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JOHN D. GAUGHAN, 1131 Comstock Drive, owner, El Corte Hotel, was interviewed, at which time he stated he does not know JACK RUBY.

On November 24, 1963, he attended a rodeo in Las Vegas with BENNIE BINION and BINION's son JACK, and at that time the name of JACK RUBY came up in conversation. The BINIONS, originally from Dallas, Texas, stated they did not know RUBY with the exception that BENNIE BINION believed he had heard of RUBY before. GAUGHAN stated he talked to numerous individuals at the rodeo and an unrecalled individual mentioned that RUBY had been in Las Vegas, about a week ago, and stayed at the Sahara Hotel.

GAUGHAN, who is also an owner of record of the Flamingo Hotel, advised he had just been in telephonic contact with JERRY GORDON, Manager of the Flamingo, and GORDON stated that RUBY was unknown to individuals at the Flamingo and had never stayed there to his knowledge. GAUGHAN stated that Flamingo Hotel representative, JERRY ROSENBERG, Dallas, Texas, telephone number EM 8-6930, would certainly know RUBY and could possibly furnish information concerning him.

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JOYCE LEE McDONALD, 424 1/2 W. 10th Street, Apartment 3, Dallas, Texas, was interviewed at the Carousel Club, 1312 1/2 Commerce, Dallas, in an attempt to identify an unknown male who visited the Carousel Club during the first part of October, 1963, and was referred to by RUBY as a "real swinger" from Chicago. Miss McDONALD furnished the following information:

Sometime around October 10, 1963, Miss McDONALD was employed on a part-time basis by ROBERT CRAVEN who operated a show at the State Fairgrounds in Dallas. CRAVEN and his partners, BOB MILES and MARVIN GARDNER, had financial difficulty, and as a result wrote a \$100 check which JACK RUBY cashed, and which was subsequently returned for lack of funds.

At about the same time that RUBY cashed this check, Miss McDONALD met LAWRENCE V. MEYERS from Chicago at the Carousel Club. During one of several evenings that McDONALD saw MEYERS at the club she had several drinks with him and was told by MEYERS that he had business interests in Chicago, Minneapolis, and Las Vegas, Nevada, and that his headquarters was in Chicago, Illinois. Miss McDONALD did not know the relationship between RUBY and MEYERS, but felt that they knew each other only casually.

One or two days after first meeting MEYERS, Miss McDONALD saw MEYERS at the fairgrounds in Dallas, and having already heard about CRAVEN's bad check for \$100, MEYERS gave Miss McDONALD a check signed LAWRENCE V. MEYERS, in the amount of \$200, made payable to JACK RUBY, drawn on an unknown Chicago bank. This check was to assist CRAVEN and McDONALD in operating the show at the fairgrounds. After checking with the Chicago bank and learning that the check was good, RUBY cashed the \$200 check. McDONALD then reimbursed RUBY the \$100 he had lost as a result of CRAVEN's check and kept the remaining \$100 for her own personal use.

Miss McDONALD could not explain MEYERS' motive in giving her the \$200 and indicated that MEYERS had never made any improper advances to McDONALD, but she felt that he would no doubt make some type of request of her in the future.

McDONALD next saw MEYERS on the evening of November 21, 1963, when he appeared at the Carousel Club with a girl by the

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