

1 ~~approx 1961~~ Q. Now is it correct that on the day or one
2 ~~of the days~~ that you came into the Casa Roca to give this
3 money to Carlos, ~~was that the time~~ that you met Lee Oswald?

4 A. I don't know if I turned in the money or
5 not. No, I don't think I turned in money, but I couldn't
6 be sure. I remember I went there, and that is the time the
7 last guy, Vance Blalock, came along with me. It was his
8 first time and everything. And we went in there -- I might
9 have turned it in, I am not too sure. Maybe I did, maybe I
10 didn't. I can't remember too much, but I was in there
11 anyway talking to him and that is when I met him.

12 Q. That is when you met Oswald?

13 A. Yes. You want me to tell all that?

14 Q. Yes, tell me all the circumstances of how
15 Oswald --

16 A. Everything I know?

17 Q. -- met you and everything you know about it,
18 what the conversation was, who was there.

19 A. Well, we were -- Vance and me went in there,
20 Vance and I, we went into there, I introduced Vance to Carlos,
21 and Carlos started talking to him about, you know, freedom
22 and all that, democracy and everything. Then later on while
23 we were talking, Lee Oswald came in, you know, while we were
24 talking, and he came in a little while later. He was by
25 himself and he seemed a little nervous. I remember he was

1 High School?

2 Philip Geraci? A. Tenth.

3 Q. Tenth grade. Do you know Carlos Bringuiet? X

4 A. I have met him once.

5 Q. How did it happen that you met him?

6 A. I went downtown with my friend, Philip or
7 Geraci. We went to a store to return funds that Philip had
8 collected for the organization this man had had, and while I
9 was there I met Carlos. That is how I met him.

10 Q. Did you have anything to do with these funds
11 that were collected by your friend Geraci?

12 A. No, sir, I didn't.

13 Q. That was entirely his operation?

14 A. Yes.

15 Q. Do you remember where you went that day
16 with Philip?

17 A. Yes, sir, we went to Decatur Street, I don't
18 believe it is. I am not sure. The store is the Casa Roca.

19 Q. ~~And you and Philip Geraci went there so that~~
20 ~~Philip could give to Mr. Bringuiet some of this money that he~~
21 ~~had collected. What organization was it that Bringuiet was~~
22 ~~running? Do you know?~~

23 A. I couldn't say the Spanish name. The
24 American name of it is the Cuban Student Revolutionary
25 Organization.

1 Q. ~~Do you remember what conversation you and~~
2 ~~Philip had with Mr. Bringuier that day? Before we get into~~
3 ~~the conversation, can you tell me approximately when this~~ ~~that~~ ~~x~~
4 was?

5 A. Last part of the summer, I couldn't --

6 Q. Late July or early August would it be, or
7 some time in August of 1963?

8 A. August would be the closest I could get. I
9 don't remember the exact date.

10 Q. Tell me the conversation that you and Philip
11 had with Bringuier when you went into the store.

12 A. Oh, we entered the store and Philip
13 introduced me to Carlos, and I told him -- I saw the funds
14 Philip had collected for him, and I told him I was curious
15 about what it was for, and then he explained how the
16 organization worked for me and told me he received the funds
17 from people in New Orleans and sent it to Florida, and that
18 was his total business, and he explained that Communism was
19 where the kids are supposed to tell everything on their
20 parents, to obey the State and not their parents.

21 Q. Present at this conversation were just you
22 and Philip and Carlos? Is that right?

23 A. No, there was another man -- must have
24 worked at the store. He was present.

25 Q. Did you know what his name was?