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CHARLES TISH, was interviewed at the Prime Rib Restaurant, 4636 Paradise Road, Las Vegas. He gave his residence as 231 Lana Street, Apartment 2A, Las Vegas, Nevada. TISH advised that he resided and worked in Dallas, Texas, from November, 1948, through September, 1961, at which time he moved to Las Vegas.

He described his present employment as a waiter at above restaurant. He stated that while in Texas, he managed the bar at the Adolphus Hotel along with other jobs in the restaurant and night club field.

He advised that JACK RUBY operated the old Silver Spur Club in Dallas, in 1954 and 1955, and that he was well acquainted with RUBY at that time. He recalled that RUBY's place was a beer and wine establishment with no hard liquor sold. He stated he last saw RUBY about two and one half years ago in Dallas, at the Gas Light or the Carcousel Club operated by RUBY at that time. He mentioned that RUBY had three "belly dancers" employed at one of these clubs at that time.

He recalled that RUBY was usually on a health kick and frequented the YMCA and "worked out" there. He added that RUBY had a reputation as a "tough guy." He said that RUBY was prone to "dropping" the names of police officers as acquaintances during conversations. He believed that RUBY did this in an effort to impress his listeners. TISH was of the opinion that RUBY constantly wanted to be noticed by others and as a result he feels that RUBY believed he could make his greatest impression on people by killing such a well known person as LEE OSWALD. He said that RUBY never showed any interest in politics. He added that LEE OSWALD is unknown to him.

TISH advised that he has no information that RUBY had been in Las Vegas, Nevada, since he, TISH, has been here. He stated that it was his opinion that if RUBY had visited Las Vegas, he would certainly have contacted him, TISH.

TISH advised that RUBY at one time was a close associate of RALPH PAUL and CHRIS SEMOS, in the Dallas area. He also stated that RUBY was a good friend of a former show girl at the Tropicana Hotel in Las Vegas. TISH gave her name as either LEE SHARON or SHARON LEE and said she at one time worked for RUBY in the Dallas, Texas area.

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