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TITLE OF CASE  <b>ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, DALLAS, TEXAS, NOVEMBER 22, 1963</b>		Report made by <b>SA DAVID J. REID</b>	Typed By: <b>jcs</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE  <b>ASSAULTING A FEDERAL OFFICER</b>	

Synopsis:

### REFERENCES

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### ADMINISTRATIVE DATA

During the course of interview of JENO FARKAS, it was very evident that he was not able to fluently speak in the English language and at times he was very rambling and incoherent. As a result of his constant reference to persons "up high" who had control of "charges" up high, as well as his general manner during the interview, he left the impression that he might have possibly been mentally unbalanced.

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JENO FARKAS was jointly interviewed by SA ROBERT G. ABIGGLEN and SAC GEORGE WEISHEIT, U. S. Secret Service, El Paso, Texas, in view of the fact that it was necessary for both agencies to interview PARKAS.

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Report of: SA DAVID J. REID  
Date: December 10, 1963

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Title: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY, DALLAS, TEXAS,  
NOVEMBER 22, 1963

Character: ASSAULTING A FEDERAL OFFICER

Synopsis: REGARDING JENO FARKAS

JENO FARKAS, Room 512, Hilton Hotel, El Paso, Texas, advised he had obtained a copy of an issue of Parade Magazine from the Dallas Times-Herald Building in Dallas, Texas, and had the front of the magazine photostated along with his statement setting out his feelings about the assassination of President JOHN F. KENNEDY. FARKAS said he gave copies of his statement to some unnamed "high people" and was unable to coherently explain his actions or thoughts regarding this matter.

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DETAILS:AT EL PASO, TEXAS:

The interview with JENO FARKAS, set out hereinafter, was conducted in an effort to determine how he had obtained a copy of the December 1, 1963, uncirculated issue of Parade Magazine, which contained an article referring to JACQUELINE KENNEDY, and to determine why he had had copies of the front of the magazine photostated along with a statement which contained references to President KENNEDY, President JOHNSON, the FBI, Secret Service, etc.

Date December 10, 1963

1 JENO FARKAS, Room 512, Hilton Hotel, El Paso, was interviewed in the presence of Special Agent in Charge GEORGE WEISHEIT, United States Secret Service, El Paso, at which time FARKAS furnished the following information:

He obtained a copy of the Parade Magazine from the Dallas Herald Newspaper Office, exact date not recalled, during a night visit to this newspaper office. He had gone to the newspaper office to speak to the man in charge and was rebuffed by this person and told to leave. Upon leaving the newspaper office he took a copy of the Parade Magazine from an unattended bundle in the newspaper building. He later had the front page of the Parade Magazine along with a written statement photostated on 18 by 24 inch sheets at the Horn Blueprint Company in Dallas, Texas, on December 5, 1963.

When asked to explain the purpose of obtaining the photostats, he claimed that he had them made so that he could distribute copies to certain unnamed "high people" in Dallas. When questioned about the written statement that was included on the photostats, he became defensive and inferred that his writing had been edited by some unnamed individual. He then proceeded in his own handwriting to rewrite what he said was contained on his original statement, and that this represented what he "felt," and which reads as follows:

"John F. Kennedy was shut out from the square mile of Eden in God's Country.

"President Johnson a rancher himself have had been coaching the body-guards on that rainy day when arriving and knowing well that Dallas is not a telephon Co. or the Records Building out not even the old court house, but from that sweeping down hill there the assassin God will thunder out from the lost and the forgotten backs of the Bible and the brightness of his presence will blind the police, the F.B.I., the Secret service, the storming up political controversay in the

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Democratic Party from Forth Worth and will blind all  
preparations - in fact.

"President Johnson knows that he can trust that  
God."

During the interview of FARKAS he was at times  
rambling and incoherent of thought. He was not fluent in  
English. He exhibited no animosity toward anyone but  
became visibly agitated when the subject of the assassination  
of President KENNEDY was mentioned. He constantly referred  
to someone or persons "up high" who had control of "charges"  
but he was unable to satisfactorily explain what he meant  
by these "charges" or to whom he had reference when he mentioned  
persons "high up."

FARKAS claimed to have had no military service  
and that he did not take part in any revolutionary activities  
in Hungary although he claims to have run away from his parents  
at the outbreak of the Hungarian Revolution at the age of 16.

The following description of JENO FARKAS was obtained  
by observation and interview:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Born	December 14, 1940 at Myirbator, Hungary
Entered United States	January 7, 1947 <sup>57</sup> as a Hungarian refugee and was given Immigration and Naturalization service number A10-974-207
Height	5'7"
Weight	135 pounds
Build	Medium
Hair	Light brown
Eyes	Hazel
Scars and marks	1" scar right forehead
Parents	Father - <u>JENO LARKAS</u> Mother - <u>JULIANNÁ LARKAS</u> . Neé Konya, both residing in Myirbator, Hungary

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Education	Attended Kensington High School, Buffalo, New York and Erie County Technical Junior College (where he studied chemistry for 3 or 4 months), Buffalo, New York
Military Service	None
Arrest record	Arrested for vagrancy in Miami, Florida, July, 1962; arrested for vagrancy in Dallas in October, 1963
Current residence	2917 Bryan, Dallas, Texas, where he has been residing for the past two or three months
Prior residence	Del Rancho Motel, 127 block Riverside Drive, Studio City, Los Angeles, California, for approximately two months, where he was also employed as a busboy; 77 Sunset Drive at an unnamed hotel, Los Angeles, California
Present employment	Busboy for the Cabana Motor Hotel, Dallas, Texas

FARKAS claims to have never been hospitalized.