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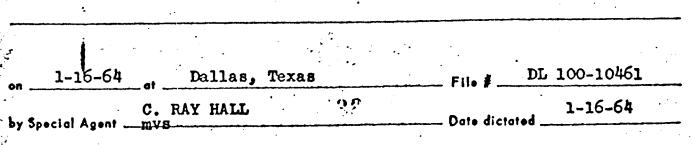
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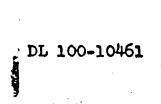
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Mrs. RALPH LEON YATES, 13564 Brookgreen, Dallas, Texas, advised that on January 14, 1964, after her husband had been at the FBI Office in Dallas, Texas, she went with her husband to Parkland Hospital in Dallas. After contacting doctors there, RALPH LEON YATES was admitted as a patient, and placed in Woodlawn Hospital, for observation and psychiatric treatment for a period of ten days to two weeks.

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D. Investigation to Locate WILLIAM McEWAN DUFF Who Was Allegedly Seen with LEE HARVEY OSWALD Seven or Eight Months Ago

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On December 10, 1963, JOE LORIA, a restaurant operator in Dallas, Texas, stated that approximately seven or eight months ago, he saw individual known to him only as "SCOTTIE" who was subsequently identified as DUFF, with an individual believed to be LKE HARVEY OSWALD. He based his identification on photographs of OSWALD that he had seen in Dallas newspapers and could recall only one time that he thought he saw OSWALD and "SCOTTIE" together.

The following investigation was conducted by SA WILLIAN G. BROOKHART at Dallas, Texas:

Willis Advised that she met WILLIAM McEWAN DUFF who she also knew as "SCOTTIE" and "SANDY", while she was traveling on a Greyhound Bus from Vancouver, B. C. through Seattle, Washington. Miss BERNARD advised that she believes that DUFF got on the bus at Seattle, Washington. He told her that he was an Engineer working for the Boeing Aircraft Company out of Conde Los Angeles, California and had been to a convention of Boeing employees at Seattle.

DUFF went on to Los Angeles and Miss BERNARD continued to Dallas. Shortly afterwards, he came to Dallas and they were married in November of 1962. He lived with her at her apartment located at 5201 Willis for approximately three or four weeks, all the while claiming that he was expecting a paycheck to be forwarded from Boeing at Los Angeles. He never received this check and Miss BERNARD called DUFF's uncle, WILLIAM McEWAN, at South San Gabriel, California, who told her that DUFF was a pathological liar. Miss BERNARD said that she had spoken to McBWAN on one or two occasions previous to that time and McEWAN said that he had never mentioned this fact because he believed that Miss BERNARD was just another one of DUFF's girl friends. Mr. McEWAN told Miss BERNARD that DUFF had never been an Engineer working for Boeing, and that he had sent DUFF bus fare to get back to Los Angeles. MoBWAN added that if DUFF had been any kind of an engineer at any time, it would have been a locomotive engineer, which was DUFF's profession in Scotland.

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Miss BERNARD advised that after she learned that DUFF was a pathological liar, she had her marriage to him annulled at Dallas, Texas in December, 1962. She said she threw him out of the house and did not allow him to return to pick up any of his belongings. Among these personal belongings was an expired British Passport, No. G.213108, for WILLIAM McEWAN DUFF. This passport indicated that he was a British subject and citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies. The passport indicated that he was a Locomotive Fireman, born November 4, 1931, Grangemouth, Scotland, 5' 82", blue eyes, dark brown hair, appendix scar. This passport expired October 19, 1961, however, it indicated that DUFF was admitted to the United States at New York on May 11, 1957.

Miss BERNARD advised that there was a photograph of DUFF indicating that he had been in the U. S. Air Force; the photograph contained the name of WILLIAM M. DUFF, AF 19607309.

Also in the passport book was a shoe repair stub, No. 8632, from the Family Shoe Service, 505 West Lancaster Boulevard, Lancaster, California. On the back of this stub was printed the name "MARGARET FAIRCHILD, Box 109, Monte Vista, Colorado".

Miss BERNARD advised that DUFF made many extravagant claims about his associates and said that he was a cousin of movie actor HOWARD DUFF; however, she feels that this was untrue as he made other such wild claims. The only person that she believes he knew in Dallas was a man by the name WILLIAM A. REED of 3327 Topeka, Dallas, who DUFF claimed to have met in Los Angeles, California. T_{CXAS}

Miss BERNARD advised that she doubted if DUFF would ever contact her, but in the event that he did she would advise the Dallas FBI Office.

