be determined from a review of the records of the New Orleans Retailers' Credit Bureau what dates Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD resided at 805 Greenwood, 808 Taft Place, 220 North Telemachus and 123 South Cortez. These addresses were written on a card and were listed between the dates of March, 1937 and October 29, 1937. The address of 813 Pauline was listed on the front of the card, however, on the reverse side of the card was listed the address of 831 Pauline.

The records did not contain any inquiry from credit bureaus located in any other city.

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Mrs. ALBERTA LEGNON, 2133 Alvar Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that she has lived at her present address since May, 1939 and she recalls that Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD was living in the block when she moved into her present address. She further stated that she recognized Mrs. OSWALD to be the same person when she saw her picture in the newspaper and on TV in connection with the assassination of the President.

*deceased*  
 She stated that she believes Mr. and Mrs. LEE OSWALD lived at 2109 Alvar with their two sons, JOHN and ROBERT. She stated that she believed JOHN was by a prior marriage. LL

She advised that after the death of Mr. OSWALD, who was an insurance salesman, that Mrs. OSWALD had her baby, LEE HARVEY OSWALD, and shortly thereafter moved from the neighborhood.

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Mrs. BESSIE VILLARS, 2137 Alvar Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised she has lived at her present address since 1938 and stated she did recall a family by the name of OSWALD who lived in the 2100 block of Alvar (exact number unknown) for a short period of time. She stated she can recall that this woman by the name of OSWALD was pregnant and that prior to her termination of pregnancy, her husband died in the early morning hours of a heart attack. She stated that she could not recall what month this may have been, but that it was not too long after she moved into her present home in November, 1938.

She further stated that as best she could recall, that this OSWALD woman had two other boys which she believes to have been by a prior marriage. She further stated she could not recall if this OSWALD woman was living on Alvar Street when she delivered her child. She stated that she believed the OSWALDS were buying the home in which they were living.

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Mrs. BERNARD CHATELAIN, 1744 Tennessee Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, furnished the following information:

She stated that she was acquainted with Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD during the time that Mrs. OSWALD lived in the 2100 block of Alvar Street. She said that the OSWALD's moved into the neighborhood in 1939, prior to the birth of LEE HARVEY OSWALD. She stated that distinctly she remembered Mrs. OSWALD living in the 2100 block of Alvar, as LEE HARVEY OSWALD was born three days after her, Mrs. CHATELAIN's, son was born. She stated that the OSWALD's were good neighbors.

Mrs. CHATELAIN advised that the OSWALD's moved from the 2100 block of Alvar Street, when LEE HARVEY OSWALD was approximately one year old. She stated that she has not had any contact with the OSWALD family since they moved from the Alvar Street address.

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Mrs. BETTY A. MARCENNEAUX, 2205 Alvar, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that she has lived at her present address since 1948 and that they purchased their home from LOUIS BOUCHE. She further stated that the home in which they are living was not built until 1940.

She further stated that she does not know MARGUERITE OSWALD. She also stated prior to their home being built at 2205 Alvar, that there was no home there.

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Mrs. F. CARLETON LA BICHE, 2125 Alvar Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that she resided at her present address since October 19, 1938. She stated that the OSWALD family was already residing at 2109 Alvar when they moved in, and she believes they were purchasing their home. She stated that shortly after they moved in, MR. LEE OSWALD died of a heart attack, and shortly after this, LEE HARVEY OSWALD was born. She was unable to recall an exact date as to when the OSWALDS moved from 2109 Alvar, but she stated that LEE HARVEY OSWALD was still a baby and was unable to walk as yet.

Mrs. LA BICHE advised that she has heard from Mrs. OSWALD once since she moved from 2109 Alvar and recalls it to be about two years after the OSWALDS had moved from 2109 Alvar. She stated that Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD called her and stated that she was only visiting New Orleans, but was residing somewhere in Texas. (Place not recalled). She further stated that she was unable to recognize Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD from her pictures on television and in the newspapers.

She further stated that there never has been a 2123 Alvar and that she cannot recall the OSWALDs ever residing at 2205 Alvar.

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Dr. BRUNO F. MANCUSO, 2001 Alvar Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, furnished the following information:

He advised that he first met MARGUERITE OSWALD sometime in 1938 or 1939. After the death of her husband LEE OSWALD, she came to him and asked him to deliver her child, and Dr. MANCUSO stated that he agreed to do so, and he did deliver the baby around the end of 1939. He stated that the baby was born at the Old French Hospital, Orleans Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Dr. MANCUSO said that a couple of months after the birth of the baby, Mrs. OSWALD told him that she could not continue to finance the house she was living in at 2109 Alvar Street, and that she was moving out. Dr. MANCUSO told her that he was interested in renting or buying her house. He stated that he rented the house at 2109 Alvar from the early part of 1940 to the early part of 1944, when he bought the property at that address. Dr. MANCUSO stated that he cannot recall where he sent the rent checks, and that all of his cancelled checks for that period have been destroyed. He stated that he had no other information regarding MARGUERITE OSWALD or her son LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

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Mrs. CLARA C. HESSLER, 1241 Congress Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that she has lived at this address for approximately 30 years. She stated that during this time she has seen numerous families move in and out of the residence located at 1242 Congress Street.

