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FRANK FERRARO, 53 Parmelee Street, New Haven, Connecticut, a bus driver for Cousins Bus Sales, 500 Washington Avenue, North Haven, Connecticut, advised the following:

He was unemployed and temporarily in Dallas, Texas, about August, 1962, and recalled stopping in the Carousel Club, Dallas, Texas, operated by JACK RUBY. He had little money and RUBY offered him room and board in return for small odd jobs. He did work as handy man, and received small and irregular pay.

FERRARO described RUBY as a likeable person, but he would become angry very quick and had a violent temper. To the best of his knowledge RUBY never made any statements regarding politics, political philosophies or any politicians. He never heard RUBY express any opinion concerning any foreign governments or foreign causes.

FERRARO had never heard of OSWALD being in the Club Carousel or having any contact with RUBY.

FERRARO described the main interest of RUBY as being women. He said that RUBY was a very aggressive "wolf" but he never had a steady girl, and he never dated any of the help. To his knowledge there were no illegal activities in businesses operated by RUBY, that is in way of prostitution, narcotics, gambling, etc.

He had heard from a negro carpenter, name unknown, who was working for RUBY at that time, that RUBY, while in Chicago, Illinois, was associated with a union and had been entrusted with \$50,000. RUBY allegedly skipped with the money and came to Dallas, Texas, where he started his present business.

FERRARO named the following as associates of RUBY: RALPH (LNU), operator of the Bull Pen Restaurant, Arlington, Texas; FRANK (LNU), White, male, Italian, in oil business, Dallas, Texas; MARRY (RED) LEFKOWITZ, who sold novelties in stall in the Merchandise Mart, Dallas, Texas.

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SA THOMAS L. SHEER and SA ROBERT E. ROBERTSON/bas 11/25/63

SA ROBERT E. ROBERTSON/bss ____Date dictated ____11/25/63

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FERRARO stated that on a Ruesday night, during September, 1962, he had become involved in an argument in the Horse Shoe Bar, Fallas, Texas, located near the Carcusel Club. He returned to the Club Carcusel where he changed his whirt and coat. At that time BUDY warned FERRARO not to get in any fight as the operator was his friend. FFRRARO told RUBY to mind his own business.

RUBY became angry, and later followed FERRARO to the Lasso Club located near by. At the Lasso Club, RUBY walked in and told FERRARO not to threaten him or cause his friends any trouble. FURY then struck FERRARO three or four times with brass knuckles. FERRARO received an open wound over his loft eye and be had to go to the Parkland Ecspital for emergency treatment.

JOHN WILSON, Attorney, Dalles, Texas, witnessed this fight and advised ERRRANO to bring suit upsinst fully. FEFRANO decided later not to press charges conserning this matter, as RUBY gave him money to pay the herpital bill. FERRANO said he quit a few days later and left Dallas and has had no contact with RUBY since that date.

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