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Under date of February 4, 1964, the FBI Laboratory furnished the following information concerning a document examination requested by the Dallas Office under date of January 30, 1964:

Specimens received: January 31, 1964

Resubmission of Q348

One Russian Language book on cooking and other useful information with green and blue binding, in which book was found the WALKER letter written by LEE HARVEY OSWALD

Q452 One gold box containing a silver-colored bracelet with the word "MARINA" engraved thereon

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the handwritten notation inside the front cover of Q348 was written by LEE HARVEY OSWALD, K3 and K4 in this case.

The bracelet Q452 was examined for cavities of possible use in espionage and none were found.

The inscription "Japan" was found stamped on the inside surface of one of the links of the bracelet. It was not possible to determine whether the bracelet was sold in the United States or a foreign country.

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Under date of January 23, 1964, the FBI Laboratory advised as follows concerning an examination requested by the Dallas Office on January 3, 1964:

Specimens received: 1/8/64

OSWALD's possessions from RUTH PAINE's residence, 2515 W. Fifth Street, Irving, Texas, and from 1028 N. Beckley Street, Dallas, Texas:

Q354	Item A1	Blue and black zipper handbag with loop handles with side zipper compartment
Q355	Item A2	Brown plastic portable radio with gold trim
Q356	Item A3	Pair of men's brown Oxford shoes, "Pinehurst" brand
Q357	Item A4	Pair of men's black Oxford shoes with crepe soles, "John Hardy" brand
Q358	Item A5	Pair of men's shoes "Thongs style"
Q359	Item A6	Brown plastic power supply electronic device with blue cord (for use with radio)
Q360	Item A7	Pair of black 4 x 20 binoculars, No. 591998, bearing the legend 6NT, with brown case, with strap
Q361	Item A8	Blue plastic zipper shaving kit with strap handle
Q362	Item A9	Pair of heavy cotton ribbed men's socks
Q363	Item A10	Pair of men's brown socks with brown and white diamond design
Q364	Item A11	Pair of brown elastic top men's socks with brown and white pattern
Q365	Item A12	Pair of men's white elastic top socks
Q366	Item A13	Pair of men's brown cotton gloves

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Q367 Item A14 Pair of men's gray cotton slacks with zipper
 Q368 Item A15 Pair of men's gray cotton slacks "Farah" brand - ripped
 Q369 Item A16 Men's brown cotton sport shirt with long sleeves, "Briarloom Traditionals by Enro"
 Q370 Item A17 Pair of men's blue shorts with elastic top
 Q371 Item A18 Two white washcloths with yellow stripes, "Cannon" brand
 Q372 Item A19 Two white hand towels with pink and red stripes with frayed edges
 Q373 Item A20 Two bath towels with white and pink stripes
 Q374 Item A21 One white cloth, unlabeled
 Q375 Item A22 One pillowcase with green top and flowered design
 Q376 Item A23 One men's "BYD" T shirt, size 34-36 (dirty)
 Q377 Item A24 One men's white T shirt, "Brent" brand, size 38-40
 Q378 Item A25 One men's "Arrow" T shirt, size 36
 Q379 Item A26 One men's white undershirt
 Q380 Item A27 One pair of men's white shorts with name L. E. OSWALD; torn in back
 Q381 Item A28 Two men's white handkerchiefs
 Q382 Item A29 One men's handkerchief, gray with gray and red stripes
 Q383 Item A30 One box "Marcal Kitchen Charm" wax paper
 Q384 Item A31 One box of four bottles and one box of three bottles of "Squibbs" Pentids "400"
 Q385 Item A32 One bar pink "Lux" soap
 Q386 Item A33 One small plastic box containing three lima bean shaped "Squibbs" tablets and piece of cotton

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Q387 Item A34 One single blade brown pocketknife
 Q388 Item A35 One two-blade pocketknife, plastic handle, with corksorew
 Q389 Item A36 Plastic box containing tweezers and two pieces of cotton
 Q390 Item A37 Small plastic box, empty
 Q391 Item A38 Mirror in green folding case
 Q392 Item A39 One can "Tidy" deodorant powder
 Q393 Item A40 One "Gillette" adjustable razor with blade
 Q394 Item A41 One tube of "Colgate" dental cream, partially empty
 Q395 Item A42 One plastic bottle "Mum" mist spray deodorant
 Q396 Item A43 Yellow toothbrush, "Colgate" brand
 Q397 Item A44 Small cake, used, pink soap
 Q398 Item A45 Small green plastic hand brush
 Q399 Item A46 Green and brown BB automatic ball-point pen
 Q400 Item A47 Small pair scissors bearing letters "USA"
 Q401 Item A48 Package containing 14 "Gillette" thin blades and one sample "Gillette Super Blue Blade"
 Q402 Item A49 Pair black-rimmed green lens sunglasses
 Q403 Item A50 "Farmers Electric Co-Op, Inc." (advertisement) ball-point pen
 Q404 Item A51 Nail clipper with chain, "Gem" brand
 Q405 Item A52 Nail clipper, "Trim" brand
 Q406 Item A53 Small hotel type green bar of soap made by "Fabrica de Jabon, LALUS, S. A., Mexico, D. F." (Lalus Soap Factory, Mexico, D. F.)
 Q407 Item A54 White plastic cup