Mrs. HESSLER stated that she vaguely recalled a Mrs. OSWALD, with her two or three sons, residing at 1242 Congress Street during 1940. She advised that she was unable to furnish even an approximate date for the period that Mrs. OSWALD lived at this address. She stated that the only persons who might have information on this matter would be Mrs. F. E. VALLEY, 1644 Tennessee Street and Mrs. BERNARD CHATELAIN, 1744 Tennessee Street.

Mrs. HESSLER advised that in 1940 the property at 1242 Congress Street was owned by FRED C. HUFF, 1740 Alvar Street. She stated that Mr. HUFF is deceased, but that she believed that Mrs. HUFF is still living and still lives at 1740 Alvar Street.

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Mrs. F. E. VALLEY, 1644 Tennessee Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, furnished the following information:

She advised that she resided next door to Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD, during the time that Mrs. OSWALD lived at 1242 Congress Street. She stated that Mrs. OSWALD, and her family, which consisted of two or three boys, resided at 1242 Congress Street from the middle part of 1940 to sometime in 1941, when they moved to a residence on Bartholomew Street. She stated that she was unable to furnish any exact dates for the period that Mrs. OSWALD resided next door to her on Congress Street.

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Mrs. FRED ~~O'X~~ HUFF, 1740 Alvar Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, furnished the following information:

She advised that in 1940 the property at 1242 Congress Street was owned by her husband, who is now deceased. This property is presently owned by her.

Mrs. HUFF advised that her records for rental of the property at 1242 Congress Street during 1940 are not complete. She stated that her records do indicate that the residence at 1242 Congress Street was rented to Mrs. L. OSWALD from November 10, 1940, to March 9, 1941. She stated that the records would indicate that the rent had been paid up to March 9, 1941, however, she could not recall the exact date that Mrs. OSWALD moved out of the house at 1242 Congress Street. She also stated that it was possible that Mrs. OSWALD moved into these premises prior to November 10, 1940, however, her records for the period prior to that date have been destroyed, and she has no way of telling the exact date that Mrs. OSWALD moved into the house at 1242 Congress Street.

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Mrs. MILFRED PETERMAN, 1012 Bartholomew Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that she recalled Mrs. MARGARITE OSWALD, a widow, who purchased a single family house at 1010 Bartholomew Street, about two weeks before Mrs. PETERMAN bought the single family residence next door at 1012 Bartholomew Street during 1941.

Mrs. PETERMAN stated that she understood that Mrs. OSWALD purchased the house and maintained herself and her family on money obtained from her late husband's insurance. She supplemented her finances by operating a small grocery store in the front room of her house at that address.

Mrs. PETERMAN recalled that Mrs. OSWALD had three children, the oldest child a boy of approximately six years of age at the time of their moving from the Bartholomew Street residence, and who was the child of a former marriage. Her other two children, ROBERT and LEE OSWALD were about three years and one and one-half years of age respectively.

Mrs. PETERMAN did not recall the exact time of the OSWALDS' moving but it was her opinion that they lived at the Bartholomew Street residence for approximately two years.

During that time, Mrs. PETERMAN found no reason to question the loyalty and character of Mrs. OSWALD and her family and found them to be good neighbors.

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Mrs. EDWARD BOUDREAUX, 831 Pauline, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that she moved into the house at this address on June 15, 1942. The previous occupant, she recalled, was a Mrs. OSWALD, who lived there with her young son, about five years old, and a Mrs. ROACH, who took care of the boy. The OSWALDS moved out about the last part of May, 1942, just before the BOUDREAUX's moved in. Mrs. BOUDREAUX recalled that Mrs. ROACH, who is now dead, moved out because the boy would get mad and throw his toy guns at her. Mrs. ROACH said he was a bad child who would not mind her or listen to her. It was when Mrs. ROACH moved out that Mrs. OSWALD decided to move out too.

The OSWALDS had no friends in the neighborhood that Mrs. BOUDREAUX knew about, and where they went after they moved out she had no idea.

Mrs. BOUDREAUX has lived at 831 Pauline, since 1942 with her husband and family. They now own the house, having bought it from the woman who had rented it to the OSWALDS. That woman, the OSWALDS former landlady, is now dead also.

Mrs. BOUDREAUX could recall no more information about the OSWALDS.

