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ORIGIN <u>Field (Dallas)</u>	OFFICE <u>Dallas, Texas</u>	TITLE OR CAPTION <u>Assassination of President Kennedy</u>
TYPE OF CASE <u>Protective Research</u>	STATUS <u>Continued</u>	PERIOD COVERED <u>Marina Oswald</u>
INVESTIGATION MADE AT <u>Dallas, Texas</u>	PERIOD COVERED <u>12/6/63</u>	
INVESTIGATION MADE BY <u>ATSAIC Leon I. Gopadze</u>		

DETAILS SYNOPSIS

Marina Oswald stated that her husband had no other means of transportation but by a bus or walking. She also states that Mrs. Margarita Oswald had information concerning the attempted assassination of former General Walker.

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Reference is made to M/R of ATSAIC Gopadze dated 12-5-63.

In order to ascertain the mode of transportation used by Lee Oswald during his stay in Dallas and its vicinity, and because of reports that he had been seen practicing a rifle at the Sports Dome Gun Range, Grand Prairie, Texas (M/R of SA Kunkel dated December 3 and 4, 1963), Marina Oswald was interviewed by the reporting agent on 12-5-63 at the Martin residence. She stated that she is positive that her husband had no car nor ever borrowed one from anybody. They were too poor to buy one and he was too independent to be obligated to anyone by borrowing anything from them. According to Marina Oswald, whenever they needed transportation to move from place to place they were helped by either Ruth Paine or Elena Hall and that when they moved from the apartment on Elsbeth Street to the apartment on Mesley Street they moved their own belongings as the apartments were only a few blocks apart.

As set forth in the M/R of SA Kunkel, Lee Oswald has been identified as being at a rifle range on October 28 and 30, 1963 and on November 2 and 16, 1963. By furnishing Marina Oswald with a calendar and also by calling her attention to a notation found in Lee Oswald's address book, the name of FBI Agent James P. Hosty, his phone number, his address and the date of November 1, 1963, she stated that this notation was made by her husband the same day (November 1, 1963) when she and Ruth Paine advised him that two FBI agents were at their house asking for him. Her husband arrived at the house about an hour after the agents

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departure. She said she would like to correct her previous statement concerning the visit of two agents either on November 3 or 4, 1963, as previously reported, as she is sure now the visit was on November 1, 1963.

Marina Oswald went on to say that her husband was with them over the weekend of November 2 and 3, 1963, that he did not go any place, that the following weekend, November 9 and 10, he also spent with them, and that it was the weekend of November 16 and 17 when he did not show up at their house. Marina Oswald further said that she did not think her husband had the rifle any place but Mrs. Paine's garage as she or Mrs. Paine would have seen him with the rifle during the weekends. According to Marina Oswald, she saw the rifle in the garage about three weeks prior to November 22nd and she thinks that the rifle was taken out of the garage by her husband in the morning of the assassination of the President.

Marina Oswald was further questioned concerning the attempted assassination of former General Walker by her husband on April 10, 1963, and whether any one else knew beside herself about this act. She stated that the day of her husband's arrest and after she and her mother-in-law returned to the Paine's from visiting Lee Oswald at the City Jail, she told her mother-in-law that she thought Lee was responsible for shooting the President as he previously unsuccessfully tried to kill General Walker with his rifle. That was the same day when Mrs. Oswald, Sr., told her to destroy Lee's pictures in her album showing him standing with the rifle. Marina Oswald further stated that her husband twice saw the TV showing of a moving picture depicting a plot to kill a Cuban dictator with a bomb where the plotters had to dig a tunnel and that Lee did not like the picture as he said that was the way they did in the old days. She also thought Lee saw a TV showing of a movie where an attempt was made to kill a President at the railroad station with a rifle, from a house, but she was not sure about it. The way Marina Oswald was describing the latter picture, it leaves very little doubt that this picture is entitled "Suddenly" starring Frank Sinatra.

Marina Oswald also was asked for assistance in transcribing various names, words and addresses written in Russian by her husband in his small notebook, reproduced pages of which were furnished this Service by the FBI. Nothing was found there of interest to this Service except various names of their friends while they were living in Russia, their addresses, and telephone numbers, various names of Government offices, Russian calendar, proper pronunciation of Russian words, items to be obtained for Marina's departure from Russia and a hand-drawn map of the Kremlin and its vicinity.

English meaning of notations found in Lee Oswald's book and written in Russian are set forth by pages in the attached separate page.

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Further contacts will be maintained with Marina Oswald for possible additional information she may have.

