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Yesterday afternoon at approx. 12³⁰ PM I was standing on the side walk ~~on the~~ against a bldg. on the corner of Elm & Houston streets watching the motorcade of the President. I heard loud noise like a fire cracker or gun shot & I look around to see where the noise came from I looked up & saw the barrel of a rifle sticking out of a window ~~over~~ my head about 50 ft to stories up. While I was looking at the gun it was fired again, I looked back at Mr. Kennedy & he was slumping over. I got scared & ran from the location - while I was running I heard the gun fire two more times. I ran from Elm St to Pacific street on Houston. When I was about 100 yards from the bldg. I stopped to get my breath and looked back at the bldg. I saw a W4, 5'8" to 5'10" - dark hair - avg. weight for height - white shirt or jacket open - down front - no hat - ~~was~~ didn't have anything in hands come out of the bldg. & run into