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married. Mrs. RUBY said that she and her husband lived in Chicago until about one year ago when they moved to Detroit, Michigan. She stated that when they resided in Chicago they had very little contact with the other members of her husband's family.

She advised that her husband's mother, FANNY RUBENSTEIN, died before she met her husband and she never did know her. She said the following individuals are the sisters of her husband:

Mrs. RALPH (ANNE) VOLPERT, who is a widow and presently resides in Chicago; Mrs. NORMAN (MARY) CARROLL, Chicago; Mrs. HAROLD (EILEEN) COMINSKY (phonetic), Chicago, Illinois; Mrs. EVE GRANT, Dallas, Texas, who is either divorced or separated from her husband. She said Mrs. GRANT's husband's first name is unknown to her.

She said the following individuals are the brothers of JACK RUBY:

HY RUBENSTEIN, Chicago; SAM RUBY, Dallas; EARL RUBY, Detroit.

She said she does not know the exact addresses of any of the brothers or sisters of her husband as set forth above.

She advised that in her opinion Mrs. GRANT and SAM RUBY would be the closest to JACK RUBY since they all reside in Dallas.

She said that as far as she knows HY RUBENSTEIN is the only brother who did not legally change his name to RUBY.

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Mrs. EARL (MARGIE) RUBY, 29925 Woodland Drive, advised her husband is presently in Chicago. She furnished the following information:

She has been married 17 years and has only seen JACK LEON RUBY on two occasions in her life, once being when RUBY'S father died and once when of RUBY'S sisters got married. She stated she knows very little regarding the RUBY family and all information regarding RUBY'S family was obtained from her husband. She states she has never been to Dallas, Texas and did not know of RUBY'S contacts or associates in Texas or elsewhere. She stated RUBY left Chicago approximately 15 years ago, moving to Dallas. According to her husband, RUBY appears to be dominant member of family and looked up to by members of the family. She knows of no organizations, political or otherwise, that subject RUBY was ever a member of or interested in. She never heard her husband or any member of her husband's family ever mention LEE HARVEY OSWALD and knows of no possible interest in, or connection with him. She stated she knows of no motive whatsoever of why RUBY shot OSWALD. She explained that she and her husband were much younger than the rest of the RUBY family and had had very little contact with them. They had lived in Chicago until about one year ago when they moved to Detroit, Michigan, but even while residing in Chicago they saw very little of his family. She stated RUBY never married.

She said RUBY'S father, JOSEPH RUBENSTEIN died in Chicago about five years ago. She stated RUBY'S mother, FANNY, died before she met EARL RUBY. She listed the following as RUBY'S sisters:

Mrs. RALPH (ANNE) VOLPERT, who is a widow and presently residing in Chicago, Illinois.

Mrs. NORMAN (MARY) CARROLL, Chicago.

Mrs. HAROLD (EILEEN) COMINSKY (Phonetic), Chicago

EVE GRANT, either divorced or separated from her husband and husband's first name unknown. She resides in Dallas.

Brothers:

H. Y. RUBENSTEIN, Chicago, Illinois

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SAM RUBY, Dallas, Texas

EARL RUBY, Detroit, Michigan

Mrs. RUBY stated she does not know the exact addresses of any of RUBY'S brothers and sisters, other than her husband. She believed that EVE GRANT and SAM RUBY would be the closest to RUBY, since they reside in Dallas. She advised as far as she knows, H. Y. RUBENSTEIN is the only one of the brothers who did not legally change his name from RUBENSTEIN to RUBY.

It is noted that due to presence of many members of the press and television during afternoon of November 24, 1963, she had officer of Southfield, Michigan Police Department stationed at her home throughout evening of November 24, 1963 and November 25, 1963 for protection. She appeared to be upset due to publicity.