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Mrs. EDWARD BOUDREAU, 831 Pauline Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that the previous occupants of her house were a Mrs. OSWALD and her little four or five year old son and a Mrs. ROACH who lived there with her husband and took care of the little OSWALD boy. Mrs. BOUDREAU said she could not be sure who was actually renting the premises but it might just as well have been Mrs. ROACH as the OSWALDS. In fact, she said, when the house was put up for rent, it was Mrs. ROACH who told her about it and that it was available. Mrs. BOUDREAU rented the house in June of 1942. Later on, in 1943, the BOUDREAU's bought the house from the woman from whom they had been renting, a Mrs. FEAGEN or FEEGAN, who has since died. The BOUDREAU's have owned the house at all times since then.

Mrs. BOUDREAU did not know exactly when the OSWALDS first came to live at 831 Pauline Street, and she could think of no other persons who might have this information. She did not recall any more about the OSWALDS or the ROACHs.

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Mr. EDWARD E. BOUDREAUX, 831 Pauline Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that he does not know the date that the OSWALDS moved in at 831 Pauline Street in 1942. The Mr. and Mrs. ROACH who lived at this address at the same time as the OSWALDS had a son named THOMAS who married a woman named DORAH. THOMAS and DORAH ROACH lived on Lesseps Street, New Orleans, in about the 800 block, while his father and mother, also Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS ROACH, lived here at Pauline Street.

The elder Mr. and Mrs. ROACH are now dead. The younger Mr. and Mrs. ROACH are not now living together. She, DORAH ROACH, works at the Schwegmann Store on Gentilly, and he, THOMAS, was a heavy drinker and often sick, so his whereabouts are not known. DORAH and THOMAS had a son also named THOMAS, now about thirty years old, as well as another son in his teens and a daughter about twenty.

Mr. BOUDREAUX could recall no more information about the OSWALDS or the ROACHS.

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Mrs. LILLIAN BOUTERIE, 1911 Schnell Drive, Arabi, Louisiana, was interviewed and she advised as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS M. ROACH were her mother and father. LI  
 They lived in a house in the 800 block of Pauline Street, in about 1942 for a short period of time. Mrs. BOUTERIE could recall having rented the house for her mother herself. Her mother at that time wanted to get away from the children and the house on Lesseps Street for a little while and try living alone with her husband. Mrs. BOUTERIE said that her mother, Mrs. ROACH, was a very soft-hearted woman and was often helping friends and neighbors and even strangers when there was sickness or trouble. She would take them into her home and take care of them or would go to their homes and help out. Mrs. BOUTERIE could not, however, recall the name OSWALD as being familiar to her. She said it was possible though that she had never met them even if her mother had known or lived with them at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS M. ROACH lived at the house in the 700 block of Lesseps Street for a long time before 1942. When they moved to the Pauline Street address, there was no other occupant of the house at that time. When they moved in, the house was empty. Mrs. BOUTERIE recalled that her parents, Mr. and Mrs. ROACH, did not live at the house on Pauline Street very long. She said that it was only for a month or so. They moved in in about the first week in May and moved out about the first week in June. If the OSWALDS ever lived there, it must have been between those times.

Thomas M. Roach  
 Mrs. BOUTERIE stated that her brother's name is THOMAS J. ROACH, and that recently he has been very ill.

Mrs. BOUTERIE could not recall anything more about the time when her mother and father lived on Pauline Street.

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Mrs. DORAH ROACH, 1404 Gallier Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, was interviewed at her place of employment, Schwegmann Brothers Giant Supermarket, 5300 Gentilly Road, New Orleans. She advised that she is the daughter-in-law of the Mrs. THOMAS ROACH who lived at 831 Pauline Street in 1942. Mrs. ROACH didn't know when the OSWALDS moved in at this address but she did recall that her in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. ROACH, moved in at 831 Pauline in the spring of 1942. The OSWALDS moved out first, and then her mother-in-law moved after telling the present tenants, the BOUDREAUX, about the house.

Mrs. DORAH ROACH advised that Mrs. EDWARD BOUTERIE was the daughter of the Mrs. ROACH who lived on Pauline Street. Mrs. BOUTERIE is Mrs. DORAH ROACH's sister-in-law, and is living at the home of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN ROACH on Schnell Drive in Arabi, Louisiana. Mrs. ROACH felt that Mrs. BOUTERIE would be able to provide information as to the time when her mother was living at the Pauline Street address.

Mrs. DORAH ROACH could recall no more information about the OSWALDS or the time when her in-laws, the ROACHS, lived at 831 Pauline.

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The records of the Conveyance Office, Parish of Orleans, located in the basement of the Civil District Court Building, Loyola and Poydras Street, New Orleans, reflect ROBERT LEE OSWALD, SR., on July 26, 1938, purchased from the First Homestead and Savings Association, property and improvement located on the block bound by Alvar, North Galvez, Bartholomew and North Miro, property fronting 45 feet on Alvar, running to a depth of 119'4", within parallel lines. This property begins 32 ft. from the corner of Alvar and North Galvez. The property was listed as \$3900 and is recorded in Book 499, Folio 696.

