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Ft. Worth, Tex.

BILL QUIETT, 2597 Hickory Street, advised he sold the La Petite to OLLIE and C. W. COLLINS in February, 1960, and they moved the establishment from the location at 1507 West Berry to the Garden Acres addition of Fort Worth, Texas. He advised he has never known JACK RUBY or LEE HARVEY OSWALD, and had never met either of these individuals. He stated it was possible his partner, "BLACKIE" NOBLETT, was acquainted with RUBY. He stated he knew of no connection between JACK RUBY and LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

on 12/23/63 at Fort Worth, Texas File # DL 44-1839

by Special Agent & URAL E. HORTON, JR., & RONALD Date dictated 12/23/63
E. BRINKLEY/mrh/eah

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Mr. FLOYD (BLACKIE) NOBLITT, 4317 Standish Street, Fort Worth, Texas, advised that in 1957 or 1958 he was part owner of the La Petite Beauty Salon at 1507 West Barry Street, and his partner was BILL QUIETT. La Petite Beauty Salon, 1507 West Barry Street, Fort Worth, Texas, was found listed in an address book of JACK RUBY.

Mr. NOBLITT stated he had operated La Petite for approximately one year and then he sold his interest to QUIETT, or actually let QUIETT assume the indebtedness of the beauty salon.

NOBLITT stated that he could not recall anyone by the name of JACK RUBY and had no recollection of anyone by the name of JACK RUBY contacting the La Petite Beauty Salon.

NOBLITT said that prior to the assassination of the President he had no knowledge of LEE HARVEY OSWALD or JACK RUBY and knew of no connection between OSWALD and RUBY.

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by Special Agent ARNOLD J. BROWN:brm Date dictated 12/20/63

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Mrs. ~~ELDIE~~ ^XHARRIS, Jr., 8231 Merrill, Apartment 23, Detroit, Michigan, advised that telephone number TR. 3-8587 is the telephone number for her and her husband. She advised that she does not know anyone by the name of OLIVER ~~GROMEW~~ ^{Mich} or any individual who might have a similar name. *Oliver X Gromew*

Mrs. HARRIS advised that this telephone number had been assigned to the HARRISEs by the Michigan Bell Telephone Company approximately one year ago and that she and her husband have resided at their current address since approximately December, 1962. Mrs. HARRIS advised that neither she nor her husband had any personal knowledge of JACK LEON RUBY or LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

On 12/20/63 at Detroit, Michigan File # Dallas File 44-1639
Detroit File 44-543
 by SA MELVILLE H. SHANNON:JEP Date dictated 12/20/63

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The following investigation was conducted at Detroit, Michigan, by SA MELVILLE H. SHANNON on December 19, 1963:

A review of current directories for the City of Detroit, its metropolitan areas and adjacent suburbs fails to disclose any listing for an individual, firm or organization by the name of Oliver-Gromew or by any name similar thereto.

The Postal Zone Directory for Detroit does not list a 72nd Street in Detroit.

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RUSSELL L. ~~X~~DUNN, Attorney, 204 Commercial Building, Sherman, Texas, was advised that his name was found in a book belonging to JACK RUBY. DUNN stated he has had absolutely no association with JACK RUBY and knows neither JACK RUBY nor LEE HARVEY OSWALD. He advised that about three years ago, he purchased a life-time membership in the Sovereign Club at Dallas, Texas, for \$25.00. DUNN stated he visited the Sovereign Club on only two or three occasions and has not been night clubbing in Dallas for over two years. DUNN understood that several years ago the Sovereign Club changed its name and is now known as the Carousel Club.

on 12/19/63 at Sherman, Texas File # DL 44-1639

by Special Agent ROBERT J. ANDERSON - gj Date dictated 12/20/63

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Houston, Tex.

ANGEL DU PONT, 3406 Tapping, advised that she had never heard of JACK RUBY until she read about him in the papers. She said that the name GIGI was a name she had used for about two weeks in 1958 for a singing engagement in one of Houston's local night spots.

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DU PONT advised that she has never been a stripper or done any professional dancing. She said that she has not done any singing for about four years.

DU PONT said that she was in Dallas about three months ago and stayed at the Cabana Motel with DOYLE KARNES, a businessman from Ft. Worth. She said they went to some night clubs in Dallas, but that she has never been in any of JACK RUBY's clubs.