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Mr. SAMUEL DAVID RUBY, 11616 Jamestown Road, Dallas, Texas, telephone No. EM 8-5083, was interviewed in the presence of his wife, PHYLLIS FAITH RUBY, nee KERNES. *Samuel D. Ruby*

He furnished the following information regarding the identities and whereabouts of the members of his immediate family:

Father JOSEPH RUBENSTEIN, deceased; *Samuel Ruby*
born in Poland *Sam Ruby*

Mother FANNIE RUBENSTEIN, nee Turek, deceased;
born in Poland *S.D. Ruby*

Brothers HYMAN RUBENSTEIN, age 61, 1044 W. Loyal,
Chicago, Illinois; employed as traveling
salesman *Sam Rubenstein*

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Chicago, Ill.

JACK LEON RUBENSTEIN, also known as
JACK RUBY (has used the name RUBY since
about 1946 but does not believe he ever
had name legally changed)

EARL R. RUBY, nee RUBENSTEIN (legally
changed name in Cook County Superior
Court, Chicago, Illinois, 1946 or 1947;
born April 19, 1914, at Chicago, Illinois;
resides in Detroit, Michigan, and operates
Cobo Cleaners in Detroit

Sisters ANNA (Mrs. RALPH) VOLPERT, age 59, same
address as HYMAN; employed as sales lady
at Charles A. Stevens Company, Chicago,
Illinois

MARION (Mrs. NORMAN) CARROLL, age 57,
same address as HYMAN; employed since 1941
for Internal Revenue Service, Treasury
Department, Chicago, Illinois

EVA L. (Mrs. FRANK) GRANT, age 55; now
divorced; resides in apartment house on
corner of Rawlins and Throckmorton Streets,
Dallas; employed for the past two years as

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manager of the Club Vegas owned by
JACK RUBENSTEIN.

EILEEN (Mrs. HAROLD) KAMINSKY, age 47,
6024 Talman, Chicago, Illinois.

Wife PHYLLIS FAITH RUBY, nee KERNES, 11616
Jamestown Road, Dallas, Texas

Children FREDERICK, age 11
BRIAN, age 10
ELISA, age 4
TOMMY, age 3.

Mr. RUBY advised he had his name legally changed in Cook
County Superior Court, Chicago, Illinois, in about 1946 or 1947. His
legal name had previously been SAMUEL DAVID RUBENSTEIN.

He furnished the following information regarding his
brother, JACK LEON RUBENSTEIN, also known as Jack Ruby:

JACK was born at Chicago, Illinois, on April 25, 1910.
All of his brothers and sisters were also born in Chicago, Illinois.
JACK, as well as other members of the family, were reared in Chicago
and JACK attended public school until about the tenth grade. After
he left high school, JACK employed himself as a ticket scalper at
various sporting events in the city of Chicago. During his late
teens or early 20's, JACK went to San Francisco, California, where
he worked in the circulation department of a San Francisco newspaper
where he managed a crew of people selling newspaper subscriptions.
It is not known how long he was in San Francisco but apparently made
one or two lasting friendships while there. One of these friendships
was formed with a man by the name of SAM GORDON who worked with him
and who is now believed to operate an export-import business between
the United States, the Philippine Islands, and the Hawaiian Islands.
GORDON was originally from Chicago.

While in San Francisco, JACK met and became friendly with
a girl whose last name was FITZGERALD. Her father is believed to
have been connected in some way with the motion picture business.
There may still be an occasional contact or correspondence between
JACK and this girl however nothing specific is known about such
contacts.

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After JACK's return to Chicago from San Francisco, he continued scalping tickets for sporting events. He then was hired as an organizer by one LEON COOK who had formed a union in Chicago known as the Scrap Iron Handlers Union or a similar name. LEON COOK's father or family owns the Cook Scrap Iron Yard located on Taylor or Fillmore Street in Chicago. Shortly after JACK went to work for COOK, COOK was shot to death by another union official. JACK was employed by COOK as a union organizer for less than one year. This was in the late 1930's.

