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Mr. BERKE suggested the name of MARTY BRIN, who he believes is presently a salesman for a beer company in Chicago, as a person who knew many of the people in and around Randolph Street, Chicago, Illinois during the late 1930's and early 1940's. He advised that BRIN during that period operated a tavern on the main floor of the 54 West Randolph Street Building.

IRWIN BERKE was reinterviewed at 5338 Laurel Canyon Boulevard.

He stated he recalls nothing in addition to information he furnished on November 28, 1963, except that the person known to him in Chicago as JACK RUBY or RUBENSTEIN was also known as "SPARKY." He said the name GEORGE WILLIAM FEHRENBACH is unknown to him. He said he recalls a young man, possibly age 16 in the early 1940's, worked for his father-in-law, SAM JAFFE, as an apprentice jeweler in Muncie, Indiana. He said he does not recall having any conversation with FEHRENBACH or showing him any photographs of girls. He said he does not recall any "tall blond show girl" or anyone in military service traveling with him in the mid-forties from Chicago to Muncie, Indiana.

BERKE stated BEN KENTER, a Chicago attorney, and his wife, PEGGY, accompanied BERKE and his wife to Muncie in the mid-forties on one trip. KENTER and wife proceeded on to Ohio to visit their son who was attending school in that state. BERKE related that HAROLD and JEAN SUGARMAN, presently living in Bel Air, California, also accompanied him and his wife on several trips to Muncie as did his brother-in-law, SEYMOUR CHAZIN, and wife, CHARLOTTE.

BERKE said he knew PHILLIP JASSER fairly well on a social basis. JASSER is now deceased and his wife, name unrecalled, has remarried. He was acquainted with LAWSON JAFFE, a cousin through marriage, and worked briefly for him in South Bend, Indiana, date of employment unrecalled. JAFFE, now living in Dayton, Ohio, recently suffered a stroke. He was well acquainted with MORTON STANDT, a business partner of LAWSON JAFFE, but knew HERBERT and MORTON PAZOL only casually. The PAZOLS were friendly business competitors on SAM JAFFE in Muncie, Indiana.

BERKE stated he was born May 2, 1912, is 5'9" tall, weighs 172 pounds, has blond, graying hair with a receding hairline, and blue eyes. He described his wife, ROSYLIN, as age 50, 5'5" tall, 118 pounds, blue eyes, dark graying hair, dark complexion.

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