On January 12, 1964, Mr. DON MAY, Clerk, Identification Bureau of the Dallas Police Department, advised that

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WILLIAM MCEWAN DUFF, 4919 San Jacinto, Dallas, Texas, Dallas PD No. 52495, was arrested on April 18, 1963 for investigation of swindle and released April 18, 1963. There was also a wanted person report of October 26, 1963 for residence burglary, No. F-78892. Mr. MAY advised that an FBI Identification Record dated April 24, 1963 for DUFF under FBI No. 483264E, indicated that DUFF was also arrested by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office on December 11, 1960 for drunk driving under SO No. B 743533. DUFF's fingerprint classification was:

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Mr. MAY advised that there were no other arrests for DUFF by the Dallas Police Department.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA WILLIAM G. BROOKHART in an effort to locate WILLIAM MC EWAN DUFF:

On January 10, 1964, Mr. CHARLES H. HOLLOWAY, Apartment 123, 5420 Lewis Street, was re-Interviewed at his place of employment, Skillern's Drug Store, 5605 East Grand Avenue, Dallas, Mf. HOLLOWAY advised that he recalls after talking to the FBI, that he met WILLIAM MC EWAN DUFF during May, 1963. He said that he was able to verify this fact since he bought a new automobile on May 9, 1963, and DUFF was with him when he picked up the car.

Mr. HOLLOWAY said that he believes that a woman by the name of PAULINE M. MINTON, a real estate broker who resides at 4216 Lomo Alto, Dallas, was known to DUFF since he recalls taking DUFF over to this address or some address very close to this address to pick up some clothes. HOLLOWAY said that it is possible DUFF was "bumming off" PAULINE MINTON as he has done with almost everyone else that he has had any contact with.

HOLLOWAY said that DUFF also claimed to have worked for GEORGE BIRNIE, 3834 Casa Ridge, the owner of Tryor Birnie Bows", 12429 North Central Expressway, Dallas. HOLLOWAY said that he does not know whether this was true, however, DUFF had a "Birnie Bow" which is a hunting or target bow made by GEORGE BIRNIE.

HOLLOWAY said that he also believes that DUFF knew TCXC.S. the man who runs DEE'S Lounge", 3220 North Fitzhugh, Dallas, TCXC.S. HOLLOWAY said that DUFF has been in this place and acted as if he were friendly with the manager.

HOLLOWAY said that it is possible that DUFF may have also known two girls by the name INGRID and VERA, both last in names unknown, who are employed by the Merchants State Bank on Ross Avenue in the vicinity of Sears-Roebuck. HOLLOWAY said that these girls also live in the apartment building at his address, 5420 Lewis Street. Pallac Texas

It should be noted that the Dallas Police Department record of DUFF indicated that he lived at 4919 San Jacinto, <u>Dallas</u>, Texas.

On January 12, 1964, Mrs. OLIVE/SABRACE, manager of 4919 San Jacinto, said that there was no record of anyone by the name of WILLIAM DUFF or WILLIAM MCDUFF having resided at 4919 San Jacinto. She said it is possible that this man may have stayed with some other tenant and gave this as an address. Mrs. SABRACE said that she has only been the manager of this apartment building since August, 1963; however, the owner, Mr. J. A. BOZEMAN, address unknown, telephone DA 1-9003, may be able to furnish some information concerning DUFF, since he would have more complete records. MIG, TCX65

On January 13, 1964, Mr. JEEF WOOSLEY, supervisor clerk, INS, Dallas, Texas, advised that he had not received any Information to date concerning WILLIAM MCEWAN DUFF, however, DUFF would have to submit an Alien Registration Notice sometime during January, 1964. Mr. WOOSLEY advised that even though

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this was the case, his office in Dallas would not necessarily know anything about the current address of DUFF until at least April since the alien registration address reports will not be in alphabetical order until that time. These address reports will be in order of nationality for Iron Curtain countries only, and aliens from other countries such as Great Britain, would not be in this order. If DUFF registers in another district, it will be filed in that district and they will never notify the Dallas Office of INS unless DUFF furnishes a previous address of Dallas. The Central INS Office at Washington, D.C. will never get one of these cards.

Mr. WOOSLEY advised that he has placed a flash notice at INS in Dallas, so if by chance a card comes in for DUFF, he will immediately notify the Dallas FBI Office.

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Mr. S. W. BLANKENSHIP who operates a cafe at Duncanville, Texas, advised he believes LEE HARVEY OSWALD, whose photograph he has seen in the newspaper, is the person he overheard making derogatory remarks against President KENNEDY about two months ago at the auto salvage place at Ten Mile Creek, Highway 67, near Dallas. BLANKENSHIP said he thought it possible OSWALD would be known to the operators or employees of this wrecking company.

