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BEATRICE HECHT was interviewed at her residence, 81-03 254th Street, Glen Oaks, Queens, New York. She is presently married to Doctor MAX H. HECHT, Dentist, whose offices are located in their residence.

Her maiden name is BEATRICE SCHULL. Her first marriage was to RAPHAEL PAUL, also known as RALPH PAUL, on October 20, 1920, in New York, New York. She exhibited a document reflecting that she had filed a petition for divorce in Supreme Court, Bronx County, New York, on November 20, 1931, and the divorce became final in February, 1932. She had divorced PAUL, as she had decided after ten years of marriage that she had never been in love with her husband.

She described PAUL as a very hard working man and a good provider for his family. He had worked with his father operating a fruit store on 161st Street in Bronx County, New York, near the Yankee Stadium. He frequently worked 18 -20 hours a day. She never knew him to engage in any political activity of any kind.

Her sexual relationship with PAUL during their marriage was a perfectly normal sexual relationship. She had no knowledge that PAUL had any homosexual tendencies.

They had two children born of this union, a daughter RITA, who was 42 on June 1, 1964, and a daughter MARILYN, who was 38 on May 2, 1964. Both her daughters are now married.

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Mr. JOHN M. BASINGER, minister, First Baptist Church, Lake City, Arkansas, furnished the following information concerning his brother, REX HARDING BASINGER:

REX was born in October 1918 at Hackett, Arkansas. When REX was 18 years of age, he worked in a CCC camp, then he attended Arkansas State College at Jonesboro for one year and then attended Arkansas Tech College at Russellville, Arkansas, for one year.

At the age of 21 he enlisted in the United States Coast Guard where he served for one year. REX then transferred to the United States Army where he remained for four years.

In about 1943 REX married MILDRED BASINGER, maiden name unknown, but who was then employed as secretary to Senator MC KELLAR from Tennessee. REX and MILDRED lived together for about two years and of this union a son, REX HARDING BASINGER, JR., was born. MILDRED BASINGER is now residing in Maryland, name of town unknown, and is employed by the United States Government, branch unknown, in Washington, D. C. REX, JR. is now in the United States Marine Corps.

In about 1948 REX moved to Denver, Colorado, and has resided there since that time with the exception of about four years while serving in the United States Air Force. As he recalls, REX was discharged from the Air Force in about 1957 and has since been employed driving a taxicab in Denver, Colorado.

REX has the following relatives:

Parents	JAMES ALLEN and GEORGIA BASINGER, both deceased
Brothers	JOHN M. BASINGER, Lake City, Arkansas; HORACE K. BASINGER, 12289 West Connecticut Drive, Denver, Colorado
Sister	Mrs. BEATRICE BLAYLOCK, 1141 Pearl Street, Denver, Colorado

HORACE BASINGER and BEATRICE BLAYLOCK are both employed by the Veterans Administration in the Federal Building, Denver, Colorado.

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