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On January 21, 1944, a judgment of possession was granted, placing Mrs. MARGUERITE CLAVERIE, divorced wife of EDWARD J. PIC and now widow of ROBERT LEE OSWALD, SR., individual and as natural tutrix of minor ROBERT L. OSWALD, JR., and LEE HARVEY OSWALD, in possession of property located in the square bound by Alvar, Galvez, Bartholomew and Miro Streets. The property was described as fronting 45 feet on Alvar, running in parallel lines 119'4", from Alvar and being 32 feet from the corner of Alvar and North Galvez. This judgment of possession is recorded in Book 531, Folio 376.

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On January 28, 1944, Mrs. MARGUERITE CLAVERIE, divorced wife of EDWARD J. PIC and widow of ROBERT LEE OSWALD, SR., sold to the First Homestead and Savings Association, New Orleans, the property acquired by judgment of possession, January 21, 1944. The sale price of this property was \$6,500 and it is recorded in Book 530, Folio 357.

Dr. BRUNO F. MANCUSO was reflected in the next entry as the purchaser of this property from the First Homestead and Savings Association.

The records of the Conveyance Office reflect under Book 513, Folio 451, Mrs. MARGUERITE CLAVERIE, divorced wife of EDWARD J. PIC, and now widow of ROBERT LEE OSWALD, SR., purchased from the Third District Homestead Association on March 5, 1941 for a price of \$1300, and terms, a property

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at 1010 Bartholomew Street, New Orleans.

On January 16, 1942, this property was sold for a price of \$2100 to the Third District Homestead Association. The sale is recorded in Book 522, Folio 26, Conveyance Office, Parish of Orleans.

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On December 9, 1963, SA WILLIAM L. NEWBROUGH ascertained by measurement, that the property on Alvar Street which was purchased by ROBERT LEE OSWALD, SR., on July 26, 1938, began 32 feet from the corner of Alvar and North Galves. The property was observed to be numbered 2109 Alvar Street.

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Mr. RAY/SAMUEL, Loving Enterprises, Inc., Room 1634, National Bank of Commerce Building, advised that the building containing the apartment at 126 Exchange Place is owned by his corporation. He said during the 1950s, the rental of the apartment was handled by Mr. M. ARNOLD LEHMANN, then with the New Orleans Realty Company, which has since gone out of business.

He stated that a search of his records reveals that Mr. LEHMANN had designated copies of correspondence with tenants of the apartment, for Loving Enterprises, Inc., files. Mr. SAMUEL located copies of two such letters, one dated April 15, 1955, addressed to Mrs. M. OSWALD, 126 Exchange Place, New Orleans, which was a reminder to Mrs. OSWALD that she had not come to the office to pay \$5 on her electric bill, which amounted to \$16.21 on April 11, 1955 as she had promised and warned her that if she did not pay the \$5 soon, she would have to vacate the apartment. The letter was signed M. ARNOLD LEHMANN, New Orleans Realty Company.

The second letter was also addressed to Mrs. M. OSWALD, same address, which advised that \$8 had been received from her on the gas bill, but she still owed \$8 and requested her to come to the office and pay it. This letter was also signed by Mr. LEHMANN, and dated May 3, 1955.

Mr. SAMUEL said he could locate no other information regarding Mrs. OSWALD and had never met her and had no knowledge whatever of her son.

He stated further that he had no information of Mr. LEHMANN's present whereabouts and doubted very much if Mr. LEHMANN has maintained any records in this matter.

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Mr. M. ARNOLD ~~LEHMANN~~, 2622 Joseph Street, advised that he handled the renting of the apartments at 126 Exchange Place for the Loving Enterprises, Inc., during 1955 and part of 1956 while he operated the New Orleans Realty Company. He said he closed the New Orleans Realty Company in June or July, 1956 and about two years ago, destroyed the last of the records from that company and knew of no one else who could possibly have any knowledge of this matter who formerly worked for New Orleans Realty Company.

He stated that he has no personal recollection whatever of Mrs. M. OSWALD and her son.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA WILLIAM F. McDONALD on December 6, 1963, at Algiers and New Orleans, Louisiana:

~~Mrs. HENRIETTA KOEPPPEL MEYER~~ and her daughter, Mrs. LOURRAINE MORRISON, both residing at 1030 Elmira Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, stated that they had lived at 227 Atlantic Avenue, Algiers, Louisiana, from about 1935 to 1945. During this time no one by the name of Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD lived at 227 Atlantic Avenue. Mrs. MEYER advised that the property at 227 Atlantic Avenue had been in the KOEPPPEL family since 1840, and is still owned by descendants of the KOEPPPEL family.