In about 1943 JACK was in the U. S. Air Force and served until 1946. He was an airplane mechanic in the Air Force. Shortly after his discharge, JACK went into business with him, SAM, and their brothers, HYMAN and EARL, in Chicago, Illinois. This was a small manufacturing business known as the Advertising Specialties Company. JACK remained in the business for about one year and then sold out to the other brothers taking as his share all of the cash assets of the business which amounted to approximately \$14,000. He then left Chicago and came to Dallas, Texas.

The first member of the family to have made her home in Dallas, Texas, was his sister EVA. She had come to Dallas, Texas, during World War II after obtaining a divorce from her husband. She was employed in Dallas as a factory representative for the Harvey Phillips Machine Shop. While in Dallas EVA opened the Singapore Supper Club at 1717 S. Ervay Street. Beginning in about 1946 or early 1947 she was having trouble with the club. JACK arrived from Chicago after selling out his interest in the Advertising Specialties Company. He invested money in the club and later changed the name from the Singapore Supper Club to the Silver Spur. It is believed that for a short time one MARTIN GIMPLE (now deceased) a lifelong friend of JACK, was a partner with him in the Silver Spur. In about 1949, EVA dissolved her interest in the Silver Spur due to differences of opinion she had with JACK with regard to the operation of the club. EVA then left Dallas and went to Chicago where she remained for about one year. After that she traveled to Los Angeles, California, and spent quite some time traveling from Los Angeles to Chicago and Dallas, Texas.

In about 1955 JACK sold the Silver Spur to one ROCKY ROBINSON who had previously operated a similar business in Dallas County. ROBINSON was not able to obtain a license in the city of Dallas, Texas, and the Silver Spur was closed. During the time he owned the Silver Spur, JACK also owned two other clubs, one known as Hernando's Hideaway, and the other was the Club Vegas. One JOE BONDS was a partner with him in the Club Vegas and it is believed he also had a third partner whose name is not known.

In about 1960 or early 1961 JACK acquired ownership of the Sovereign Club which club catered to professional people, particularly doctors. This club was not making money as a private club and he therefore converted it to a public club some time during the Christmas season in 1961. This club is now called the Carousel Club and is still operated by JACK RUBENSTEIN.

With regard to JACK's methods of earning a living during his lifetime, Mr. RUBY characterized him as being independent, aggressive, and a "scraper." JACK has always been reluctant to work for anyone else and is a promoter. He said that in recent years JACK has been interested in promoting various business enterprises other than the nightclub business. These include the promotion of Min-Iron, a dietary iron supplement. This activity took place in about 1955 in association with one JOHN JACKSON of Jackson, Mississippi.

He was also associated with MARTIN GIMPLE (now deceased) in promoting prefabricated log cabins. This was several years ago and they built a demonstration model at Grapevine Lake, north of Dallas, Texas.

He said JACK is presently interested in promoting a twist board which is being developed by a plastics manufacturer in Fort Worth, Texas.

JACK has been friendly for some time with one ADRIAN HIGH who is from somewhere in Oklahoma and who sells oilfield equipment. He is also friendly with one NED WEISBROAD and one SAM LASSER. WEISBROAD and LASSER are partners in the wholesale distribution of sunglasses in Dallas. He believes JACK became acquainted with HIGH, WEISBROAD, and LASSER through their patronage of the Silver Spur Club which was operated by JACK.

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JACK is also friendly with one RALPH PAUL who owns a drive-in restaurant in Arlington, Texas (possibly called the Bull Pit). JACK has known PAUL for several years. PAUL formerly owned a bar or club in Dallas (possibly known as the Bluebonnet Lounge).

JACK is reported to cultivate the friendship of professional men, particularly doctors, and to be widely acquainted among medical doctors in Dallas.

JACK's hobby is weight lifting and he is athletically inclined. He is a strong believer in physical fitness.