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Mr. JACK/FARRELL, co-operator, Ten Mile Salvage Company, Duncanville, Texas, advised he could not recall any Incident when any person at this place of business had made derogatory remarks concerning former President KENNEDY. He stated further he did not know either LEE HARVEY OSWALD or JACK RUBY. Mr. FARRELL examined photographs of both OSWALD and RUBY but could make no identification of them except that he had seen them on TV.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA'S ARNOLD J. BROWN and MALON L. JENNINGS: On November 26, 1963, Mr. LLOYD W. HILBERT, residence 1440 West Gambrell, employment 100 University Drive, Fort Worth, Texas, advised that on November 18, 1963 he was in a meeting with GEORGE SAULTANIAN and JOHN ADGER in the lobby of the Blackstone Hotel. Fort Inf. Tryos

HILBERT stated he overheard an individual making a telephone call to North Manchester, Indiana. He stated that he was standing close by and introduced himself to this individual and asked the individual if he was from North Manchester, Indiana. This individual had said, have been there". HILBERT stated that the individual apparently was making a person-to-person call to someone at the Indiana Lawrence Bank & Trust Company, North Manchester, Indiana. HILBERT stated that he did not hear any conversation that this individual had with the party on the other end of the line. He stated that the man gave his name as OSWALD. HILBERT stated he is sure that the individual stated his first name, but HILBERT did not recall it." HILBERT stated that this individual was somewhat aloof, and they did not actually engage in any conversation because about the time he spoke to this individual, the connection was made on the other end of the line. He stated that the individual was dressed in a blue military type of uniform and was holding his hat.

HILBERT stated that this individual had the same general physical appearance of LEE OSWALD, but he could not identify the pictures of OSWALD that he has seen in the newspapers and on television as being the individual with whom he spoke in the lobby of the Blackstone Hotel. HILBERT stated it was his recollection that the conversation with OSWALD occurred at approximately 4:30 to 4:45 P.M. on November 18, 1963.

On November 26, 1963, Mr. GEORGE/SAULTANIAN, residence 4851 East Line Road, Fort Worth, Texas, employment 100 University Drive, advised that he recalled that LLOYD HILBERT had spoken to an individual in the lobby of the Blackstone Hotel on November 18, 1963, and this individual was in a military uniform. SAULTANIAN believed the individual was a Second Lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force.

SAULTANIAN advised that it was his recollection that this individual identified himself by name as LEE OSWALD. He stated this immediately came to his mind when he heard the news broadcast that LEE OSWALD had been arrested and subsequently charged with the assassination of President KENNEDY.

SAULTANIAN stated as he recalled when Mr. HILBERT spoke to the individual who stated his name was OSWALD, that it was approximately 2:00 P.M. SAULTANIAN was questioned further about the time of the occurrence, and he stated that he could not recall just what time the conversation took place. SAULTANIAN insisted that this individual introduced himself as LEE.

On November 26, 1963, Mr. B. B. HANNA, Resident Manager, Blackstone Hotel, 601 Main Street, Fort Worth, Texas, made available his registrations for the period-November 17-20, 1963, and no registration was located under the name of OSWALD or HIDELL.

The following investigation was conducted by SA MARVIN L. ARMSTRONG:

On November 29, 1963, JERRY MOORE, Cashier, Indiana Lawrence Bank and Trust Company, North Manchester, Indiana, advised Lieutenant JAMES R. (OSWALD, Box 1511, Carswell AFE, Texas, called at the bank late afternoon Monday, believed November 18, 1963, asking credit reference in application for FHA loan there. JAMES R. OSWALD known at Indiana Lawrence Bank, and bank records fail to reflect dealings with LEE HARVEY OSWALD in that name or others used by him.

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On December 19, 1963, Special Agent DEL D. DRAKE, Jr. interviewed JAMES DOUGLAS WATSON at Paris, Texas and Mr. WATSON advised that he believed on one occasion while living in Dallas, Texas that he had observed LEE HARVEY OSWALD having coffee at a restaurant which would have been either the Clifton Hotel, the El Fenix Cafe or the Beckley Cafe.

On December 31, 1963, SA's ARTHUR E. CARTER and WILL HAYDEN GRIFFIN contacted Mrs. FLOXCLEMENTS, manager of the El Fenix Cafe at 120 East Colorado, Dallas, Texas, and she advised that the El Fenix Cafe is open from 11:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M. daily. She said she was familiar with LEE HARVEY OSWALD's appearance through recent publicity on TV and in the Dallas newspapers, but she had no recollection of ever having seen him in the El Fenix Cafe. She made inquiry of other regular employees and was unable to determine that any of them had ever seen LEE HARVEY OSWALD at any time.

Mrs. CLEMENTS said she recalled JACK RUBY had been in the restaurant on a very few occasions, some four or more years ago, but he had not been in to her knowledge in recent years. She said she knew of no connection between OSWALD and RUBY. $\hat{m}c$

On December 31, 1963, Mr. 2. B. OWEN and his wife, MARY, who operate the Colorado Towers Coffee Shop, formerly known as the Clifton Hotel Cafe, at 214 West Colorado, telephone number WH. 6-0040, Dallas, Texas, Each advised that they had never observed LEE HARVEY OSWALD or JACK RUBY in the cafe at any time. They contacted their other employees who advised them that they had never seen either LEE HARVEY OSWALD or JACK RUBY in the cafe. Mr. and Mrs. OWEN said they had no knowledge of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and had never been acquainted with JACK RUBY, and knew of no connection between OSWALD and RUBY.