Mrs. MEYER advised that there was a family by the name of OSWALD that lived at 237 or 239 Atlantic Avenue during the late 1930's and the early 1940's. This family consisted of a man in his sixties, a daughter in her twenties and a little girl about five years old. She stated that she could not recall any other information regarding this family.

Mr. and Mrs. CLIFFORD ANGELO, 247 Belleville Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that they lived at 241 Atlantic Avenue, Algiers, Louisiana, from about 1934 to 1944. They stated that sometime during this period, exact date not recalled, an OSWALD family lived at 239 Atlantic Avenue. This family consisted of BOB OSWALD, the father who was about 80 years old, his daughter CLARE OSWALD FOSTER, who died last year at the approximate age of 40, BOB OSWALD, JR., his son, about 45 years old and a grand daughter, RITA FOSTER. B.H.P. 11-01-1915

Mr. ANGELO advised that BOB OSWALD, Jr., worked as a seaman, and that he did not know where OSWALD, SR., was employed.

Mr. and Mrs. ANGELO both stated that they had never heard of anyone named MARGUERITE OSWALD in the 200 Block of Atlantic Avenue during the time they lived at 241 Atlantic Avenue. They stated that the property at 227 Atlantic Avenue had been in the KOEPPPEL family for many years, and that some of the family was living at that address during the period they, the ANGELO's, lived at 241 Atlantic Avenue.

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Mrs. CLARE LONNEY, 303 Atlantic Avenue, Algiers, Louisiana, that she has known the OSWALD family that lived at 239 Atlantic Avenue all her life. She stated that before they moved to the Atlantic Avenue address that they lived in the 1000 Block on Valette Street, New Orleans, Louisiana. This OSWALD family lived at the Atlantic Avenue address from about 1937 to 1942.

Mrs. LONNEY stated that CLARE OSWALD was at that time married to a man by the name of FOSTER, but that she had separated from him. Her daughter RITA FOSTER lived with her at that time. She said that later CLARE OSWALD FOSTER obtained a divorce from FOSTER and married JOSEPH H. DUNCAN. She also stated that CLARE OSWALD DUNCAN died last year at the age of 44. She advised that CLARE OSWALD DUNCAN had a brother named BOB OSWALD, age 48, who lived at 239 Atlantic Avenue. He was employed as a seaman, and is presumed to be still following that employment.

Mrs. LONNEY advised that she had never heard of anyone named MARGUERITE OSWALD residing at 227 Atlantic Avenue. She stated that the property at 227 Atlantic Avenue was owned by the KOEPPPEL family, and that this family had owned this property since approximately 1840. During 1942 Mrs. LONNEY stated that members of the KOEPPPEL family were living at 227 Atlantic Avenue.

Mrs. IVY KERN, 1027 Delaronde Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that she lived at 237 Atlantic Avenue, Algiers, Louisiana, during 1941 and 1942. She stated that she recalled that an OSWALD family lived at 239 or 241 Atlantic Avenue during that time. She said that the OSWALD family consisted of the father, his daughter, and a granddaughter. She recalled that the daughter was named CLARE OSWALD, but could not recall the names of the other members of this family.

Mrs. KERN stated that she had never heard of Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD and definitely knew that no one by that name had ever lived at 227 Atlantic Avenue during 1941 or 1942. She stated that the property at 227 Atlantic Avenue was owned by the KOEPPPEL family, and that this property had been in that family for about 100 years at that time.

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Mr. ERNST H. ALBRECHT, 2138 Broadway, advised that he had resided at that address since 1940. He explained that 2136 Broadway was the upstairs apartment in the same building. He added that he did not know MARGUERITE OSWALD and he had never known a person by the name of OSWALD who lived at 2136 Broadway.

Mr. ALBRECHT stated that when he moved to that address, 2136 Broadway was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. ROSENBERG and their daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. JACK DABDOUB resided with them. As he recalled, they lived there in 1942 and to the best of his recollection, a Mr. HARRELL LAMM resided there after that time for a few years.

Mr. ALBRECHT stated that the property belonged to a school teacher by the name of Miss HAUSSER, but that he had never met her. The property was handled by the J. Clarence Hirsch Real Estate Company, 828 Union Street and Mr. ALBRECHT thought that they would have records available showing the tenancy in 1942.

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Mrs. MILTON (LILLIE R.) FUERST, 2718 Soriat Street, advised that her mother, Mrs. EPHRIAM ROSENBERG, was presently residing with her, and that her father has been deceased for a period of about ten years.

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They resided at 2136 Broadway for a period of eleven years and left there after their lease expired, September 30, 1942. During the time they lived there, Mr. and Mrs. JACK DABDOUB resided with them. Mr. DABDOUB is since deceased, and Mrs. DABDOUB is employed by Gus Mayer Department Store in New Orleans.

