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Mrs. EDITH WHITWORTH, 315 S. Jefferson (BL 3-2538), stated she formerly operated the Furniture Mart, a furniture store, at 149 E. Irving Boulevard, Irving, Texas, having closed the business during the latter part of January, 1964.

Mrs. WHITWORTH said she is confident in her own mind that the man, woman, and two small children who visited the Furniture Mart on November 6, 7, or 8, 1963, as she has previously related, were LEE HARVEY OSWALD, MARINA OSWALD, and two small children.

Mrs. WHITWORTH stated that on the occasion of the visit, LEE HARVEY OSWALD entered the store and asked for an unrecalled part for a gun. Mrs. WHITWORTH said she told him the gun shop had moved and directed him to a gun shop that had a gunsmith that was located nearby. She stated she does not specifically recall which gun shop she referred OSWALD to but in all probability referred him to the Irving Sports Shop which was only one block east of the Furniture Mart. She stated she might have referred him to Ed's Pawn Shop, 616 E. Irving Boulevard, which is operated by ED FULBRIGHT. She explained that WARREN GRAVES previously operated a gun shop in the space occupied by the Furniture Mart but GRAVES sold out to FULBRIGHT in early 1963 but continued to work for FULBRIGHT at Ed's Pawn Shop, therefore, she might have referred OSWALD to that shop in view of her acquaintanceship with GRAVES.

Mrs. WHITWORTH recalled that after she gave OSWALD directions to the gun shop she noticed that she had furniture and stated he would be needing some furniture within two or three weeks and started looking around. She said she started showing him used furniture and talking to him trying to determine what he was really interested in and during this period they were joined by a woman who was carrying a baby and accompanied by a two year old girl. She said she later saw pictures of the woman on television and in the news-papers and now knows her to be MARINA OSWALD, wife of the late LEE HARVEY OSWALD. She started talking about the children and LEE HARVEY OSWALD told her that the baby was two weeks old at that time which brought to mind her grandsons as one was born October 10, 1963, and

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the other was born October 28, 1961, which made their birthdays near that of the OSWALD baby. She further pointed out that her older grandson was near the age of OSWALD's older daughter.

Mrs. WHITWORTH stated she knows that the couple who visited the Furniture Mart on the above occasion were LEE HARVEY OSWALD and MARINA OSWALD. She said LEE HARVEY OSWALD was wearing a white shirt and a dark sweater while MARINA was wearing a car coat believed to be blue. She said she has no recollection how the two year old daughter was dressed and only recalls the baby was wrapped in a blanket of unknown color and description.

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