On January 6, 1964, J. DXKELLY, owner, Beckley Cafe, 113 West Jefferson, Dallas, Texas, advised SA's CARTER and GRIFFIN that he had no knowledge concerning LEE HARVEY

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and was unable to recall that OSWALD had ever been a patron of his cafe. He said one customer, whose identity he was unable to recall, had said shortly after the assassination of President KENNEDY, that he believed LEE HARVEY OSWALD had been in the cafe on one occasion and that OSWALD moved when this customer attempted to engage him in conversation.

Mr. KELLY questioned his waiters and waitresses and said that none of them recalled OSWALD or JACK RUBY every having been in the cafe. He said he had no knowledge of either OSWALD or RUBY and knew of no association between them.

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Under date of December 30, 1963, the Las Vegas Office advised as follows:

On December 30, 1963, CHOLF WAXWELL, Clerk, Motor Vehicle Registration, Cargon City, Nevada, advised he had Teceived a telegram dated December 28, 1963 at Dallas from TONY COLLITIE (COLLITTI), 3034 Grafton, Dallas, Texas, requesting registration information on Nevada License C91186, on a 1956 Buick convertible. He said his records indicated the car had VIN 402047790 and was originally registered to EDWARD and/or JERRIAUBIN, 1913 Weldon Place, Las Vegas, Nevada. On June 3, 1961, the car was transferred to HERBERT W. OSWALD, 1736 Las Vegas Boulevard North, Las Vegas, Nevada. On July 10, 1962, the car was transferred to C. M. ANDERSON, 1736 North Main Street, North Las Vegas, Nevada, who was issued Nevada License C91186, which license plate expired June 30, 1963 and car not currently licensed in Nevada, although ANDERSON is listed as legal owner. - ---- (Rev. 3-3-59)

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ANTHONY TONY CHARLES COILITTI, 3034 Grafton, Dallas. Texas advised that he is self-employed as a skip chaser and a decorator.

He said as a result of his "skip chaser" business, he had occasion to observe a 1956 Buick in the 2100 block of Brvay where it had been apparently abandoned for some time; so he contacted the Department of Motor Vehicles in Nevada concerning this car to attempt to establish whether or not it had been stolen.

He said to him recovery of such a car meant "a hundred dollar bill". He produced a letter from the Department of Motor Vehicles, State of Nevada, dated December 30, 1963 that referred to a 1962 Nevada License C91186, Serial Number 4C2047790, and the letter indicated this car was registered to C. M. ANDERSON, 1736 North Main, North Las Vegas, Nevada, on a Buick, 1956 model, convertible, Model 46-C. The license number was issued July 10, 1962 to the legal owner, C. M. ANDERSON and a Nevada title was issued on July 10, 1962, and there was no stolen report on record with EMV, Nevada.

The letter was signed by RICHARD HERZ, Chief of the Registration Division.

Mr. COLLITTI said he has known JACK RUBY, operator of the Vegas and Carousel Clubs in Dallas, Texas for about three years inasmuch as he has attended shows at the two clubs on a few occasions. He said he had never had any close association with RUBY and knew of no relationship or association between RUBY and LEE HARVEY OSWALD. He said he had no knowledge whatsoever of OSWALD except what he had read about him in the newspapers and observed on TV subsequent to the assassination of President KENNEDY in Dallas, Texas.

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CARL MARVIN ANDERSON, advised that he currently resides at 1508 Corinth in Dallas, Texas and he formerly resided at 1736 North Main, North Las Vegas, Nevada, and while living in Nevada he purchased a 1956 Bulck convertible with Nevada License C91186, on July 10, 1962. He said he currently has this car with him in Dallas, Texas and it is parked at 1508 Corinth. He said he bought the car from HERBERT W. OSWALD who resided at 1800 McCarran, North Las Vegas, Nevada, and Mr. OSWALD is employed as a bartender at 1840 Las Vegas Boulevard North, in Las Vegas, Nevada. He said he does not know JACK RUBY nor LEE HARVEY OSWALD of Dallas, Texas and knows of no relationship between the OSWALD in North Las Vegas, Nevada and LEE HARVEY OSWALD of Dallas, Texas, He said he plans to register the Buick again in the State of Nevada, but does not have the current license for the automobile.

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HILLARD HAMPTON JONES, <u>3927 Peachtree Road</u>, <u>Mesquite</u>, Texas, came to the Dallas Field Office, FBI, advising he wished to furnish some information to the FBI. He related the following information:

Approximately two months before the assassination of President JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, JONES was walking down Main Street, in Dallas, Texas. At the intersection of Harwood and Main Streets, near City Hall, an individual who was approximately "7 or 8 feet tall and may have been 4 feet tall" approached JONES and said, "Jones, you're an intelligent man. You're a person who can't be taken in and you can help." This person related to JONES that he was going to kill President JOHN F. KENNEDY and had picked JONES to help him. Two days later, JONES received a telephone call from the same man, who advised JONES generally the same thing and that there were "others" and that JONES would be killed if he told the police, or the FBI.

