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Major ALVIN HYLTON, U. S. Army, Fort Detrick, Maryland, advised as follows:

His mother, Mrs. ROSE HYLTON, who resides at 3472 Hill Street, Huntington Park, California, owns a lot on which are located two houses, one of which she herself resides in and the other which she rents to tenants. Major HYLTON described his mother as 70 years of age and added that she resides alone, that she may be approaching senility, although she is rational, that she sometimes exaggerates greatly and makes things up which she herself believes to be true. Major HYLTON said that she is not well educated.

He said that he received a letter from her dated November 10, 1963, which contained information regarding tenants who had recently moved out of her house because the tenants' work had changed to Saugus, California, where they intended to buy a house. In this letter she also stated as follows concerning her former tenant and his wife, not further identified:

"Al I want to tell you something, he is a Cuba rebel and mean as hell when he wants to be, she has been telling me for a long time ever since they were here about his uncle in Cuba and how they planned to kill Kennedy soon as they can so sometime back she said he was coming here, so he is here got here day before yesterday and they are having political meetings here at Compton, that's at Carlos, other uncle's home here and I think I have add at least they are cooking up trouble. This uncle just arrived here is being the new president in Cuba soon as he goes back with what he wants here. He's a bad one and of course, there is a group or party of them and this place is full of them and they come here for something important."

The rest of the letter, dated November 10, 1963, refers to personal matters not relating to her former tenants.

He also advised that he received another letter from his mother dated Thanksgiving evening in which she again

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discussed personal, family business, however, she also wrote as follows:

"My wasn't that awfull about our president poor fellow. - he won the Hearts of all people, your right they sure should get a clean out of those Texas nuts and (Al) what I wrote you about, my tenant, I think she knew a lot and she confided in me a lot and that happened right after he got hereand she said 'that was what he was coming for.'"

Major (HYLTON) said that the above reference in the excerpt from his mother's letter to "those Texas nuts" was probably occasioned by a statement he jokingly made in a letter to his mother that all Texas residents were nuts. Major (HYLTON) said that he has received nothing further from his mother concerning her former tenants or statements made by them and he did not bring this information to anyone's attention prior to this time because of his mother's habit of exaggerating and making things up. However, after thinking about the assassina and hearing of OSWALD's possible connection with Cuba he felt that there could be a reason to place credence in his mother's statements.
