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1 - Charlotte (100-9734, MONROE DEFENSE COMMITTEE) (Info) (RM)
   (1 - 100-137309, WWP)
   (1 - 100-69367, SAM BALLAN)
   (1 - 100-117844, MARK LANE)

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   (1 - 100-137309, WWP)

16 - Buffalo
   (1 - 100-11222, ED MERRILL)
   (1 - 100-14168, JEANETTE MERRILL)
   (1 - 100-10837, MILTON NEIDENBERG)
   (1 - 100-10281, ROSEMARY NEIDENBERG)
   (1 - 100-14425, JIM JOHNSON)
   (1 - 100-14763, RITA JOHNSON)
   (1 - 100-18023, BOB STERLING)
   (1 - 134-1042, ANN STERLING)
   (1 - 100-18520, CIRM)
   (1 - 100-7803, JIM CONNER)
   (1 - 100-9714, TED BAINES)
   (1 - 105-4467, LEE HARVEY OSWALD)
   (1 - 100-4052, COMINFIL USW)
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"On January 8, 1965, a Buffalo Branch, Workers World Party meeting was held at headquarters, 831 Main Street, Buffalo, New York. Jeanette Merrill was nominated Chairman.

"Bob Sterling spoke regarding a recent debate between Mark Lane and an individual named Ball (phonetic) at an unnamed university regarding the involvement of Lee Harvey Oswald in the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. Sterling said that the opinions of Ball relative to Oswald being the assassin were absurd. He said Lane's arguments prove Oswald was not the assassin.

"Ed Merrill spoke regarding the dispute between Indonesia and Malaysia. He said the United States will probably become involved in this dispute because of being an ally of the British. He said the British are endeavoring to protect their interests in Malaysia and that war could develop. He said that any war in Asia will involve China.

"Milton Neidenberg spoke regarding the forthcoming national election of officers of the United Steelworkers Union of America. He said the rank and file will support I. W. Abel,