JONES was requested to explain how the person whom he met on the street knew him by name, and JONES could not explain how the man knew him. JONES stated he did not give this person his name or telephone number and could not explain how this person could look up his telephone number without having his full name. JONES stated he did not know who the man was, and even after seeing LEE HARVEY OSWALD'S picture on television, he did not know that the man who approached him on the street was OSWALD. He later came to believe that this man was OSWALD; however, JONES could not explain when or how he reached the conclusion that the person was OSWALD.

A group of photographs, among which was a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and JACK RUBY, was displayed to JONES. JONES was unable to identify the photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

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He readily identified the photograph of JACK RUBY. JONES statedhe had never seen JACK RUBY, except through newspaper pictures.

JONES stated he cannot read or write, but he listens to radio and television and can "sense things". He liked to listen to President KENNEDY'S speeches and thought they were very good and he thought President KENNEDY was a great man and "would like to be a great man like President Kennedy". He would not have gone along with this man, "but meant to bring the FBI and police into it". Although, he believes he would have been killed for telling the authorities.

JONES feels he is being watched by members of a group connected with LEE HARVEY OSWALD, but could not elaborate on where or how he is being watched, or who these alledged persons are.

JONES requested to have the FBI give him a small radio which he could carry in the inside of his jacket in order to get in touch with the FBI if he needed to.

JONES asked the interviewing Special Agents if they believed him, and expressed the belief he did not think that the interviewing Special Agents believed him because his story was "unbelievable". He asked if there were other persons "like me" who came to the FBI with such information. He expressed fear he would be arrested for having told his story.

JONES admitted an arrest in Dallas for intoxication, and said he had been admitted to "Austin State School" when he was 12-14 years of age, where he was subjected to some "tests". He stated he had not gone beyond the fourth grade in school. While he was at the "Austin State School", he was suffering from tuberculosis, which was cured. He was admitted to Parkland Hospital, Dallas, for "stomach trouble" over two months ago, prior to the time he had met the above alledged individual. The doctors told him, after x-raying his stomach, that there was nothing wrong with him and he was released.

JONES stated that his father, WILL JONES, is deceased and he lives with his mother at his present residence. JONES said that he had a brother who died at the age of 25 with a brain tumor, which developed into cancer. JONES added that he had been married for approximately two months, but this "did not work out". His wife's name was SANDRA JONES, address unknown.

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JONES related that he is currently unemployed; however, when he works, he usually works as a laborer. He could not recall his year of birth, but believes he was born on January 8, at Pampa, Texas.

Following is a description of JONES, as obtained through observation and interview:

Name		Mes HILLARD HAMPTON JONES
Race	•	White
Nationality		American
Sex		Male
Born		January 8, year unknown,
-		at Pampa, Texas

Height Weight Hair Eyes Complexion Residence

Parents

Occupation Previous employment

Military Service

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5'9" 115 pounds Brown, receding Brown Fair 3927 Peachtree Road, Mesquite, Texas BERTHA HOWARD, mother, "same address; WILL JONES, father, deceased No Locality Unemployed laborer Lakewood Country Club, Gaston Road, Dallas, Texas, as a Kitchen Steward, in 1963; Continental Bus Station Drug Store, 1963 Claims service in U.S. Army Reserve and claims to have been discharged because of not passing a test

VI. ALLEGATIONS REGARDING ACQUAINTANCESHIP OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD AND JACK L. RUBY

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Information has previously been reported that JOE R.AFRANKLIN, an inmate of the Texas Department of Corrections, Huntsville, Texas, alleged that in October, 1962, he met an Individual who identified himself as OSWALD, and that OSWALD introduced him to JACK RUBY. FRANKLIN indicated that he and OSWALD went to a JACK's Bar at Dallas, located near the traffic circle, where the highway to Grapevine meets : Harry Hines Boulevard.

On December 19, 1963, the area of Dallas, Texas known as the traffic circle, where Texas northwest highway 114, Harry Hines Boulevard and Shasta Drive all converge, was spot-checked by SA JAMES R. GRAHAM, Jr. No "JACK's Bar" was observed during this spot-oheck, and a general inquiry of various service station operators and attendants in this area, failed to reveal any information regarding a "JACK's Bar".

A check of the Dallas City Directories for 1961, 1962 and 1963, failed to reflect any listing for a "JACK's Bar" in Dallas, Texas.

