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The following investigation was conducted by SA JOHN T. REYNOLDS at New Orleans, Louisiana.

The 1954-55 New Orleans City Directory lists THOMAS MCKIBBEN, 1840 Colapisa Street, Metairie, Louisiana, a student. The 1958 New Orleans City Directory lists THOMAS MCKIBBEN 4313 Perlita Street, employed by Hibernia National Bank. Similar employment was shown in the 1960 and 1961 directories. THOMAS MCKIBBEN is listed as residing at 7104 Spruce Street Apartment A in the 1962 directory and no employment was listed. He was not listed in the later directories.

On January 24, 1964, Mr. ALVIN MLESTER, JR., Civil Temple Building, advised that he knows a JOSEPH THOMPSON who was in the Civil Air Patrol. He said that THOMPSON resides at 6434 Vicksburg Street. He said that the name THOMAS MCKIBBEN is slightly familiar to him but their old records have been destroyed and the up-to-date records do not contain his name.

On January 24, 1964, Mr. CHARLES F. LUCIEN, Assistant Vice President assigned to personnel office, Hibernia National Bank, advised that their records reflect that THOMAS ERNEST MCKIBBEN was employed by them on August 6, 1957 and was terminated May 1, 1961 since he was not adapting himself satisfactorily to bank employment. He heard that MCKIBBEN thereafter went to work for the Thrifty Check Corporation in New Orleans and is now supposed to have returned to Seattle, Washington. On April 29, 1963 they received an inquiry from the Bank of California, Seattle, Washington, concerning MCKIBBEN.

Mr. LUCIEN said that MCKIBBEN in his application claimed to have attended Metairie Junior High School, dates not shown, Jesuit High School, New Orleans, 1952 to June 1954, Henderson High School, Seattle Washington, September, 1954 to March, 1955 when he graduated, University of Washington, March to October 1955. He claimed employment with the National Bank of Commerce, Seattle from November 1955 to June 1956, Laykin-EtCIA at I. Magnums Jewelers, Seattle June, 1956 to December, 1956, and Bon Marche, Seattle January 1957 to June 1957. MCKIBBEN, who claimed to have been born January 5, 1935 at Elmhurst, New York, listed his parents as ERNEST E. MCKIBBEN, U. S. Civil Service Commission Ordinance Supply, 1840 Colapisa

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Street, Metairie, and Mother DAGAI HELLEBERG MCKIBBEN of the same address. His wife was listed as JACQUELINE TURNER MCKIBBEN. His New Orleans addresses while with the bank were carried as 4313 Perlita Apartment C, 195 Walnut Street and 7104 Spruce Street, Apartment A.

Mr. LUCIEN said that there was no indication in the file to show whether MCKIBBEN was ever a member of the Civil Air Patrol.

On January 28, 1964 Mr. DAVE FERRIE, 3330 Louisiana Parkway, advised that he recalled MCKIBBEN and, since mentioning his name before, he is not sure whether MCKIBBEN was in the Civil Air Patrol at the same time as OSWALD. He recalled that MCKIBBEN formerly lived in Metairie, Louisiana about the time he was in the Civil Air Patrol, that he then went out West for two or three years and that on return to New Orleans he was married and mentioned having a job with a bank in New Orleans.