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MEYER H. ABLON, 3064 Walnut Hill Lane, voluntarily furnished the following information:

In about 1955 he owned a night club called The Chateau and one evening JOE BONDS, who owned the Sky Club, brought JACK RUBY into his club. RUBY invited him to visit the Vegas Club and thereafter he visited RUBY at the Vegas Club on numerous occasions. RUBY also visited him numerous times at his club, The Chateau. This all occurred between 1955 and 1957. Their relationship was strictly personal and he has never had any business dealings with RUBY, nor did they ever discuss the possibility of doing any business together. JOE BONDS rented The Chateau from him in 1956. He believes RUBY asked BONDS to help him run the Vegas Club but did not know if this happened or if BONDS was ever in business with RUBY. He has not seen or talked with RUBY in the past four or five years.

RUBY was a very nervous individual and could not sit still for any length of time. He always had to be doing something. He recalled that on one occasion when he was in the Vegas Club a customer who had had too much to drink became rather noisy. RUBY attempted to quiet him down in a nice way but when the customer became smart with RUBY, RUBY grabbed him by the shirt and escorted him out of the club. He believed RUBY was the type of person who was not afraid of anyone and if given good reason he would fight. He never knew RUBY to carry a gun or to be in any trouble with the Police Department. He described RUBY as a very likeable and friendly fellow. He never recalled seeing RUBY in the company of a girl. He has heard that RUBY was from Chicago but knows no further information regarding RUBY's background.

He has never heard anything concerning RUBY attempting to bribe or pay off any police officers or any other person to obtain favors. He does not know LEE HARVEY OSWALD, nor does he know of any association between OSWALD and RUBY.

on 12/13/63 at Dallas, Texas File # DL 44-1639
by Special Agent # LANSING P. LOGAN and
ALTON E. BRAMBLETT - LAC Date dictated 12/18/63

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Mr. AL GOLDEN, Westube Corporation, 1920 East Maple Street, El Segundo, California, upon interview advised as follows:

He stated that he formerly resided at 1355 Western Avenue, Northwest Section, Chicago, Illinois, and attended Schley Grammar School located at Oakley and Patomic Street, Northwest Section, Chicago, Illinois.

Mr. GOLDEN states that to the best of his recollection he attended this school in the early "1920's" and added that JACK RUBENSTEIN was also in attendance at this grammar school. He stated that after graduating from Schley Grammar School he and RUBENSTEIN, who was generally known as "Yank" among the other school children, then went to Sabin Junior High School.

Mr. GOLDEN advised that it was his recollection that he attended this latter school for one or two semesters and withdrew as his family moved to another section of Chicago, Illinois. He added that while attending Schley Grammar School he became involved in an argument with RUBENSTEIN, nature unrecalled, in the school yard of Schley Grammar School, whereupon RUBEN "knocked the hell out of me".

Mr. GOLDEN described RUBENSTEIN during that period as being a "real nice kid but somebody you should not mess around with". He stated that RUBENSTEIN had a "trigger temper" and stated that if other school children took advantage of RUBENSTEIN it was the general rumor among the school children that "you were in for trouble and a beating".

Mr. GOLDEN added that from a temperament standpoint RUBENSTEIN was no worse than the other kids but his temper was "triggered real quick" and by the same token he, RUBENSTEIN, "calmed down just as fast" and held no grudges against any of the kids with whom he might get in an argument with.

Mr. GOLDEN stated that after he and RUBENSTEIN engaged in a scuffle they became the best of friends while in attendance at the above schools as previously indicated.

On 12/20/63 at El Segundo, California File # Los Angeles 44-895
by SA JAMES D. FAZIOLA:deb Date dictated 12/20/63

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He described RUBENSTEIN as a kid who would "give you the shirt off his back". He added that while they were attending Sabin Junior High School together it is his recollection that the RUBENSTEIN family moved to the West side of Chicago, Illinois, and he, GOLDEN, advised that he last saw RUBENSTEIN in the early 1920's on the West side of Chicago while he, GOLDEN, was passing through that area. He stated that they bid each other the time of day and talked very briefly and he, GOLDEN, advised that this was the last occasion on which he has seen RUBENSTEIN personally.

Mr. GOLDEN advised that to his knowledge there is no connection or acquaintanceship between LEE HARVEY OSWALD and JACK RUBENSTEIN.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA
 J. MASON MELVIN:

AT WEST YELLOWSTONE, MONTANA

On December 4, 1963, EDWARD MORRIS, Jr., owner, MORRIS MOTEL, advised that he is, no doubt, the person who was overheard to remark that he, MORRIS, could call Chicago, Illinois, anytime and get all the information he wanted on JACK RUBY. MORRIS pointed out that he had been drinking at the time on November 24, 1963, but he pointed out that he had formerly resided in Chicago and, when he had seen the picture of RUBY on TV, he is sure that this is the same person who ran the TORCH CLUB, or the bar next to the TORCH CLUB, about 18 to 20 years ago. The TORCH CLUB was located on the northwest corner of Walton and Clark Streets in Chicago. The bar next to it is not believed to be any longer in existence. At that time RUBY was not using the last name of RUBY and the name he was using may have been RUBENSTEIN or similar.

MORRIS also believed that this man had worked as a bouncer at other places in Chicago. MORRIS said he is going back to Chicago next week for a visit and, if he learns any information there, he will contact the Chicago FBI Office. MORRIS noted that there was a rumor to the effect that this man, whatever his name, was run out of Chicago by "the syndicate."

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