On 12/21/63 at Houston, Texas File # HO 44-939
by SA DANIEL D. DREILING/lc Date dictated 12/21/63

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CSH:jtf

On December 19, 1963, LEON EPSTEIN, Attorney, Fulton National Bank Building, Atlanta, Georgia, advised that immediately after JACK RUBY shot LEE OSWALD, he directed a telegram to RUBY congratulating him for shooting OSWALD. EPSTEIN stated that this was an impulse telegram that he directed to RUBY and that he sent it inasmuch as he feels that the person who assassinated the President of the United States does not deserve Constitutional protection, and at the time he felt RUBY had done a service by shooting OSWALD.

EPSTEIN stated he has never met RUBY, knows nothing about him and has no information concerning any such connection between RUBY and OSWALD.

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Mr. BOBBY DALE ~~ETHERIDGE~~, 2619 Concord Avenue, Irving, Texas, employed Circle T Meat Company, 2828 North Haskell, was advised that in RUBY's automobile there was located Carousel Club pass card number 116 in the name of "B. D. ~~ETHERIDGE~~, Circle T Meat Co.". Mr. ~~ETHERIDGE~~ advised that DENNIS, last name not known, of Columbo Pizza, told him that he would obtain a pass card for the Carousel Club for him. He advised that he had never received this card nor had he ever been in the Carousel Club. He advised that he did not know JACK RUBY or anything concerning him prior to November 24, 1963.

He further advised that he did not know LEE HARVEY OSWALD nor did he know anything concerning an association between RUBY and OSWALD.

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by Special Agent ALTON E. BRAMBLETT - E.J. Date dictated 12/23/63

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA JACK B. PEDEN with negative results:

In an attempt to locate O. L. GAUTHIER, JR., whose
name appeared in a book of JACK RUBY's, the following persons
were contacted with negative results on December 19, 1963:

MAURICE J. GAUTHIER
6506 Robin Dallas, Tex.

Mrs. JOE A. GAUTHIER
1809 Fuller, Dallas, Tex.

Both of these persons advised that they did not know
O. L. GAUTHIER.

Mr. A. C. GAUTHIER, JR., ^{Tex.} who was acquainted with JACK
RUBY and whose name appeared in JACK RUBY's book, advised that
he is not acquainted with O. L. GAUTHIER, JR.

Mrs. PAULINE HALL, 1606 Pratt, who is acquainted with
a number of JACK RUBY's friends and associates, advised that
O. L. GAUTHIER is unknown to her.

A check of the Dallas City Directories and telephone
book on December 19, 1963, failed to reflect the name of O. L.
GAUTHIER, JR.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA
ROBERT J. WILKISON on December 18, 1963:-

Mrs. BIRDIE SUE BELCHER, of the Retail Merchants Credit
Association of Dallas, advised she could find no record of O. L.
GAUTHIER.

The following investigation was conducted by SA
JACK B. PEDEN:

The following persons were contacted on December 20,
1963, for any record on the name O. L. GAUTHIER, JR., and they
advised they had no record:

L. E. SANDERS
Clerk
Identification Division
Sheriff's Office
Dallas

Miss PAT CROSSLAND
Clerk
Identification Division
Police Department
Dallas

JUDY HAHN
Clerk
Records Bureau
Police Department
Dallas.

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ASSOCIATES AND ACQUAINTANCES OF JACK RUBY

NEW YORK, NEW YORK

SEYMOUR GELLER, 555 Madison Avenue, on December 17, 1963, advised SA JAMES J. ROGERS that he is an insurance broker for Chartered Life Underwriters Company.

He has had no association with JACK RUBY and never heard of him until November 24, 1963. He did not believe anyone would have given his name to JACK RUBY.

He had no knowledge of any relationship between OSWALD and RUBY.

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Seymour Geller, 305 East 86th Street, Apartment 8B West, New York City, Telephone number FI 8-3309, was interviewed on December 17, 1963, by SAS Timothy B. Lagrone and Robert J. Lawson.

Geller advised that he is not acquainted with Jack Leon Ruby and had never heard of Ruby prior to the time the name was in the newspapers and on television in connection with the killing of Oswald. He said that he is presently occupied as the manager of the Las Vegas Restaurant, 55 East 54th Street, New York City, and has been so employed for the past nine years. He further stated that he has no personal friends or relatives in the Dallas, Texas, area, and would know of no reason why it would be believed that he was acquainted with Ruby. He said that he is known by many people because of his position as manager of the above restaurant; however, many people that know him are not known to him. He was of the opinion that possibly someone who knows him as manager of above restaurant could have given Ruby his name as a person to be contacted in New York City if they were looking for a good time. He explained that there are a number of girls that hang out in the Las Vegas Restaurant and this could have been the reason someone had furnished his name to Ruby.

