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From Mrs. Helen L. Palmer
(Name of Contributor)

2802 Lacey Dr.
(Address of Contributor)

By A. D. Kelley
(Name of Special Agent)

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Description:
Statement of Mrs Helen L. Palmer.

Dallas, Texas
March 20, 1964

I, Mrs. Helen L. Palmer, make the following voluntary statement to Alfred D. Deeley who has identified himself as a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

I am a white female, age 42 and reside at 2802 Larry Drive, Dallas, Texas. I am employed by the McGraw-Hill Book Co., Room 305, Texas School Book Depository Building, 411 Elm St., Dallas, Texas.

On November 22, 1963 I did not come to work. Instead my son, Foster Evans Jr., 2802 Larry Dr. and I, drove to Love Field to be present when President John F. Kennedy arrived there. When the Presidential Motorcade had left the Airport, I returned to my car which was parked on one of the parking lots. By the time I could get to my car and get the car radio turned on

I heard a radio announcer describe the events of the motorcade. Shortly thereafter I heard the radio announcer say that President Kennedy had been shot and that the shots were believed to have been fired from the Texas School Book Depository Building.

I drove to the vicinity of the Texas School Book Depository Building and walked to the front door. I was not able to get inside as the door was locked.

I did not see Lee Harvey Oswald on November 22, 1963. I do not know Oswald but I had seen him several times in the building prior to November 22, 1963.

I remained in the area near Texas School Book Depository Building until about 3 AM. when I left and returned to my home.

I have read this statement concisely

of this and one other page and
it is true.

Helen L. Palmer

Witnessed:

Engene J. Petrosio, Special Agent, FBI, Dallas, Tex
3/20/64

Arford D. Healey, Special Agent FBI
Dallas, Texas 3/20/64