With regard to JACK's personality, Mr. RUBY advised that although he is not a vindictive man he seems to frequently get into fights and appears to enjoy an opportunity for physical combat. He said this may stem from the fact that the nightclub business presents many opportunities for fighting because of the number of drunks that frequent such places. He said JACK is an open-minded generous person when he has the desire to be so however he is rather irresponsible in the use of other people's money. He said that on one occasion in about 1955 JACK borrowed \$5,500 from him and in about 1956 he had to sue JACK for the return of this money. On that occasion in the Dallas courts, JACK was represented by an attorney, HENRY KLEPAK. *tel*

During the time this litigation was taking place, he, RUBY, visited with another attorney who had previously represented JACK in a court action. This attorney told him that at one time a few years previously JACK had come to his office when he was having trouble in his nightclub business. As he recalls, this trouble consisted of difficulties with a partner. On that occasion, JACK threatened to jump out the window of the lawyer's office.

During the time JACK has operated nightclubs in Dallas, Texas, he has become acquainted with many officers of the Dallas Police Department and it is believed he is very friendly with them and is liked by most of the officers who come into contact with him. From time to time he has employed off-duty officers in his club. One of these was WALLACE RASCH and RASCH's wife, JEAN. They worked in the Club Vegas in 1955 during RASCH's off-duty hours. At the Silver Spur Club JACK often employed off-duty police officers as special police to keep order at the club. *Dall* *tel*

Mr & Mrs Wallace Rasch
Jean Rasch

About two years ago, JACK had a man working as manager of the Carousel Club for about one year. This man's name was LEO, last name unknown. JACK fired this man because he said he was stealing from him. LEO was described as being a white male, of small stature, dark hair, and a swarthy complexion. He was supposed to have had a wife and five children.

JACK RUBENSTEIN has never married. He appears to be very fond of women and there has been only one woman who has retained his affection for any great length of time. This woman is ALICE NICHOLS, 8707 Redondo, Dallas, Texas, telephone DAVIS 1-3687, who is employed as a private secretary for an executive of the Southland Life Insurance Company, Dallas. JACK kept company with ALICE NICHOLS for approximately ten years ending about two years ago.

JACK has no excesses such as heavy drinking, heavy smoking, or other bad habits with the possible exception of woman chasing. He is not a joiner and does not readily make lasting friendships. He is a religious man and attends the Temple Shearith Israel located at the corner of Walnut Hill and Douglas Streets in Dallas. The Rabbi at that Temple is named SILVERMAN.

Mr. RUBY advised he knows nothing about JACK's political persuasions and has never heard him express any particular like or dislike of any political figure, party, or philosophy.

Mr. RUBY advised he and his family see JACK only occasionally averaging about two or three times a year particularly during the Jewish religious holidays. He also comes on occasion to see their children. He advised the family was last visited by JACK during the last week of October, 1963.

He advised that he knows of no acquaintanceship between JACK and LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

He expressed the opinion that if JACK shot OSWALD it was on impulse because he could think of no reason or motivation for such an action.

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SAMUEL DAVID RUEY, 11616 Jamestown Road, Dallas, Texas, advised he has no interest, financial or administrative, in the S & R Corporation. He further advised he has no interest, financial or administrative, in the Carousel Club or the Club Vegas in Dallas, Texas, which clubs are operated by his brother, JACK RUEY. He further advised that he is not aware that his name has ever appeared on any document as an officer in the S & R Corporation or in any way in the operation of the Carousel Club or the Club Vegas.

He advised that JACK RUEY, sometime within the past few months, intended to "give him a piece of the Vegas Club" as a result of JACK RUEY having an argument with his sister, EVA RUEY, who had been managing the Club Vegas. He said, however, that JACK RUEY has never actually turned over any of the ownership of the Club Vegas to him.

He said that JACK RUEY still owes him a balance of about \$1,300 on a \$5,500 loan which he made to JACK in about 1955. He said the last payment JACK made on this loan was in about 1958, when their father, JOSEPH FUERNSTEIN, died in Chicago, and JACK RUEY paid his, SAM's, Airplane fare from Dallas to Chicago to attend their father's funeral. He further advised that sometime during the fall or early winter of 1960 his sister, MARION CARROLL, visited in Dallas and, while here, loaned JACK RUEY a fairly large sum of money. He said she later regretted making this loan and his brother, EARL, came to Dallas sometime in the Spring of 1961 for the purpose of recovering the amount of this loan for MARION. He said he does not know if EARL was successful in this attempt or if EARL paid MARION the amount of the loan and thereby became a creditor of JACK RUEY.