In conclusion, he stated that he had a sincere desire to assist the Federal Bureau of Investigation in instant matter in any way possible; however, he could furnish no information concerning Ruby, his activities, or any of his associates.

On 12/17/63 at New York City File # NY 44-974
 by SAS TIMOTHY B. LAGRONE and Date dictated 12/18/63
ROBERT J. LAWSON/vmm

Dr. MACK W. GRAHAM, 705 West Pecan, Celina, Texas, a General Practitioner, advised he does not know JACK RUBY and as far as he can remember never met JACK RUBY.

Dr. GRAHAM stated he frequently visits Dallas for business reasons and has been in various night clubs in the Dallas area. He advised he holds current memberships in the Northwood Country Club and the Vagabond Club, both in Dallas. Dr. GRAHAM stated he might have been in the Carousel Club but knows nobody at that club and has never held a membership at that club.

Dr. GRAHAM further advised he never heard of LEE HARVEY OSWALD prior to the assassination of the President.

on 12/23/63 at Celina, Texas File # DL 44-1639
by Special Agent ROBERT J. ANDERSON - g1 Date dictated 12/23/63

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Mrs. ELIZABETH GRANT, 2700 South Schullin, Denison, Texas, stated she is a practical nurse employed at the Supreme Forest Woodmen's Circle Home, located on Highway 82 West Sherman, Texas. Mrs. GRANT stated that on or about November 19, 1963, she observed a light-blue vehicle with 1963 Texas license NK 8053 parked near the Circle Home and three men get out of the car and enter the home. Mrs. GRANT described one of these three men as being 6 feet or taller and weighing well over 200 pounds. He was wearing slacks and a sweater. Mrs. GRANT stated she thought nothing more of this incident until she saw a picture of JACK RUBY in the Dallas newspaper on or about November 25, 1963. At that time, she realized that the above described individual bore a striking resemblance to JACK RUBY. Mrs. GRANT was shown two photographs of JACK RUBY and stated that the person she saw entering the Home on November 19, 1963, was in fact not identical to the photographs of JACK RUBY. She further advised she has no knowledge of LEE HARVEY OSWALD other than what she read in the newspapers.

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Mrs. DAINAH GREGORY, 1217 Fair, employed Newland Furniture Company, 201 North Dixon, Gainesville, Texas, advised her name is commonly misspelled as DANA GREGORY. Mrs. GREGORY stated she has never been in any night clubs or the vicinity and has never met JACK RUBY or any employees of any night clubs in Dallas. Mrs. GREGORY stated that for the past seventeen years she has resided and worked at Gainesville, Texas, as has her husband and has no idea how the name DANA GREGORY was known to JACK RUBY.

Mrs. GREGORY advised she never heard of LEE HARVEY OSWALD prior to the assassination of the President nor does she know of any affiliation between RUBY and OSWALD.

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Mrs. BILLY JEAN JACKSON, 808 Blanton Drive, Sherman, Texas, advised she is the nursing supervisor of the Supreme Forest Woodmen's Circle Home, Highway 82 West Sherman, a home for the aged and the children.

Mrs. JACKSON stated she has been notified by two of her practical nurses, Mrs. RUTH MULLIGAN, Savoy, Texas, and Mrs. ELIZABETH GRANT, Denison, Texas, who are employed in the Circle Home that on or about November 19, 1963, they observed a blue car parked near the Circle Home with three men therein. These three men got out of the car, entered the Home and spoke to EARLL J. CASEY, who is manager of the Home. Both of the above nurses observed these men at close distance and after seeing a picture of JACK RUBY in a Dallas newspaper on November 25, 1963, informed Mrs. JACKSON that one of the above three men looked very similar to JACK RUBY and could in fact have been JACK RUBY.

Mrs. JACKSON observed two photographs of JACK RUBY and stated that she definitely has never seen him at the Home or any other place. She further advised that LEE HARVEY OSWALD was unknown to her prior to the assassination of the President.