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Upon return of the reporting agent to his hotel, a message was received to telephone Mr. Martin at his residence. An effort was made to talk to Mr. Martin but SA James Johnson advised that Mr. Martin was not in, that he was conferring with his lawyer and that he wanted to talk to the reporting agent about newspaper reporters who are requesting a personal interview with Marina Oswald. At the time of placing the call to the Martin residence, Inspector Tom Kelley was in the room and the above information was related to him. Inspector Kelley requested to advise Mr. Martin in the event of his call to the reporting agent to tell him not to agree on any conferences between Oswald and the newspapermen, or any other people, until such conference will be approved by either this Service or by the FBI. Later, when Mr. Martin telephoned the reporting agent at his room concerning the matter, he was advised of Inspector Kelley's request and he said that he would try to convince the newspapermen to postpone the interview until he would allow it.

On December 5, 1963, SA Seale made inquiry at the Crozier Technical School, 2218 Brown Street, Dallas, Texas. This was done in an effort to determine if Lee H. Oswald had ever attended this school. Mr. Troy C. Bond, Principal, produced a registration form which reflected that Lee H. Oswald registered here on January 28, 1963.

The application form further reflected that Oswald took a typing course; that he attended classes each week from 6:15 P.M. to 7:15 P.M. Mr. Bond stated that Oswald attended classes on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday of each week. The application form indicated that Oswald dropped out of school on April 8, 1963; however, Mr. Bond stated that it is possible that Oswald had stopped attending classes prior to this date.

Mr. Bond stated that this registration card is the only existing record of Oswald's attendance at this school. He said that, since Oswald did not desire high school credit for the typing course, all the other records of his attendance were destroyed.

Neither Mr. Bond, Mrs. Gladys Yoakum, Oswald's typing teacher, nor Mrs. Juanita Richey, who registered Oswald, were able to recall him personally.

A copy of Oswald's registration card is attached to the original of this report. \*

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Further information will be reported as developed.

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Original Fees Due \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ad. Pmt for \_\_\_\_\_

Date	PAYMENTS		Amt.
	Enr'd	Receipt No.	
1/20/63		24218	9.50

Name: Donald L. H.  
 Last Name: LEA First: H. Middle: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Enrollment No.: 2 ELS BETH  
 Occupation: COMM. DIVISION  
 Home Address: 537 Broadway  
 Telephone numbers: Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Business \_\_\_\_\_ Age: 23  
 How far did you go in day school? N.S. Do you desire high school credit? no

TIME	ROOM	SUBJECT	TEACHER	Date if Changed
_____ to _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4:15 to 5:15	_____	_____	_____	_____
5:15 to 6:15	_____	_____	_____	_____
6:15 to 7:15	<u>119</u>	<u>Phy.</u>	<u>J. J. ...</u>	<u>2-4-63</u>
7:15 to 8:15	_____	_____	_____	_____
8:15 to 9:15	_____	_____	_____	_____

PUBLIC EVENING SCHOOL  
 REGISTRATION CARD

Schedule arranged by LS  
 Date enrolled 1-14-63

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English translation of Russian words found in Lee Oswald's book:

- (X) Page 1 - Russian word for "to-day"
- (X) Page 4 - Hand-drawing of Kremlin, its vicinity and names of streets
- (X) Page 5 - Items to be obtained for departure from Russia
- (X) Page 6 - Addresses of various establishments in Russia
- (X) Page 9 - Russian word for a wedding ring. Bank
- (X) Page 12 - Russian word for "thanks"
- (X) Page 13 - Name of a street
- (X) Page 14 - Hand-drawing of Russian calendar
- (X) Page 15 - Proper pronunciation of Russian words
- (X) Page 16 - Name of Colonel Aksanov in Foreign Section - Minsk
- (X) Page 17 - Bank of Commerce and address in Moscow - Name of Mr. Koslov and phone number
- (X) Page 19 - Names and addresses of friends in Minsk
- (X) Page 20 - Name, address and phone number of their child doctor
- (X) Page 21 - South Germany Consulate. Address of a friend in Minsk.
- (X) Page 22 - Names of Russian Government Departments
- (X) Page 23 - Russian names in Russia and Minsk. Name Rose Kooznetzova - employed by Intourist Hotel in Minsk
- (X) Page 24 - Communist Party in USA and its address.
- (X) Page 25 - Name of "Lucy", her address and phone number - a girl Lee knew in Minsk who attended a medical school
- (X) Page 26 - The name and address of Yura Mereshanski who introduced Marina to Lee
- (X) Page 27 - Office of the Government Attorney
- (X) Page 28 - "Ostankino" - name of a hotel in Moscow
- (X) Page 29 - Marina's address while she was on vacation

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