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Other Individual and Organizations Date 4-17-64

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Mr. WILLIAM E. WARD, Carpet Salesman, Lachman Furniture Company, San Rafael, "California, furnished the information set forth below to Special Agents WAYNE K. WELCH and JOHN P. MC HUGH on April 16, 1964.

Mr. WARD denied making any statement shortly before the assassination of President KENNEDY or at any time reflecting that the President was going to be assassinated.

He stated that approximately six weeks prior to the assassination of President KENNEDY he had-occasion to hear a tape recording of remarks by the Reverend Doctor WESTLEY SWIFT of Lancaster, California.

Continuing WARD stated that he follows what he referred to as the "tape ministry" of Dr. SWIFT, who regularly circulates tape recordings of his speeches.

WARD indicated that he and his wife believe in astrology and advised that Dr. SWIFT, in his tape recordings, makes prophecies based on astrology and the stars. About six weeks prior to the assassination of President KENNEDY Dr. SWIFT, in one of his tape recordings, indicated President KENNEDY was entering "a critical period". According to WARD, he did not indicate in this recording that the President was going to be assassinated.

WARD added that anyone would naturally be appreciative if the stars warned them "they were entering a critical period".

Finally, WARD noted that he did not approve of the late President's policies, particularly as they applied to the Negro population, but reiterated he made no statements indicating President KENNEDY was going to be assassinated, nor did he have any information regarding the assassination.

On 4-16-64 . San Rafael, California \_\_ File #SF 89-58

by SAS WAYNE K. WELCH & JOHN P. MC HUGH: cj Date dictated 4-17-64

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GEORGE HARDING, JR., 2455 Nelson Way, Sparks, Nevada, advised as follows:

He recalls that the organization in Los Angeles, California, with which he was associated was named the First Church of Christ Christian or Church of Christ Christian. He first became interested in the organization through his cousin HARRY WILSON who operates the Early American Chair Company, Los Angeles, California.

He does not recall the names of all the individuals he met in this organization but at the time he furnished all of the names in his possession to Special Agents of the FBI in Los Angeles, California. He recalls that the head of the organization Was Doctor WESLEY SWIFT. The second in command was a Colonel WILLIAM GALE, an attorney, who was supposed to have been the youngest intelligence officer under General MAC ARTHUR.

This organization in California intended to assassinate three hundred public officials in high positions of the government and industry. Eight men were to be assigned to each of the three hundred victims and not one of the eight would know the other seven, and the mass assassination would take place as simultaneously as possible.

He never did formally join this organization but was given to understand he was "in". He was also told by JAMES SHOUP that he might be tapped for one of the eight men. They led him to believe they were serious and that anything he did was at the risk of his neck and if he did any talking it would mean he would be taken care of and his children by a previous marriage would be harmed.

He had made up his mind to leave Los Angeles, California, and after talking to the FBI in Los Angeles he did not attend any more meetings and attended one private meeting at which time he informed the members of the organization he had a job and would have to leave Los Angeles. He did not tell anyone where he was. going and the only person who has his address is his cousin HARRY WILSON.

He came to Reno, Nevada, and obtained a job as a milkman for Model Dairy. He begins work each day at 4:00 A.M.

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