SFChronicle APR 4 1977 A Denial on JFK Death Testimony

Miami

The daughter of George de Mohrenschildt has denied that her father had any knowledge of plans to assassinate President Kennedy.

Alexandra de Mohrenschildt, 33, told a Miami television station Saturday that Dutch journalist Willem Oltmans was not correct when he told the House Assassinations Committee her father knew what Lee Harvey Oswald might do.

De Mohrenschildt, a Dallas geologist, had known Oswald and his wife, Marina.

Oswald was identified by the Warren Commission as the person who fatally shot Kennedy in Dallas in 1963. De Mohrenschildt described his friendship with Oswald in 1964 to the Warren Commission, which later decided that Oswald acted alone.

De Mohrenschildt took his own life Tuesday while visiting friends in Palm Beach. Authorities said he shot himself only hours after an investigator tried to interview him about his relationship with Oswald.

Miss de Mohrenschildt said her father feared Oltmans, who left Saturday night from Miami for Amsterdam.

He (de Mohrenschildt) was

terrified of the man," his daughter told WTVJ-TV. "The man (Oltmans) tried to bully him . . . to make him say things he didn't want to say."

She said her father had met Oltmans in Amsterdam.

She added that her father was mentally ill and was not afraid of testifying before the House committee.

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