He said he does not know whether or not EARL RUEY has a financial interest in the Carousel Club or the Club Vegas at Dallas, but if he does have this interest may have arisen out of the above-mentioned loan.

He concluded by stating that he has no knowledge of the financial or corporate structure of the S & R Corporation or of the Carousel Club or Club Vegas in Dallas, Texas.

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Ruby Phyllis Faith ^{Date} *Ruby* NE-FITNES
 PHYLLIS (Mrs. SAMUEL DAVID) RUBY, 11616 Jamestown
 Road, Dallas, Texas, telephone EM. 85083, telephonically furnished
 the following information: *Phyllis & Ruby*

She does not believe that her husband, SAM, now has
 or has ever had any connection with, or financial interest in, the
 Carousel Club or the Club Vegas in Dallas, which clubs are operated
 by JACK RUBY. 711,

116 Ruthele, Dallas, Texas

She advised that she was not aware that her husband's
 name has ever appeared on any document as an officer of any corpora-
 tion in which JACK RUBY or RALPH PAUL has an interest.

Sometime during the Christmas Season in 1960, her
 sister-in-law, MARION CARROLL, came to Dallas from Chicago, Illinois,
 for a visit. While in Dallas, JACK RUBY contacted MARION and
 obtained a loan from her amounting to several thousand dollars.
 She does not know the exact amount of this loan. She advised that
 MARION later regretted loaning JACK this money and, in the early
 Spring of 1961, her brother, EARL RUBY, also known as EARL RUBENSTEIN,
 came to Dallas for the purpose of arranging for the return of this
 money from JACK RUBY to MARION CARROLL. She stated she does not
 know if EARL was successful in this endeavor, but believes that
 EARL may have reimbursed MARION for the money and thereby became
 a creditor of JACK RUBY. She said she does not know whether or not
 EARL took a note from JACK RUBY reflecting this debt and does not
 know whether or not EARL RUBY has a claim or financial interest in
 the S & R Corporation or the Carousel or Vegas Clubs, as a result
 of this debt by JACK RUBY.

She said that she does not believe that her husband,
 SAM, has ever had an interest in the S & R Corporation or the night
 clubs operated by JACK RUBY in Dallas. She said JACK RUBY does owe
 her husband money, but they have received no payment on this debt
 for several years.

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PHYLLIS FAITH (Mrs. SAMUEL DAVID) RUBY, 11616 Jamestown Road, Dallas, phone EM. 8-5083, advised telephonically November 27, 1963, that she received information shortly after she was married from EVA GRANT that JACK RUBY was injured in a fight sometime in the late 1930's or the early 1940's, probably in Chicago, Illinois. This resulted in JACK having a metal plate inserted in his skull.

She pointed out that this did not prevent JACK RUBY from entering the military service.

She advised she has no knowledge of any mental illness in the RUBY family. She said JACK's mother died from diabetic shock. She was told this by the family doctor, HYMAN RUBENSTEIN, a cousin of JACK.

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HYMAN RUBENSTEIN, 1044 West Loyola Avenue, advised he was born December 28, 1901, in Warsaw, Poland, and he is the brother of JACK RUBY, who resides in Dallas, Texas, and who has been arrested for the shooting of LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

RUBENSTEIN stated he is a salesman for the Victory Products Company, operating out of his house, and travels throughout the Midwest approximately 240 days out of the year.

RUBENSTEIN advised he was greatly shocked to hear his brother was arrested in Dallas for shooting OSWALD and he personally is very much upset.

