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MANCHESTER 3/17 NX  
 1ST ADD MANCHESTER 3/17 NX ADV FOR 6 PM EST SUN MAR 19.  
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"AT THE OUTSET, I WAS TRYING TO FIND OUT WHAT HAD GONE WRONG," HE WROTE. "IT WAS FUTILE. LIKE HER, HE APPEARED TO BE WHOLLY IRRATIONAL. HE ACCUSED ME OF RAISING MY VOICE. HE PRETENDED TO LEAVE THE ROOM, HID IN AN ALCOVE, AND LEAPT OUT, POINTING AN ACCUSING FINGER AT ME. ONCE, HE BECKONED EVAN ASIDE AND HELD A WHISPERED CONVERSATION WITH HIM, GLARING MEANTIME AT ME."

MANCHESTER SAID THAT LATER SEIGENTHALER TOLD HIM NOT TO WORRY, "BOB HAD BEEN MUCH ROUGHER WITH HIM."  
 HE SAID HE DID NOT REALIZE A YEAR EARLIER THAT LETTERS TO HIM FROM MRS. KENNEDY "THAT HAD BEEN SIGNED 'AFFECTIONATELY, JACKIE,' WOULD NOW COLDLY END, 'SINCERELY, JACQUELINE KENNEDY.'"

HIS PRINCIPAL ALLY IN THE DISPUTE WITH THE KENNEDYS, MANCHESTER SAID, WAS HISTORIAN ARTHUR M. SCHLESINGER JR., HIMSELF THE AUTHOR OF A BOOK ON THE KENNEDY ADMINISTRATION ENTITLED "A THOUSAND DAYS."

HE SAID SCHLESINGER SENT HIM A SIX-PAGE MEMO AND URGED THAT HE RESTORE SOME SELF-IMPOSED DELETIONS, DESCRIBING THE MANUSCRIPT AS "REMARKABLE AND POTENTIALLY A GREAT BOOK."

BUT OF SIX HIGH QUALITY WORKS ON THE KENNEDY ADMINISTRATION, MANCHESTER SAID, ONLY "MY 12 YEARS WITH JOHN F. KENNEDY" BY MRS. EVELYN LINCOLN, PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S PERSONAL SECRETARY, ESCAPED CENSORSHIP. HE SAID MRS. LINCOLN REMAINED SO AFFECTED BY THE ASSASSINATION SHE COULD NOT BRING HERSELF EVEN TO ATTEND

PRESIDENT JOHNSON'S INAUGURAL IN 1965.  
 MANCHESTER SAID MANY KENNEDY AIDES AND OTHER PRINCIPALS OF NOV. 22, 1963 COULD BARELY WITHSTAND THE MEMORY TO SIT FOR

INTERVIEWS.

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TEXAS GOV. JOHN B. CONNALLY JR., WOUNDED IN THE ASSASSINATION, SUDDENLY "WAS PERSPIRING AND SMOKING TWO CIGARETTES SIMULTANEOUSLY. IT WAS AS THOUGH I HAD STUMBELED UPON A SECRET PANEL LEADING TO A PAINFUL PAST."

MANCHESTER SAID TED SORENSEN, LONGTIME KENNEDY AIDE, SPEECHWRITER AND AUTHOR OF THE BOOK "KENNEDY," HAD TO BREAK OFF A MARATHON INTERVIEW ON CAFE COD PERIODICALLY TO REGAIN HIS COMPOSURE.

HE SAID ADM. GEORGE BURKLEY, PHYSICIAN TO PRESIDENT KENNEDY, IN RECALLING EVENTS AT PARKLAND MEMORIAL HOSPITAL IN DALLAS, SUDDENLY "SAT IMMOBILE" FOR A FULL THREE MINUTES. "HIS WHITE KNUCKLED HANDS GRIPPING THE EDGE OF HIS DESK. WHEN HE FOUND HIS VOICE, IT WAS A DIFFERENT VOICE, HOARSE AND RASPING, LIKE A FILE."

MANCHESTER SAID THAT AFTER IT WAS AGREED TO CUT 1,600 WORDS FROM THE LOCK SERIALIZATION, MRS. KENNEDY FINALLY BROUGHT HERSELF TO READ THE COMPLETE MANUSCRIPT OF "THE DEATH OF A PRESIDENT." HE SAID ONE OF HER FRIENDS TOLD HIM SHE DID SO WITH "GROWING SURPRISE AND FASCINATION."

THE AUTHOR DID NOT DISGUISE HIS DISTASTE FOR DALLAS, ALTHOUGH HE SAID HE COULD NOT HAVE WRITTEN HIS BOOK WITHOUT THE ASSISTANCE OF THOSE RESIDENTS THERE WHO AIDED HIM. HE SAID HE HAD "NEVER SEEN A CITY SO TIGHTLY HELD BY SO FEW..."

"THERE IS SOMETHING ALMOST TEUTONIC ABOUT BIG D'S MATERIALISM, ITS DEFERENCE TO THE MEN OF SINew," HE SAID.

MANCHESTER SAID HE ENJOYED AUSTIN, SAN ANTONIO, HOUSTON AND FORT WORTH BUT QUOTED A REMARK ATTRIBUTED TO GEN. PHILIP H. SHERIDAN IN 1867: "IF I OWNED TEXAS AND HELL, I'D SELL TEXAS AND LIVE IN HELL."

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