Mrs. FUERST stated that no one else resided with them at any time during the period they resided at 2136 Broadway. She stated that she did not know MARGUERITE OSWALD, but knew that she had never stayed at 2136 Broadway during the eleven year period prior to September 30, 1942.

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Mrs. JACK DABDOUB, Gus Mayer Ltd., 800 Canal Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that she lived several years with Mr. & Mrs. EPHRIAM ROSENBERG and her daughter LILLIE at 2136 Broadway and was with them when they gave up the apartment. She stated that she and her husband were the only ones living there with the ROSENBERG's for several years prior to the time they gave up the apartment.

She stated she did not know MARGUERITE OSWALD and was sure that she did not live at 2136 Broadway during the last several years that the apartment was occupied by the ROSENBERG's.

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J. CLARENCE HIRSCH, J. Clarence Hirsch Real Estate, 822 Union Street, advised that he had handled the renting of the property, a duplex, 2136-2138 Broadway for many years. The property is owned by Mrs. EDNA C. HAUSSER.

Mr. HIRSCH checked his records for 1941 and 1942 and advised that EPH ROSENBERG rented the upstairs apartment, 2136 Broadway, through 1941 and until September 30, 1942 when the lease on the property terminated.

The apartment was rented on October 1, 1942 and for the balance of the year to Mr. HARRELL LAMM, who was employed by the U.S. Customs Service, 427 Custom Building, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Mr. HIRSCH stated that as far as he knew, there was no one by the name of OSWALD living at that address.

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The following investigation was conducted at New Orleans, Louisiana, on December 6, 1963, by SA LAWRENCE F. FOLSE:

A review of the City Directories for the City of New Orleans, Louisiana, disclosed the following information regarding the residence addresses of Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD:

- 1935 - LEE OSWALD resided at 808 Taft Place
- 1936 - No directory published
- 1937 - No directory published
- 1938 - LEE OSWALD, wife MARGUERITE, resided at 1917 Gallier Street
- 1939 - No directory published
- 1940 - MARGUERITE OSWALD, widow of LEE OSWALD, resided at 2109 Alvar Street
- 1941 - No directory published
- 1942 - MARGUERITE OSWALD resided at 831 Pauline Street

The old city directories contained no information regarding LEE or MARGUERITE OSWALD residing at the following addresses:

- 2132 Gallier Street
- 805 Greenwood
- 220 North Telemachus
- 123 South Cortez Street

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Mr. R. F. LEMOINE, Manager, Burt Shoe Store, 1117 Canal Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised he has only been employed at this particular store approximately two years. He had no recollection of the employment of Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD in 1954 although he was with the company at another New Orleans store at that time. He advised any application received from her would have been forwarded to the parent company, Edison Brothers Stores, 400 Washington Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, about two years after she ceased employment. He advised this store has never had more than three or four clerks, that he knows of no one who actually worked at this store about that time except Mr. BLUME AUSTIN, presently managing a store at 827 Canal Street. He advised he would have no records whatsoever at this time concerning any such employment.

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Mr. BLUME AUSTIN, Manager, Burt Shoe Store, 827 Canal Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised he managed the store at 1117 Canal Street until 1952, when he moved to his present job. He stated he knows of no one by the name of MARGUERITE OSWALD who may have worked at the other store, that he is relatively certain she did not work there while he managed it. He advised he would have no records concerning employees during 1954, that after two years, former employees' records are forwarded to St. Louis, Missouri, to the parent company, Edison Brothers Stores, 400 Washington Avenue. He advised he could recall no one presently employed by the company who may have been employed with Mrs. OSWALD.

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BETHLEHEM CHILDREN'S HOME

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Mr. EDWIN GREWE, Resident Director, Bethlehem Children's Home, 9100 Grant, advised that the Home was formerly known as the Evangelical Lutheran Bethlehem Orphan Asylum located at 5413 North Peters Street, New Orleans, Louisiana. Mr. GREWE advised that LEE HARVEY OSWALD and his brothers, ROBERT EDWARD OSWALD, JR., and JOHN EDWARD PIC were at the Orphan Asylum during the early 1940's. Mr. GREWE made available for inspection and copying all his records pertaining to LEE HARVEY OSWALD and his brothers but requested that the fact that LEE HARVEY OSWALD was at the Orphanage not be given any publicity if at all possible in view of the fact that he did not want the children presently at the Orphanage (Home) to know of this fact, particularly one child who has the same month and day of birth as LEE HARVEY OSWALD and who is already a problem at the Home.

Mr. GREWE made available the minutes of the Board of Directors meeting of the Evangelical Lutheran Bethlehem Orphan Asylum dated December 9, 1941, part of which concerned the OSWALDS as follows:

"A case was submitted to Pastor Nau from Redeemer Church involving a boy 10 years of age, one boy eight years and another two years. The Mother was married to a Mr. Pic who had died, later married to a Mr. Oswald who has also died. While she has some money left from insurance policies finds it necessary to seek employment and would like to have the children placed in the home. Pastor Nau was informed we could do nothing about the boy two years old, but something might be done about the other two children. Matter placed in the hands of the Committee with full power to act."