He stated he talked to JACK RUBY by phone on the night of November 22, 1963, at which time JACK was very shocked and disturbed over the President's assassination. JACK RUBY told him this would be a good time to "close up the joint and come back to Chicago." RUBENSTEIN said JACK indicated he was very disgusted and sick because of the events that took place in Dallas that day, which probably caused him to make that statement. RUBENSTEIN stated that JACK made no remark on the phone that he intended to take any action against LEE OSWALD nor did he indicate he was in any way acquainted with OSWALD.

By way of background, JACK RUBY worked for a junk collector's union in Chicago during the 1930's. The reason for quitting is unknown. He then had jobs as a salesman for several companies, believed to be Stanley Oliver Company and Sparten Company, now defunct. This was about 1938-41. JACK then served in the United States Army until about 1946 when he returned to Chicago.

During 1946, he went to Dallas, Texas, at the request of their sister, EVA GRANT, to help in the operation of a night club known as the Silver Spur. He has resided in Dallas since that time to his knowledge. He last saw JACK four or five years ago in Chicago and they discussed only business.

He said that to his knowledge JACK has not ever affiliated himself with any political party. He has heard from other relatives that JACK was very well acquainted with

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many Dallas policemen and many apparently visit and eat at his clubs. He would describe him as a generous, good-natured, very patriotic person, although highly emotional. He does not know of any police arrests of JACK and never know him to associate with hoodlums.

RUBENSTEIN advised personally he had never heard of GEORGE SENATOR, LEE HARVEY OSWALD, or "The Fair Play for Cuba Committee" until reading of them in the newspapers.

He feels that if his brother shot OSWALD, he did it simply through pent up emotions or he may have been a friend of the slain police officer.

RUBENSTEIN appeared to be in a highly emotional condition and stated he could not be more specific regarding the background of RUBY. He declined to furnish any additional information at this time.

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Mr. HYMAN RUBENSTEIN, 1044 West Loyola Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, advised that he had discussed the agents' interview with his sisters and his brother, EARL RUBY, on the afternoon of November 27, 1963. He stated that to the best of his knowledge and belief, his brother and sisters were correct in their summary of the family's residence and of his brother, JACK's, adolescent period.

He advised that he had read that his brother, JACK, had been a waiter at some tavern or night club in Chicago and stated that he did not recall any such employment. He stated that his brother had sold pennants and souvenirs at Chicago sporting events but to his knowledge was not a waiter in any tavern. He stated that he could never recall his brother being connected in any way with a night club, tavern or restaurant in the Chicago area and that he was completely new in this business when he moved to the Dallas, Texas area.

He stated that he thought it should be brought to the attention of the Federal Bureau of Investigation that he had communicated with his brother's attorney in Dallas and that at the exact time of the shooting of the President of the United States, his brother, JACK, had been in the office of a newspaper, the name of which he could not recall, "raising hell" with them about a full page add which had appeared that day in a Dallas newspaper, criticizing the President of the United States. Accordingly, HYMAN RUBENSTEIN, JACK RUBY, his brother, had said "do you people need money so bad you have to accept advertisements like this. Other Dallas newspapers refused it". He stated that this information is all in the hands of his sister, EVE, in Dallas, Texas.

Mr. RUBENSTEIN stated that this had been a very trying time for him, with the continual questioning by newspapers, radio, television, and law enforcement agencies. He stated that he had tremendous admiration for the Federal Bureau of Investigation and would cooperate at any time, but he hoped that he and his sisters, his brother, and their families, could have a quiet Thanksgiving without being contacted about his unfortunate experience.

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Mrs. MARIAN CARROLL, and Mrs. ANN VOLPERT, were interviewed at their home, 1044 West Loyola Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Both women expressed a desire to be interviewed together and would not submit to interview separately.

Both advised they have regained some of their composure and are able to furnish more details concerning the background of their family as well as the background of their brother, JACK RUBY. They stated they are still in seclusion and otherwise are admitting no visitors.