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- VII. BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION
 - A. Employment Investigation Relative to Subject's Past Employment
 - B. Relatives Interviews With and Data Concerning
 - 1. Mrs. MARGUERITE C. OSWALD Mother
 - 2. ROBERT LEE OSWALD Brother
 - Mrs. ROBERT LEE (VADA) OSWALD Sister-in-law

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- 4. Mrs. STANLEY (VIRGINIA) PERRY Alleged
- Relative
- C. Associates, Acquaintances, and Others Allegedly in Past Contact with Subject
- D. MARINA NIKOLAEVNA OSWALD, nee PRUSAKOVA, aka Mrs. LEE HARVEY OSWALD - Interviews with and Data Concerning
- E. Subject's Address Book

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The following investigation was conducted by SA WILLIAM G. BROOKHART:

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It is noted that an American Bakery Company pay stub was found in a search of the apartment located at 214 West Neely Street, Dallas, Texas, which was the residence of LEE HARVEY OSWALD from March 2, 1963, to April 1, 1963. This stub appeared to belong to one JAMES A. JACKSON. An interview with JACKSON has established that he once resided at 214 West Neely Street.

On January 8, 1964, Mr. JAMES A. JACKSON, 5107 Junius Street, was re-interviewed, at which time he furnished the following information:

Mr. JACKSON advised that on August 17, 1960, he was employed by the American Bakery Company, 2301 South Ervay, Dallas, Texas. At this same time, he recalls moving to 1202 McKee, Dallas, and that approximately one year later, in August, 1961, he and his wife moved into the apartment located at 214 West Neely, Dallas, Texas. Mr. JACKSON advised that he and his wife stayed at this address approximately eight or nine months, until April or May, 1962. Then they moved to 701 North Boulevard Terrace, Dallas, Texas, where they stayed until June or July, 1963, at which time he and his wife, SALLY ANN JACKSON, were separated.

MRS. James H. Jack

During the entire time he resided at 214 West Neely, he does not recall ever having known anyone by the name of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and has no idea how OSWALD may have come into possession of an American Bakery Company pay stub with his name on it, unless this pay stub was probably dropped somewhere in the apartment and remained there after they left.

Relatives - Interviews With and Data Concerning в.

- Mrs. MARGUERITE C. OSWALD Mother ROBERT LEE OSWALD Brother 1.
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Mrs. ROBERT LEE (VADA) OSWALD - Sister-in-law Mrs. STANLEY (VIRGINIA) PERRY - Alleged 3.

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- - Relative

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1. Mrs. MARGUERITE C. OSWALD - Mother

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Mrs. MARGUERITE C. KOSWALD, 2220 Thomas Place, was interviewed at her request. She stated that on December 21, 1963, she received her telephone bill from the Southwestern Bell. Telephone Company in Fort Worth, Texas. On this bill, there was a long distance call recorded from Dallas, Texas, made on November 22, 1963, at 9:40 PM, the charge for which was 35c. Mrs. OSWALD KA. stated she was not at her residence to accept such a call on that date, and that no one else was there to accept such call. She stated she was in Dallas on the night of November 22, 1963.

Mrs. OSWALD stated she contacted the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company and learned that the call made to her residence and to her telephone number, PE 7-7677, was from Dallas telephone number RI 9-9926, and that the call was made by a Mr. NORMAN SPARY. Mrs. OSWALD learned that the Shaw Estes Construction Company of Dallas was supposed to have telephone number RI 9-9926. She stated she had also learned that such number was not listed to the Shaw Estes Company.

. Mrs. OSWALD stated she is not acquainted with anyone by the name of NORMAN SPARY, and does not know why he would try to contact her, unless he had some information concerning the assassination of President KENNEDY. She stated she had never heard LEE HARVEY OSWALD speak of anyone by the name of NORMAN, SPARY.

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The following investigation was conducted on January 2, 1964, by SA'S VERNON MITCHEM and JOHN T. KESLER:

Mr. KENNETH SIMMONS, Personnel Manager, Shaw Estes Construction Company, 1407 South Akard Street, Dallas, Texas, advised that company has no employee by the name of NORMAN SPARY.

Mr. SIMMONS further advised that Shaw Estes Construction Company has telephone number RI 1-4924, and RI 9-9926 is not one of their telephone sumbers.

On January 9, 1964 Confidential Informant DL T-3 advised SA ROBERT C. LISH that telephone number RI 9-9926 is a non-existent telephone number at Dallas, Texas. FD-302 (Rev. 3-3-59)

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Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD, 2220 Thomas Place, mother of LEE HARVEY OSWALD, was contacted to ascertain some addresses of LEE HARVEY OSWALD during 1944-46. Mrs. OSWALD furnished the following information: Fast Worth Taxas

She stated that in 1944, she and her family resided on Bartholomew Street, in New Orleans, Louisiana. She said she does not recall the exact address, but that the home was located near the Nola Theater on this street. She said that in the latter part of 1944, or the early part of 1945, exact dates not recalled, she sold the house on Bartholomew Street and moved to 4801 Victor Street, in Dallas, Texas. She said that her son, LEE HARVEY, moved with her to Dallas, from New Orleans, but that the other two boys stayed at a Lutheran home in New Orleans. Mrs. OSWALD said she lived on Victor Street, in Dallas, during 1945; and in 1946, exact date not recalled, she moved to Fort Worth, Texas. FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Mr. SANER DAVIS, King Candy Company, 813 E. Ninth, furnished the following information. Records of this company reflect Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD was employed by King Candy Company in August of 1958. She terminated her services in June of 1959. During this time, she was employed as a Saleslady in the candy department of Fair Ridglea Department Store. During the latter part of her employment, a jar fell from a shelf and hit her on the nose. She filed a claim against the company and employed an attorney. The injury was slight, but the case was settled for approximately \$2750. LEE HARVEY OSWALD was never employed by this company. There was no derogatory information concerning the loyalty of Mrs. OSWALD.