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Q408 Item A55 Partial tube "Foilie"
 Q409 Item A56 Small bottle iodine, "Layman's" brand
 Q410 Item A57 Two small brown unlabeled bottles with liquid
 Q411 Item A58 Small bottle of clear liquid bearing labels with Cyrillic printing
 Q412 Item A59 Four unused airmail envelopes
 Q413 Item A60 One unused U. S. Post Office Change of Address card
 Q414 Item A61 Four onionskin blank sheets of paper
 Q415 Item A62 One "Pearl" beer bottle opener
 Q416 Item A63 One small red soft plastic open container
 Q417 Item A64 One "Venus Forum" pencil
 Q418 Item A65 One yellow "Yellowstone" pencil
 Q419 Item A66 One brown "E-Z Note" pencil
 Q420 Item A70 One padlock key on key chain
 Q421 Item A71 One black, small crayon pencil
 Q422 Item A72 Two large paper clips
 Q423 Item A73 One 10¢ box of "Steel City Gem" small #3 paper clips
 Q424 Item A74 One cardboard box with 18 brass-colored thumbtacks
 Q425 Item A75 One brush with hollow tin handle
 Q426 Item A76 Label with "King Oscar Kipper" recipes
 Q427 Item A77 Box, yellow top, black bottom, bearing name "Ektachrome" torn
 Q428 Item A78 One silver-colored men's cuff link

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Q429 Item A79 Alphabetical index guidecards labeled A through Z - unmarked
 Q430 Item A80 Steel index cardbox, "Weis, Monroe, Michigan" brand
 Q431 Item A81 31 6 x 4 lined index cards, blank
 Q432 Item A82 Two small padlocks with keys
 Q433 Item A83 One Fair Play For Cuba positive film strip
 Q434 Item A84 Tie bar
 Q435 Item A85 BB and eyelet

Results of examination:

Nothing was noted during the examination of specimens Q384, Q385, Q386, Q392, Q394, Q395, Q397, Q405, Q408 through Q414, Q417, Q418, Q419, Q421, Q429, and Q431 which would indicate that these specimens would be particularly useful in the field of espionage. The specimens were found to be as purported. The unlabeled bottles in specimen Q410 contain hair oil and shampoo. The liquid in specimen Q411 was identified as an alcoholic beverage.

Q354 through Q435 were examined for microdots, but none were found. These specimens were examined for concealed cavities, but none were found.

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Under date of January 30, 1964, the FBI Laboratory advised as follows, concerning a cryptanalysis examination requested by the Dallas Office on January 6, 1964:

Specimens received: January 7, 1964

- Q439 Paperback edition of University of Chicago, Spanish-English, English-Spanish Dictionary, Pocket Book Edition 6138
- Q440 Paperback edition of Merriam-Webster Pocket Dictionary (of the English language)
- Q441 Color picture postcard bearing printed description on back "TORRE LATINO-LATIN TOWER MEXICO, D. F."
- Q442 Color picture postcard bearing printed description on back "MONUMENTO DE LA REVOLUCION MEXICO, D. F."
- Q443 Color picture postcard bearing printed description on back "MONUMENTO DE LA REVOLUCION VISTA PANORAMICA MEXICO, D. F."
- Q444 Color picture postcard bearing printed description on back "VISTA PANORAMICA VIEW MEXICO, D. F."
- Q445 Color picture postcard bearing printed description on back "TORROS EN MEXICO BULL FIGHT IN MEXICO"
- Q446 Color picture postcard bearing printed description on back "TORROS EN MEXICO BULL FIGHT IN MEXICO" and printing on front of card "TORROS EN MEXICO"

Result of examination:

Specimens Q439 through Q446 were examined cryptanalytically. While submitted specimens or any similar material could conceivably involve code or cipher, on the basis of material and information available for analysis no valid coded message can be established as being present or was there any indication that the dictionaries were being used for coding purposes.

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 T. R. APPLE,
 a witness called by the defendant, being first duly sworn,
 testified on his oath as follows:
 DIRECT EXAMINATION
 BY MR. TONAHILL:
 Q State your name, age, occupation, place of residence,
 if you will to the Jury.
 A My name is T. R. Apple; my age is forty-one; I am a
 pilot for American Airlines; I reside in the City of Dallas.
 Q How long have you been flying for American?
 A Thirteen years.
 Q And before that, what did you do?
 A I was a jewelry engraver in the City.

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