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No dissemination will be made outside the Bureau except on Bureau instructions.

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RONNIE SCALIAR, TIMMY WELCH and NANCY SINATRA, daughter of FRANK SINATRA.

On 9/19/63, LA 4429-C in discussing MAX WEINBERG, designated as Top Jewel Theft subject, advised SAs DONALD A. SCHLAEFER, and WILLIE R. WHITE and Supervisor CHESTER E. ST. VINCENT, that WEINBERG's daughter is presently employed as a secretary for Reprise Records owned by FRANK SINATRA. She received this job through a distributor, MEL (LNU).

LA 4429-C further advised that he had heard that people in the Reprise office were calling all over the country and placing large bets. No details or names relative to this type of activity were available to LA 4429-C.

On 6/28/63, MICHAEL SHORE of Reprise Records, 1347 Cahuenga, Los Angeles, California, Telephone No. HO 6-8211, advised SAA CHARLES E. STINE that he had seen publicity in the Los Angeles papers concerning the conviction of MARVIN R. COLE on Obstruction of Justice charges. He commented that he had known COLE for a long time and that "MARVIN COLE is DOC STACHER's boy". SHORE stated that he had been, in some measure, responsible for starting COLE out in business in New York City a number of years ago. He indicated that on one occasion he had loaned money to COLE in order that COLE might buy points in the Fremont Hotel and Gambling Casino in Las Vegas, Nevada.

On 10/18/63 MARVIN R. COLE was indicted by the Federal Grand Jury at Los Angeles, charging him with two counts of violation of Obstruction of Justice. Trial commenced in U. S. District Court, Los Angeles 5/14/63. On 5/23/63 the jury returned a verdict of guilty on both counts. On 6/12/63, a fine of \$1,000 on each of the two counts was imposed by the court. Notice of Appeal was filed by COLE's attorneys on 6/13/63.

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(S) (u) [538] advised that at 12:15 p.m. November 13, 1963, WIESLAW GORNICKI, Polish correspondent of the Polish Press Agency, in a conversation with BOHDAN LEWANOWSKI, Polish Ambassador to the United States, stated that he had information indicating that the correspondent (name not given), of the Indian Publication "Blitz" was in Dallas the day of the attack, (assassination) and apparently obtained documents stating that police Sheriff CURRY and RUBY were members of the "MB KESIDE" or "MB SESILE" (phonetic). GORNICKI was to verify this information December 2, 1963, and GORNICKI also indicated this information would be published in the near future by "BLITZ", which he described as an Anti-American publication. The list of non United States National Accredited as correspondents and representatives of information media by the United Nations as of October 31, 1963, lists RAMESH SANGHVI of Indian nationality as associated with "BLITZ". WIESLAW GORNICKI of Polish nationality was listed as associated with the Polish Press Agency. (u)

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Sources at San Antonio, Austin, Waco, Temple and Pharr, Texas, had no pertinent information.

The following sources were contacted negatively on 11/25/63 by the indicated Agents:

AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS:

SOURCE

[PCI J. C. STEPHENSON, Proprietor, S. P. Drug Store and News Stand]

SA 665-C

[PCI VANCE F. BORDELON, gambler]

[PCI CAESAR J. FERRIS, cafe owner and bartender]

Former SA 560-C

[PCI PHILLIP BORDONARO, Tavern keeper]

[PCI JACK PATRICK HANRATTY, gambler]

[PCI ROBERT S. YARRINGTON, retired gambler]

Capt. ROBERT ALLEN, Vice Squad, SA PD (including check of vice squad records)

[PCI VINCENT L. LOCICERO]

[PCI WADE HANSEN]

[PCI [REDACTED]]

SA 660-C

AT AUSTIN, TEXAS:

[PCI MARY HALBOUTY, Manicurist]

[Former PCI MARION C. "SONNY" PEARSON, gambler]

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SECRETAT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

SL 1285-C-TE advised SA CLARK S. SMITH on November 27, 1963 that AL CHARLES, Proprietor of the Stardust Club at St. Louis, Missouri, advised him that he has known JACK RUBY for 15 years. Informant stated that RUBY, according to CHARLES has a business partner, name unknown, who is 70 years of age and who formerly was in business in Dallas, Texas, with an individual named JOE BOND. Informant stated that CHARLES advised that BOND and RUBY's present partner operated a bar and burlesque house in Dallas, Texas, which was in competition with a similar establishment operated by an unnamed individual who had an "in" with the Police Department. Informant advised that CHARLES related that subsequently a rape charge was filed against BOND who then fled from Dallas, Texas, to Washington, D. C., where he opened a similar business. BOND according to CHARLES was later "fingered" and arrested at Washington, D. C. However, no dates of occurrence were given in relating this story. Informant advised that CHARLES stated RUBY then went into business in Dallas with JOE BOND's, former partner, name unknown.

The indices of the St. Louis Office failed to reflect any derogatory information on AL CHARLES.

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AL CHARLES, Proprietor of Stardust Club, St. Louis, Missouri, featuring EVELYN WEST and other burlesque acts, was personally contacted by SA CLARK S. SMITH on November 27, 1963. CHARLES stated he is not personally acquainted with JACK RUBY, did not know he originally came from Chicago, or that his name was RUBENSTEIN. However, CHARLES advised he has known of JACK RUBY as being in a similar business endeavor as his in Dallas for the past 15 years.

CHARLES stated he received a telephone call from RUBY approximately two years ago on occasion RUBY made an inquiry regarding night club acts. CHARLES further advised in April of this year he paid a visit to Dallas and patronized the three burlesque houses in Dallas, including that of JACK RUBY. CHARLES maintained he has no other knowledge of RUBY or his associates.

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