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LLOYD HINKLE advised he was the President of the Continental State Bank of Boyd, Texas. He stated he vaguely recalled MARGUERITE OSWALD as a former resident of Boyd and former customer of the bank.

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He said Mrs. OSWALD operated a small variety shop on Main Street, which was located in the building that Ray's Cafe now occupies.

He stated Mrs. OSWALD appeared to have few friends in Boyd and she operated her shop for approximately three months before closing it.

He was of the impression that at some period of time during Mrs. OSWALD's residence in Boyd she had made a trip to Washington, D. C.

He stated that the landlord of the shop would be a Mrs. BERKE, of Fort Worth, Texas. HINKLE advised he believed Mr. WELDON MUNN and Mrs. SPENCER, both of Boyd, had known Mrs. OSWALD.

HINKLE further advised that at the time Mrs. OSWALD lived in Boyd he did not know her son, LEE HARVEY, had defected to Russia and he doubted that anyone else in Boyd had known it.

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The records of the Continental State Bank, Boyd, Texas, reflect a checking account in the name of M. C. YOSWALD. The account was opened September 22, 1960 and Closed January 4, 1961. The balance in the account never exceeded \$100 and was frequently less than \$50.00.

The above information is available only upon the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum which subpoena should be directed to Mr. LLOYD HINKLE, President, Continental State Bank of Boyd, Texas.

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WELDON MUNN, Munn's Farm Store, advised he vaguely recalled MARGUERITE OSWALD running a variety store in Boyd in the latter part of 1960.

MUNN stated he did not know Mrs. OSWALD's son, LEE HARVEY, had defected to Russia and he doubted that anyone else in Boyd had known it. He said Mrs. OSWALD's son, ROBERT, had married a MERCER girl, who lived on a farm near Boyd. MUNN advised the only people in Boyd who might know Mrs. OSWALD would be Mr. & Mrs. NORRIS SPENCER and Mr. SHIFLET, who ran the filling station in Boyd.

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JUANITA SPENCER stated that MARGUERITE OSWALD was a former employer of hers when Mrs. OSWALD ran a shop in Boyd, Texas.

She said Mrs. OSWALD had a small shop and sold yard goods, sewing notions, and took orders for ready-made clothing. Mrs. SPENCER said she did sowing for Mrs. OSWALD on special orders, particularly western shirts, as Mrs. OSWALD was not a very proficient seamstress.

Mrs. SPENCER said that Mrs. OSWALD was a very quiet woman and had very faw friends in Boyd. She said the only friend she could think of would be HELEN WALKER, the postmistress.

Mrs. SPENCER advised Mrs. OSWALD was forced to close her shop because of a lack of business after a few months. She said she was not aware of LEE HARVEY OSWALD's defection to Russia and she did not know anyone in Boyd, except possibly HELEN WALKER, who might have known of this incident.

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<u>MIT 174 NORRISSPENCER</u> advised that his wife, JUANITA, Jencer used to do sewing orders for Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD when she operated her shop in Boyd, Texas.

SPENCER said he operated the frozen food locker across the street from where Mrs. OSWALD's shop was formerly located. SPENCER said that MARGUERITE OSWALD appeared to be a "peculiar type of woman" and had very little, if any, friends in Boyd. He stated she lived in the back of her shop and she made frequent and strongly worded complaints w to the townspeople that boys were running across her roof at night. SPENCER added he believed her complaints to be largely imaginary.

SPENCER said that, at the time Mrs. OSWALD operated her shop, Mr. WILLIAM SPAKES operated a print shop adjacent to Mrs. OSWALD, and he might be able to furnish information on her.

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ROSCOE, SHIFLET advised that he owned and operated a Phillips "66" Gas Station in Boyd, Texas. He stated he recalled MARGUERITE OSWALD as a former resident of Boyd, and that he had occasionally serviced her old, two-tone Buick.

SHIFLET said he knew Mrs. OSWALD only vaguely, but he did know her son, ROBERT, married the daughter of RUTH/MERCER, a farming woman who lived outside of Boyd. Texas

SHIFLET said he recalled Mrs. OSWALD making a trip to Washington, D. C., during the time she lived in Boyd, but he did not connect this in his mind with the defection of LEE HARVEY OSWALD. He stated he doubted that anyone in Boyd, aside of perhaps HELEN WALKER, was aware that Mrs. OSWALD's son had gone to Russia.