Mr. GREWE stated that the two year old boy referred to in the above minutes was LEE HARVEY OSWALD. He also made available the minutes of the Board of Directors meeting of the Evangelical Lutheran Bethlehem Orphan Asylum dated October 13, 1942, part of which concerned LEE HARVEY OSWALD as follows:

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"Pic-Oswald Case. The young boy having reached the proper age the committee was authorized to accept the boy into the Home. Board to be paid \$10.00 per month."

Also included in the records was an application blank dated December 26, 1942, for LEE HARVEY OSWALD for admission to the Evangelical Lutheran Bethlehem Orphan Asylum which contained the following information:

Name	Age	Born	Christened
OSWALD, LEE	3	10/19/39	At Redeemer by Reverend M. R. LE CRON
Father	<u>ROBERT LEE OSWALD</u> , dead, ADDRESS, not given		
Mother	<u>Mrs. L. OSWALD</u> , living, ADDRESS, <u>111 Sherwood Forest Drive</u>		
Occupation of party making application	<u>telephone operator</u>		
Can you contribute	<u>Yes</u>	If so, how much per month	<u>\$10.00</u>
	s/ Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD		
Date entered asylum	<u>12/26/42</u>	Redeemer	Church
		<u>F. C. GROTH</u>	<u>Superintendent</u>

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The following record was also included in the files of the Bethlehem Children's Home and was furnished for inspection and copying by Mr. GREWE:

"EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN BETHLEHEM ORPHAN ASYLUM  
(Application for Release of Children)

New Orleans, La., Jan. 29, 1944

" TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:  
"GENTLEMEN"

"I, the undersigned respectfully apply for release  
of Lee Oswald from your Home to me.

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"I promise to take him under my personal supervision and give him a Christian training according to the teachings and tenets of the Ev. Luthern Church.

Applicant Mrs. Marguerite C. Oswald  
Relation of applicant Mother

'Granted by the Board of Directors at a meeting held  
Jan. 11, 1944 ."

Mr. GREWE said the following letter written by Mrs. OSWALD to Reverend HONALD who is presently the Pastor of Christ's Church, 714 Caffin Avenue, was an attempt by Mrs. OSWALD to get the OSWALD boys back in the Home and the letter reads as follows:

"Feb 1, 1945  
4801 Victor  
Dallas, Texas

"My Dear Rev. Honald,

"I have just received your letter and it is apparent to me that there is a misunderstanding somewhere. My reasons for wishing to have the children return are due to the fact that when I marry I shall have to travel with my husband to such places as he may have to work. We are not able to establish a home now for the children because Mr. Ekdahl's work takes him *Texas* from city to city. We was only in Dallas a few months when he was transferred to New York then to Austin & now to Fort Worth. He expects shortly to be transferred to New York but then expects to be sent out again to some other locality for a few months. Under the circumstances it is impossible for us to take the children traveling, living at hotels and attempting to arrange for their schooling. For these reasons I think you will understand better why I wish to have the boys return to the home. They are more than willing to go. Since it was there home for the past few years I would rather they stay there than in some strange boarding school. I must ask you if you will please present these circumstances to the Board of Directors again and prevail upon them to reconsider their decision so that the boys may have a permanent place of adove in preference to moving them from school to school.

Yours truly,  
Mrs. Marguerite Oswald"

The above letter carried the written notation "rejected" at the top.

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The records also contained an application blank for admission to the Evangelical Lutheran Bethlehem Orphan Asylum for ROBERT EDWARD OSWALD, JR., which was dated January 3, 1942, and which contained the following information:

Name	AGE	Born	Christened on 4/29/34
OSWALD, ROBERT EDWARD, JR.	7	4/7/34 New Orleans	New Orleans by Rev. A. J. Evangelical Scherer
Father <u>Robert Ed Oswald</u>		Dead	Address <u>None</u>
Mother <u>Marg. Clarerie Oswald</u>		living	Address <u>831 Pauline St., Jan. 25, 1010 Bartholomew</u>

Date and Place of marriage July 19, 1933 - New Orleans, La.  
Can you contribute? \$10.00 If so, How much per month \$10.00.  
Will you supply shoes and clothing Yes.

s/ Mrs. Lee Oswald  
Mother

Approved 12/9/41  
Date entered Asylum 1/3/42  
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The records also contained an application blank for admission to the Evangelical Lutheran Bethlehem Orphan Asylum which pertained to both JOHN EDWARD PIC and ROBERT OSWALD, brothers of LEE HARVEY OSWALD. Application dated 12/23/41 and contained the following:

Name	age	Born	Christened
Pic, John Edward	9	1/17/32, New Orleans	Trinity Ave. Church
Oswald, Robert	7	4/7/34, New Orleans	Redeemer Church
Father <u>Edward John Pic</u>		Living	<u>New Orleans, La.</u>
Mother <u>Marguerite Clarerie Oswald</u>		living,	<u>1010 Bartholomew Street</u>
Date and Place of marriage <u>Gulfport, August 29, 1929</u>			
Occupation- <u>Housewife</u>			

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"Business Address 1010 Bartholomew Street

Can you contribute Yes If so, How much \$20.00 until  
working then readjusting.