They stated that JACK RUBY was born April 25, 1911 in Chicago, and at that time, the family resided near 14 and Newberry Streets where they lived for about one year, following which they moved to about 15 and Halsted Streets which they described as a Jewish Immigrant neighborhood. After residing there for sometime, they moved to Miller Street between 12th and 14th Streets. Following that, they lived at either 1232 or 1240 West Morgan Street across from the Holy Family School. They then moved to about 1109 Marshfield Street and after residing there for a short time, they moved to approximately 1120 Sacramento Boulevard where they lived for about two years. The family then moved to 1551 Clifton Park where they lived for a short time and then moved to 729 Kostner. Following this, they moved to 722 Independence Boulevard where they stayed for one and one half years and then moved to 624 Independence Boulevard where they resided from 1933 to 1941. In 1941, they moved to 3650 West Lexington where they lived until 1958. They then moved to their present address.

They said their brother, JACK, attended Smith Grammar School and started at Marshall High School where he dropped out after two years.

To the best of their recollection, JACK entered the United States Air Force in about 1942 or possibly 1943. He was released in 1946.

Pertaining to their mother, FANNIE, they advised she died in 1942 at the age of 68. They stated that in about

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1938, their mother was a patient in the Elgin State Hospital at Elgin, Illinois where she was being treated for a nervous disorder which they believed to have been brought on by a Thyroid-Goiter condition which was aggravated by Menopause. They advised that this hospitalization was for a duration of approximately two months after which their mother returned to their home. They also commented that her mental condition was possibly further aggravated by the death of her last born son at the age of approximately two and one half years. This child, while sitting in a high chair, pulled a vat of boiling chicken soup onto himself and subsequently died from the burns. They stated that they knew of no other mental disorder of their mother. They both stated that they knew of no other nervous disorders suffered by any of the children. They advised she was not a diabetic.

Pertaining to their father, they advised that he had been a carpenter and followed this craft throughout his entire life until he died in 1958 at the age of 89 years.

Pertaining to any injuries of their brother, JACK, they stated they knew of no serious illnesses, either physical or mental, suffered by him. They stated that he had not been wounded during his military service, and that to the best of their knowledge, he spent most of his military career at Keesler Air Force Base, Biloxi, Mississippi. They advised that they did not believe that JACK had any type of a plate in his head and commented that inasmuch as he was nearly bald, they are sure they would have seen such a scar.

In regard to their brother, JACK's methods of making a livelihood, they recall that from the time he left high school until the time he entered the military service, he could be classified mainly as a peddler or salesman. He was always making or selling some new project in the novelty line, sold pennants at the ball games and scalped tickets. He sold miniature cedar chests and even after the war and while engaged in the night club business in Dallas, he always was interested in promoting new lines of this type. Mrs. CARROLL interjected that the days before the war were depression years and at one time prior to the war, JACK obtained a job selling magazines and journeyed to San Francisco with the crew where he stayed for only a short time.

Following his military service, JACK joined his

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brothers, HYMAN and EARL in the operation of the Earl Novelty Company, however, they had a falling out over the operation of this company as JACK, at times, would buy what they called queer merchandise for which there was no market and which would require an extensive outlay for manufacture. They then recalled that it was at approximately this time that JACK decided to move to Dallas, Texas to assist his sister, EVA, in the operation of the Silver Spur Night Club. Mrs. CARROLL stated that in this venture, she invested \$1,000, but had never received any dividends in return for this investment. She commented though that JACK had always sent money to assist in the maintenance of their father until the time of his death in 1958.

Both women advised that they had been reading articles in the Chicago papers linking their brother, JACK, with nightclubs and hoodlums in the Chicago area prior to his going to Dallas, Texas. Both women emphatically stated that to their knowledge he was never affiliated with, operated, or owned or managed any nightclubs or taverns in the Chicago area. Furthermore, he never knowingly associated with any known hoodlums unless per chance they may have grown up with him in the neighborhood. Specifically, Mrs. CARROLL stated she has heard the name LEONARD PATRICK, who is considered to be a Chicago area hoodlum, and stated perhaps he grew up in the area with JACK but is quite sure they would have no more than a speaking acquaintance. Regarding other associations, and activities, they advised that in about 1939, he became acquainted with Mr. LEON COOK, an attorney who was the son of a junk dealer and organized a junk handlers union. They recalled that COOK felt that the junk handlers were not making enough money and JACK was hired by COOK to help organize the union. COOK was murdered in Chicago, according to the women, by a hoodlum named MARTIN and in this case Mrs. CARROLL stated possibly JACK was questioned by the police, but he most certainly was not arrested, nor detained in any manner in the case. They also pointed out that their brother JACK's association with this union did not exceed a period of two months.