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HELENTWALKER advised she is the Postmistress... of Boyd, Texas. She stated she regarded MARGUERITE OSWALD as a former friend of hers. She said that while Mrs. OSWALD operated her shop in Boyd, Texas, she was a very lonely, friendless woman.

WALKER said, in her opinion, Mrs. OSWALD's business had failed due to several factors, including lack of capital, the fact that Mrs. OSWALD was not a good seamstress, and the fact that there was little or no demand for her merchandise. WALKER pointed out that several businesses of a similar nature have appeared in Boyd and closed shortly thereafter.

WALKER said she was aware of the fact that Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD's son, LEE HARVEY, had defected to Russia. In fact, Mrs. OSWALD had made a trip to Washington, D. C., regarding this matter. WALKER stated that she doubted that anyone else in Boyd, Texas, had knowledge of the defection of OSWALD.

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Mrs. R. O. BERKE, 3251 Olive Place, advised that her husband, now deceased, and she had been landlords of Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD during the latter part of 1960. She stated she had retained no records on her previous tenants and the information she would give would have to be from memory.

BERKE advised that, in the Fall of 1960, Mrs. OSWALD contacted her and her husband and wanted to rent a small business place in Fort Worth to operate a dress shop. OSWALD indicated she could not pay over \$30.00 a month and the BERKES advised her that they had no such place for rent in Fort Worth. However, the BERKES were able to interest Mrs. OSWALD in a small shop in Boyd, Texas, which they rented to her for \$30.00 a month.

Mrs. BERKE advised she had very little contact with Mrs. OSWALD, as her husband usually collected the rent. However, she stated Mrs. OSWALD was a tenant who was "very hard to please" and frequently gave them much trouble about very small details in the shop. BERKE advised she could not be more specific on this point but she felt, in her mind, that Mrs. OSWALD was simply a complaining type.

BERKE stated Mrs. OSWALD's business did very poorly and she vacated her place and surrendered her lease about three months after renting it.

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WILLIAM M SPAKES, 3900 Kimbo, advised he was a printer by trace. He stated he formerly operated a printing shop in Boyd, Texas, and, although he could not recall the specific dates, he remembered he had been in the shop when MARGUERITE OSWALD moved next door and he was still there after she had left.

SPAKES stated he worked days in Fort Worth and worked in Boyd on week nights and week ends. He said he had occasional contact with Mrs. OSWALD and found her to be a rather "disagreeable person with a persecution complex."

He stated her business was extremely poor and, the worse her business got, the poorer her attitude became. He said she made frequent complaints of boys running across her roof, but SPAKES said he had no trouble of such a nature, and he felt that this complaint, as were most of Mrs. OSWALD's complaints, was largely imaginary. SPAKES stated MARGUERITE OSWALD had told him her son had defected to Russia, but he stated he was not particularly interested and Mrs. OSWALD did not elaborate on the details.

SPAKES said he thought he was the only one in Boyd, Texas, who knew Mrs. OSWALD's son had defected to Russia.

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On January 15, 1964, the "Dallas Morning News" carried an article bearing a Fort Worth, Texas dateline captioned "Mrs. OSWALD Retains Lawyer to Defend Son". This article is quoted as follows:

"West Texas Bureau of the News

*FORT WORTH, Texas -- Mrs. Margerite Oswald disclosed at her home here Tuesday that she has retained a New York attorney to represent her dead son, Lee Harvey Oswald, before the Warren Commission investigating the assassination of President Kennedy.

Mrs. Oswald, in a brief press conference here, said New York Attorney Mark Lane agreed to take the case without fee.

"Lee Harvey Oswald, accused assassin of President Kennedy, was shot down on Nov. 24 in the basement of the Dallas police headquarters while he was being transferred to county jail.

"The fact that my son was murdered-murdered, boys, murdered-before he was able to defend the charge against him has motivated me in my decision," she said.

Mrs. Oswald added, 'I have, until now, carried alone this fight for our American way of life, and it is with great respect and deep gratitude to have Mr. Lane help me."

"Offering to pay the attorney later, after she wrote her book about her son, Mrs. Oswald said the attorney replied he had 'never turned down a case yet because there was no fee." DL 100-10461

Also injected into the press conference was the continued unsuccessful effort on the part of Mrs. Oswald to see her daughter-in-law, Russianborn Marina Oswald.

"Marina and her two small children have remained in seclusion with Secret Service help since Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Oswald said she has been turned down by the Secret Service in an attempt to see Marina or her grandchildren. <u>ار ا</u>

Then, almost in tears, Mrs. Oswald spoke of herself: 'Here is a mother, 56 years old. Alone. And when I say alone, I mean alone. I am the only member of the Oswald family fighting for justice.

"It was an obvious reference to a recent remark from Marina, who allegedly said there was nothing to lead her from the belief that her late husband killed President Kennedy.

Mrs. Oswald charged that her daughter-in-law has been too protected by the Secret Service, and 'does not know the facts of the case.!"