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RUBY frequently brought up the fact that he was closely associated with BARNEY ROSS, former welterweight boxing champion, and displayed pictures of himself with ROSS, which were apparently taken at the time ROSS was welterweight champion in the late 1930s. ZAKARIN believed that RUBY had displayed photographs of himself with other well known personalities, whose names ZAKARIN could not recall.

ZAKARIN never knew RUBY to engage in any criminal activity and had no known criminal associates. RUBY did speak of his upbringing in a poor section of Chicago, and had mentioned that he sold newspapers to earn money when he was young.

ZAKARIN described RUBY as a loyal American citizen, and he never knew him to engage in any political activity. His interests seemed to center around sports.

ZAKARIN could only recall the name of one member of the service group, and that was a Sergeant (First Name Unknown) LOGDSEN (phonetic), who was a "Line Chief" in their service group. The man in charge of the group was a Lieutenant or a Warrant Officer named ROSENSWEIG (phonetic). There were two pilots who were stationed at Chatham Field, Georgia, and who flew the P-47s serviced by this group. They were Major DOWNING and a Captain DAY, and ZAKARIN believed they were stationed at this base for quite a few months while he was stationed there.

ZAKARIN believed that RUBY's parents were deceased at the time, but RUBY was apparently fond of his sister, named EVA, who frequently sent him packages of food.

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On June 11, 1964, Major George Stewart, State Selective Service Headquarters, Springfield, Illinois, advised that the Selective Service file for Jack L. Ruby was destroyed in 1955 pursuant to a directive pertaining to such records issued in that year from National Headquarters. The only information pertaining to Ruby, as such, was a card and classification ledger which information had been previously furnished to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Stewart stated Local Draft Board 124, Chicago, according to records available in his office, was located at 9 South Kedzie, Chicago, Illinois, and during the period 1940 - 1942, had the following Board members:

Alfred R. Anderson	William A. Bell
George Gamboney	Frank M. McKey
Harold Meckel	William S. Wilcox

Major Stewart stated these Board members were never salaried and were appointed on the recommendation of the Governor and no records are maintained in the office of the Governor, State of Illinois, regarding the appointments or identities or background information concerning these individuals.

Major Stewart could not assist in locating the present whereabouts of these individuals, however, stated that if they could not be located through logical sources in Chicago, Illinois, the only possibility that would remain would be National Headquarters of Selective Service as he recalls that such Board members, upon completion of service, received a citation signed by the President of the United States and this might be a matter of record with National Headquarters.

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On June 15, 1964, George W. Gamboney, 5132 West Madison, Chicago, Illinois, advised he was a member of Local Draft Board 124, Chicago, during 1940-1942. Frank M. McKey and William S. Wilcox were also members of the board and a Mrs. Carey was the Clerk during that time. He advised that the other members of the board were "fly by nights" and never actually participated in the Board's affairs but were merely members in name only. To his knowledge both Mr. Wilcox and Mr. McKey are now deceased. Both they and the other individuals connected with the Board were in their sixties during the early 1940's and he was the youngest man connected with it. He is now sixty-two years of age. The person who would most likely recall if Jack L. Ruby was registered with the Board would be Mrs. Carey, the former Clerk. He personally had never heard of Jack L. Ruby or Lee Harvey Oswald prior to the assassination.

On June 16, 1964, Mrs. William S. Wilcox, Jr., 8131 South Campbell, Chicago, Illinois, stated her father-in-law, William S. Wilcox, had been deceased for the last ten years. She stated that he, Mr. George Gamboney and Frank M. McKey were the active members of Local Draft Board 124 in Chicago. She advised that Mr. McKey was deceased. She stated, however, that Mrs. Bernard Dempsey, 2521 West 109th Street, Chicago, William S. Wilcox's daughter, could probably furnish information concerning the location of Mrs. Carey.

On June 16, 1964, Mrs. Bernard Dempsey, 2521 West 109th, Chicago, advised that her father, William S. Wilcox, George Gamboney and Frank M. McKey were the only active members of Local Draft Board 124 to her knowledge. She stated her father has been dead for ten years and Mr. McKey has been dead for about the same length of time. She was able to furnish information as to the location of Mrs. Clarence Carey, former Clerk of Local Draft Board 124.

On June 16, 1964, Mrs. Clarence Carey, 4921 Newcastle, Chicago, stated she was the Clerk of Local Draft Board 124 from September, 1940, until May, 1947. Mr. William S. Wilcox was the Board Chairman and Frank M. McKey and

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George Gamboney were members of the Board. Harold Meckel was also a member, but he never attended the meetings. She recalled that Alfred R. Anderson and William A. Bell were also members but they took no active part in the operation of the Board. She was quite certain that the only surviving member of the Board was George Gamboney.

Mrs. Carey stated that the Board handled 6,000 registrants during the war years and she personally could not recall Jack L. Ruby. She stated she had never heard of Ruby or Lee Harvey Oswald prior to the assassination.