CHARLES ARNDT, Room 516 YMCA, 605 N. Ervay, Dallas, Texas, advised that he is employed at the Contract Electronics Company, 2533 Elm Street, Dallas. Approximately four weeks ago while he was at the shop with DONALD C. STUART, JACK RUBY entered the shop accompanied by a younger man. He discussed with STUART the possibility of installing a new public address system in the Club Carousel. While he was there, ROBERT PATTERSON, one of the owners of Contract Electronics entered the building. RUBY told STUART and PATTERSON that he wished to give them passes to the Club Carousel and wrote their names in a small notebook. ARNDT stated he recalled that STUART gave RUBY his driver’s license and RUBY copied his name from the driver’s license into a small notebook he was carrying in his pocket. He does not recall specifically seeing RUBY write PATTERSON’s name in the notebook.

ARNDT examined a photo of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and advised that he could not definitely state whether or not OSWALD is identical with the younger man who accompanied RUBY. He described the younger man as a white male, in his 20’s, 5’7”, 140 lbs. or possibly a little more, slight build, dark brown hair, of average thickness. This man had very little to say. ARNDT could not recall that his name was ever given, but did recall that RUBY stated he worked for him.

ARNDT advised that he was at the shop later in the day when RUBY accompanied by the younger man again returned to the shop with a microphone which needed repairing. He believes it was about 6:30 p.m. at this time and RUBY specified that he had to have the microphone no later than 9:00 p.m. The microphone was repaired and PATTERSON delivered it to the Carousel Club.

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MORTON WILLIAM HEYMAN, reporter for the "Chicago Daily News" Chicago, Illinois, was interviewed at the Statler-Hilton Hotel, Dallas, Texas.

HEYMAN advised he arrived in Dallas at approximately 7:30 PM, November 22, 1963. He first saw LEE HARVEY OSWALD for some thirty seconds at noon, Saturday, November 23, 1963, at the Dallas Police Headquarters. The only other time he saw OSWALD was on Sunday morning, November 24, when OSWALD was shot and killed in the basement of the Dallas Police Headquarters by JACK RUBY. HEYMAN said he never interviewed OSWALD.

HEYMAN related that on November 24, 1963, he arrived at the Dallas Police Headquarters at approximately 10:30 AM. When he entered police headquarters, he was required to identify himself as a member of the press. He then proceeded to the basement of the building, and he was again required to identify himself. When he arrived in the basement he saw some 100 people gathered. He said about half were uniformed police officers and he presumed the others were plainclothesmen and members of the press, radio and TV.

HEYMAN stated OSWALD made his appearance in the basement, accompanied by two plainclothesmen, at approximately 11:25 AM. He said that in a split second JACK RUBY dashed out of the crowd and fired at OSWALD. HEYMAN added that he had not noticed RUBY before this incident and everyone’s attention was on OSWALD as he made his appearance. HEYMAN stated that he did not get a good look at RUBY as he killed OSWALD and only saw him “out of the corner of his eye”. He pointed out that he has not until this date seen RUBY’s face because the officers converged on RUBY as soon as he shot OSWALD.

HEYMAN said that immediately after OSWALD was shot, the basement was in a turmoil. He heard a uniformed police officer, one