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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
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On February 16, 1977, Mrs. Betty Douthit, 631 South Inman Road, West Covina, California, advised that in 1964 and 1965, her former deceased husband, Robert Kenneth Young, was manager of the Club Vegas, 3508 Oak Lawn Avenue, Dallas, Texas. When they took over management of the club, Douthit and her deceased husband cleaned out the storage area located on the first floor of the club. At the time, they found various business records and what appeared to be personal address books belonging to Jack Ruby, the former owner of Club Vegas. Douthit further advised that she recently read an article in a collector's magazine in which a signature of Lee Harvey Oswald was being offered for sale for \$2,000. She further advised that she planned to offer for sale the various signatures on records she had found at the Club Vegas. She stated that prior to offering these records for sale, she wanted the FBI to review them so that she would not later be accused of holding or destroying evidence.

She advised that she and her husband left the Dallas area in June, 1967, when he was transferred to the Santa Fe Springs office of the Mobil Oil Company, where he was employed as a Geophysicist. At that time they brought the records with them to the California area, and they have been in storage ever since. She advised that while the records were in her possession, they were never reviewed by either the Dallas Police Department, the FBI, or any other governmental agency or commission.

Mrs. Douthit furnished a cardboard box of material to be reviewed by Special Agents of the Los Angeles Office. This material was reviewed by Special Agents of the Los Angeles Office and most of the material was found to be old business records. Nothing in any of this material gave any indication of contacts or connections between Lee Harvey Oswald and Jack Ruby. Copies were made of the two address books in order that these copies could be retained by the FBI.

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A review of the FBI Headquarters and Dallas FBI Office President John Fitzgerald Kennedy assassination and related investigative files on the legible names included in the above described address books disclosed no unusual connections to the President John F. Kennedy assassination and related investigations.