They commented that during the period when he attended Marshall High School, he became known as Sparky because of his youthful appearance and energetic attitude.

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Also, during the period before the war, they recalled that he had gotten into a fight with a group of Nazi sympathizers in the area of White City, a Chicago neighborhood. They stated JACK should not be considered a street brawler, however, he did not hesitate to take someone's part in a fight if he felt the individual was unjustly wronged. They also stated their brother, JACK, always had a strong feeling of affection and admiration for people in the public eye. They commented that he had had busts of ROOSEVELT and MAC ARTHUR made which he kept in his room, and they classified him "as a Patriotic kid".

Pertaining to his move to Dallas, they advised that the club he joined his sister in operating, was the Silver Spur and this was a "set up" Club, where dancing was promoted. Since that time he has branched out into other clubs and in fact he had the first key club in Dallas. The Key Club was frequented by many doctors, lawyers and was the favorite of many politicians. They stated that in this regard their brother, JACK, had recently staged a stag party for the benefit of the Texas Bar Association. They reiterated that their brother, JACK, was a very popular and well known figure among police officials in the city of Dallas, Texas.

As pointed out above, both women requested to be interviewed together and during the course of the interview corrected each other as to the times, dates, and events that took place in their collective lives, and therefore all statements set forth above, can be credited to each. It is noted MARIAN CARROLL at times would break into tears in discussing this situation in Dallas. Both stated they were great admirers of President KENNEDY and feel greatly for his widow and children. Once again they stated that they can offer no plausible reason why their brother shot LEE OSWALD, other than that he was a great admirer of the President and is an emotional man.

Both women commented that they feel their family are very patriotic Americans and are exceedingly happy that their parents had been admitted to this country from Poland, they have felt remorse for relatives that they know stayed behind in the Old Country, whom they have never heard from and assume were murdered by the Nazis.

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Mrs. MARIAN CARROLL, 1044 West Loyola Street, sister of JACK RUBY, advised she was born June 30, 1906, at Chicago, Illinois, and has been employed by the United States Treasury, Savings Bond Division, Chicago, for 22 years. Her husband, NATHAN CARROLL, from whom she is separated, is a part time bartender, whose present whereabouts are unknown to her.

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She stated she last saw JACK RUBY last summer at the airport, Chicago, for a few hours, when he was returning to Dallas from a business trip to New York, where he was allegedly contacting actors' agents for entertainment for his night club. She saw him about two years ago in Dallas when she stayed there overnight with her brother, SAM RUBY. She visited the Carousel night club that night. She stated that JACK RUBY telephones their home almost every week to inquire about members of the family. He phoned on November 22, 1963, and spoke to her and her brother, HYMAN. He told her he was very upset about the President's assassination, stating that the President was a wonderful man who was doing so much good for everybody. He said he was going to close his place of business out of respect for the President and that he was going to a memorial service to pray for him. She said he did not mention LEE OSWALD and did not indicate that he intended to take any action against him.

She said she had never heard of OSWALD or the "Fair Play for Cuba Committee" until the recent newspaper publicity and knew of no connection between her brother JACK and this organization. She said she knew JACK as an extremely patriotic man.

She said that prior to the time JACK entered the U. S. Army, he was a salesman of novelties in the Chicago area for the Earl Products Company owned by his brother EARL. She knew of no trouble which he had ever been in, nor did she ever know him to have any hoodlum associates.

Mrs. CARROLL appeared to be in a highly emotional condition and stated she could not be specific regarding the background of RUBY. She declined to furnish any additional information at this time.

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