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by Special Agent ROBERT J. ANDERSON - g1 Date dictated 12/20/63

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AT DALLAS, TEXAS:

The following was secured from a note pad belonging to
JACK RUBY:

JOE, WH 2-5424

The following investigation was conducted by SA
JAMES E. GARRIS:

On December 16, 1963, SA GARRIS placed a telephone call to WH 2-5424. An individual who identified herself as Mrs. NANCY MATTILA, 1211 Michigan Avenue, Dallas, answered and she advised there is no "JOE" on this number. She stated she has subscribed to this telephone number since September, 1963.

The current (1963) Dallas, Texas, criss-cross directory, reflects no subscriber to telephone number WH 2-5424.

The 1961 Dallas criss-cross directory reflects that BESSIE MICKENS, 1228 Valley, Dallas, was the subscriber to telephone number WH 2-5424.

The current Dallas telephone directory reflects a listing for BESSIE MICKENS, 2736 Eagles Drive, Dallas, telephone number FR 4-5205. *Tex.*

On December 19, 1963, SA GARRIS contacted Mrs. MICKENS at FR 4-5205 and she advised she subscribed to telephone number WH 2-5424 for about 3 years until November, 1962. She stated she knows of no one by the name of "JOE" who might have given her former telephone number as a place to be reached.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA ALVIN J. ZIMMERMAN on December 20, 1963, at Dallas, Texas, in an attempt to identify "L. H. McINTYRE, TA 7-5291" whose name appeared in a note pad which was the property of JACK RUBY.

Dallas, Tex.
Mrs. L. H. ^XMcINTYRE, 3415 Matilda, phone TA 7-5291, advised that she had been separated from her husband, L. H. ^XMcINTYRE, for the past two years and that McINTYRE has not been in the City of Dallas, to her knowledge, during that *Tex.* period. She advised that he is an oil field pipe line worker and travels throughout the country. Mrs. McINTYRE could furnish no explanation as to how or why her husband's name and her phone number were in possession of JACK RUBY, as she did not know RUBY and was quite certain that her husband had never had any contact with him.

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REB:LAC

The name W. L. or W. T. ~~MELTON~~, JR., was found in a book in the possession of JACK RUBY and was believed to be the name of a member of one of JACK RUBY's night clubs in Dallas.

The following investigation was conducted by SAs ROBERT E. BASHAM and JAMES J. WARD:

The 1960, 1961, 1962 and 1963 City Directories and telephone books were reviewed and contained no information identifiable with W. L. MELTON, JR. However, one W. T. MELTON was listed at 1037 Elsbeth. There was no W. T. MELTON, JR., listed.

On December 17, 1963, investigation at 1037 Elsbeth indicated MELTON had moved to 1820 Oakland Street, telephone HA 1-3065.

Dallas, Tex.

W. T. MELTON was contacted at 1820 Oakland and advised that he did not know JACK RUBY or LEE HARVEY OSWALD until reading about it in the newspapers. He said he did not have a son named W. T. MELTON, JR., and knew of no other W. T. or W. L. MELTONS in Dallas.

On December 18, 1963, SA ROBERT J. WILKISON, Retail Merchants Association of Dallas, advised records of that office reflect that one WILLIAM L. ~~MELTON~~, JR., of 908 Shadyside, was employed by Alabama Construction Company as of May 1963. He was allegedly born October 21, 1914, at Marshall, Texas. His wife was MILDRED, a manicurist, and he was being sued for divorce.

On December 19, 1963, MILDRED ~~MC~~ COLLUM, bookkeeper, Alabama Construction Company, 800 South Haskell, advised that WILLIAM L. MELTON, JR., had been employed by them up until July 20, 1963. He said that their last known address for him was 5609 Lewis.

On December 19, 1963, J. C. ~~NUTTER~~, 5609 Lewis Street, advised that he has lived at the above residence for the past five years and never heard of a W. L. MELTON, JR. *Dallas, Tex.*

The Dallas map indicated there was a Lewis Drive in Garland, Texas. However, a check of this drive on December 19, 1963, failed to reflect any such address as 5609.

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On December 19, 1963, Mrs. EVA BURROUGHS, Manager, Shadywood Terrace Apartments, 929 Shadyside Drive, advised that WILLIAM L. MELTON, JR., had lived at 908 Shadyside Drive in Apartment B, but he "skipped" on July 12, 1963, owing \$210.00. She said that she would like to know where he could be located.

Dallas, Tex.