Will you supply shoes and clothing Yes.

s/ unsigned"

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BENJAMIN KLEMMER, 1434 Alvar Street, advised that he was not sure if the OSWALD's were members of the Redeemer Lutheran Church at 1300 Alvar. He said, however, that a Doctor MANCUSO, had attended Mrs. OSWALD when she was pregnant with LEE HARVEY OSWALD. KLEMMER advised that MANCUSO lived at 1901 Alvar. (Note: New Orleans City Directory lists a MANCUSO at 2001 Alvar.)

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FRED HUTT, located at his place of business, 617 Piety Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that he was quite sure that Mrs. OSWALD was at one time a member of the Redeemer Lutheran Church at 1300 Alvar Street, but he said he did not know LEE HARVEY OSWALD. He advised that he had heard that the father of LEE HARVEY OSWALD had a heart attack and had died about the time Mrs. OSWALD was seven months pregnant with LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

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CHANDLER JOSEY, Chief Security Officer, Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that a search of the personnel records of Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company which date back to 1937 revealed no record of MARGUERITE OSWALD ever having been employed by the Company.

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*New Orleans, La.*  
 Reverend FRED MATTIL, Pastor, Redeemer Lutheran Church, 1300 Alvar Street, advised he had heard Mrs. OSWALD had been a member of his church years ago but said after a review of his records, which he admitted were not complete, that he had no records indicating any OSWALDS were members of his church or any record of LEE HARVEY OSWALD being baptized at the church.

Pastor MATTIL advised that FRED HUTT, a long-time resident of the area and member of the Redeemer Lutheran Church, would know if the OSWALDS were members of the church.

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Reverend ALBERT EICHELBERGER, Pastor, Trinity Lutheran Church, 624 Eliza Street, advised after a review of his baptismal records, that he had no record of LEE HARVEY OSWALD being baptized in 1939. He said, after a review of his records, that he had no record of any OSWALD being baptized at his church from 1925 to 1962.

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 Reverend EICHELBERGER advised that one of his members or someone had mentioned that the OSWALDS were Lutheran and that the OSWALD boys, the two elder boys and LEE HARVEY, had been placed in a Lutheran Orphanage when they were young. EICHELBERGER said the only Lutheran home for boys in the New Orleans area is the Bethlehem Home located at 9100 Grant.

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FAIR PLAY FOR CUBA COMMITTEE

The April 6, 1960 edition of "The New York Times" newspaper contained a full-page advertisement captioned "What Is Really Happening in Cuba", placed by the Fair Play for Cuba Committee (FPCC). This advertisement announced the formation of the FPCC in New York City and declared the FPCC intended to promulgate "the truth about revolutionary Cuba" to neutralize the distorted American press.

"The New York Times" edition of January 11, 1961, reported that at a hearing conducted before the United States Senate Internal Security Subcommittee on January 10, 1961, Dr. Charles A. Santos-Buch identified himself and Robert Taber as organizers of the FPCC. He also testified he and Taber obtained funds from the Cuban Government which were applied toward the cost of the aforementioned advertisement.

On May 16, 1963, a source advised that during the first two years of the FPCC's existence there was a struggle between Communist Party (CP) and Socialist Workers Party (SWP) elements to exert their power within the FPCC and thereby influence FPCC policy. However, during the past year this source observed there has been a successful effort by FPCC leadership to minimize the role of these and other organizations in the FPCC so that today their influence is negligible.

On May 20, 1963, a second source advised that the National Headquarters of the FPCC is located in Room 329 at 799 Broadway, New York City. According to this source, the position of National Office Director was created in the Fall of 1962 and was filled by Vincent "Ted" Lee, who now formulates FPCC policy. This source observed Lee has followed a course of entertaining and accepting the cooperation of many other organizations including the CP and the SWP when he has felt it would be to his personal benefit as well as the FPCC's. However, Lee has indicated to this source he has no intention of permitting FPCC policy to be determined by any other organization. Lee feels the FPCC should advocate resumption of diplomatic relations between Cuba and the United States and support the right of Cubans to manage their revolution without interference from other nations, but not support the Cuban revolution per se.

The CP and the SWP have been designated pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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