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DENVER, Colo. (UPI)--Denver oilman John King has entered an official claim for the rille used to assassinate President John F. Kennedy.

King entered the claim Friday under terms of an advertisement run in The Dallas Morning News last month by the Internal Revenue Service.

The action is the second phase of his continuing battle to gain possession of the weapon and of the .38-caliber Smith & Wesson pistol used to kill Dallas policeman J. D. Tippit.

Last May 24, the 43-year-old president of the Cortez Oil Co. filed suit in U.S. District Court at Denver against the Justice Department to gain possession of the weapons after attempts to negotiate with federal officials failed.

King said that on March 25, Mrs. Marina Oswald signed a contract agreeing to turn over to King the two guns used by Lee Harvey Oswald.

King said he has paid Mrs. Oswald, now the wife of salesman Jess Porter, \$10,000 with an agreement to pay an additional \$35,000 upon delivery.

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