

Officers Quit Guarding Mrs. Margue

Staff Special to The News
FORT WORTH, Texas — Secret Service agents and Sheriff Lon Evans' deputies removed their around-the-clock guard from the home of Mrs. Marguerite Oswald Wednesday.

The officers had guarded Mrs. Oswald since her 24-year-old son, Lee Harvey Oswald, was accused of murdering President Kennedy and Officer J. D. Tippit in Dallas Nov. 22.

As Secret Service agents left the Arlington Heights home, Mrs. Oswald ran toward them and shouted a complaint.

"I want those files," she shouted. "You can't take them from me. They belong to me."

Agents said Mrs. Oswald re-

ferred to a list of callers they had compiled. Termining the list government property, they refused to give it to her.

Evans commented:

"We feel we've given her all the protection to which she is entitled. We can't keep officers at her home forever, and we decided it wouldn't be fair to taxpayers to keep them there any longer."

A Secret Service spokesman

the agent believes Mrs. Oswald no longer is in any danger.

The sheriff said also that he will not join police in guarding Oswald's grave in Rose Hill Cemetery. Relatives buried the assassination suspect there after Jack Ruby shot him in the basement of the Dallas Police Building and Police Chief Cato Hightower stationed officers in the cemetery to protect the grave from desecration.

"Cato can't keep his men there forever, but they (Oswald's family) needn't ask us to station men in the cemetery," Evans continued. "We urged them to bury Oswald in a secret place, but they wouldn't do it."

Evans said Oswald's wife and children are no longer in a motel near Arlington, where they were guarded by Secret Service agents and his deputies. The sheriff said he doesn't know their whereabouts.