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Dr. J. T. SALDIVAR was interviewed at his offices located at 3300 Cole, Dallas, Texas. Dr. SALDIVAR stated that in addition to his own private practice, he spent some portion of his time helping the Public Health Department of the City of Dallas in operating clinics principally in connection with the immunization of children.

Dr. SALDIVAR was asked if he had occasion to see a Mrs. LEE OSWALD of Irving, Texas, who was described to him as a Russian national who did not speak English and would undoubtedly have been accompanied by some other woman to translate for her. Dr. SALDIVAR advised that he had seen the children of Mrs. OSWALD on at least two occasions, with the last time being not more than a month ago. He said he had no contact to speak of with Mrs. OSWALD in that he was principally concerned with the inoculation of her children.

He did state that one of the youngsters had a slight tumor on one wrist which seemed to be enlarging and he had referred the child to the Freeman Memorial Clinic for further treatment. He also said he had told Mrs. OSWALD that if her husband earned over a certain sum of money, she would have to see a private physician.

In connection with his contacts with Mrs. OSWALD, Dr. SALDIVAR pointed out that the nurse assigned to the clinic by the Public Health Department of the City of Dallas would be the individual having the principal contact. He said the nurses would take the child's case history from the mother and make all the preliminary examinations. Following this contact with the nurse, the doctor said that he would then examine the child and check on the findings of the nurse.

In view of the foregoing, Dr. SALDIVAR stated that he had not had any occasion to hold any conversations whatsoever with Mrs. OSWALD. He said that in discussing her children's health problems with her, he found it extremely difficult to get her to understand him, even with the aid of a translator. He said she definitely never spoke English in his presence.

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Dr. SALDIVAR said he himself did not know the identity of the woman who accompanied Mrs. OSWALD, but said she appeared to him to be a native-born American who had an extensive knowledge of the Russian language.

Dr. SALDIVAR said he was not personally acquainted with all of the nurses assigned to the clinic by the Public Health Department, but did recall that two of them were named Mrs. (First Name Unknown) FRAZIER and Mrs. (First Name Unknown) JAMES.

According to Dr. SALDIVAR, the Public Health Department headquarters for the particular area of the city involved is located in the rear of the housing project located on Lucas Drive just off Maple. He said that all records pertaining to visits made to the Vine and McClede Clinic would be available at this headquarters, as would the identity of the various nurses who have been assigned to the Vine and McClede Clinic.

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