

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. Shroder
- 1 - Mr. Rogge

March 16, 1964

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BY COURIER SERVICE

Honorable J. Lee Rankin
General Counsel
The President's Commission
200 Maryland Avenue, Northeast
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to your letter dated March 6, 1964, requesting this Bureau interview Mrs. Ruth Paine of Irving, Texas, in an effort to have her identify various exhibits.

On February 28, 1964, and on March 10, 1964, Mrs. Paine was interviewed by Agents of our Dallas Office and she made the following identifications from exhibit photographs displayed to her:

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<u>Exhibits</u>	<u>Identification by Mrs. Paine</u>
203	
353	
371	
372	
374 through 377	
379	
87	belongs to Michael Paine
73	could not positively identify but believes it belonged to Lee Harvey Oswald since his name appears thereon.

- Tolson _____
- Belmont _____ 62-109060
- Mohr _____
- Casper _____
- Callahan _____
- Conrad _____ - Mr. Conrad
- DeLoach _____ - Mr. Lenihan
- Evans _____
- Gale _____
- Rosen _____
- Sullivan _____
- Tavel _____ (9)
- Trotter _____
- Tele. Room _____
- Holmes _____
- Gandy _____

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Exhibits

Identification by Mrs. Paine

89	could not positively identify but believes this book belongs to Marina Oswald
90	could not positively identify but believes this is cookbook owned by Marina Oswald
192	could not positively identify although Mrs. Paine acknowledges she has received catalog from the store named on the exhibit
328	could not positively identify but knows Lee Harvey and Marina Oswald had Russian - English dictionary and this may be it
381	could not positively identify but believes it is copy of a newspaper belonging to Lee Harvey and Marina Oswald. Mrs. Paine stated she recalls the Oswalds receiving papers from Minsk, Russia, and feels this is a copy of one of them
418 and D 64	both items belong to Lee Harvey and Marina Oswald
C 37	could not positively identify but believes it is the map she furnished to Lee Harvey Oswald to assist him in seeking employment

NOTE: President's Commission by letter dated 3-3-64, requested Mrs. Paine be interviewed and endeavor to identify numerous exhibits belonging to her, her husband, or to Lee Harvey or Marina Oswald. The above concludes our inquiry.

Honorable J. Lee Rankin

Mrs. Paine was unable to identify the following exhibits: 71, 72, 74 through 86, 88, 91 through 94, 99 through 106, 198, 201, 202, 303 through 322, 324 through 327, 329, 352, 354, 366, 408 through 411, 453, B 26 and D 41.

This concludes our inquiry in this particular matter.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover