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No information is available indicating a Cabinet officer was in Dallas, Texas, at the time President Kennedy was assassinated. The second installment of Manchester's book, appearing in the February 7, 1967, edition of "Look" magazine, refers to notes taken by Mrs. Johnson following the assassination. This is set forth on page 55.

On page 45 of "The President's Commission on the Assassination of President Kennedy Report" the identities of individuals who participated in the Presidential motorcade in Dallas, Texas, on November 22, 1963, are set forth. None of the individuals listed were members of President Kennedy's Cabinet. It is noted, however, that one of the participants is identified as Lawrence F. O'Brien, who at that time was Special Assistant to the President for Congressional Relations. Mr. O'Brien is now Postmaster General.

Mr. O'Brien's testimony concerning the assassination is set forth beginning on page 457, Volume VII, of the "Hearings Before the President's Commission on the Assassination of President Kennedy." Mr. O'Brien makes no reference to any note taking in this testimony.

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This information was requested by Marvin Watson, Special Assistant to the President, and prepared in blind memorandum form at his specific request.

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