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Worked with the Sheriff's Deputies at the rear of the Texas School Book Depository for about six or eight minutes. He then entered the front door of the Depository, in search of a phone from which to call his office. Mr. Powell, upon entering the Texas School Book Depository, observed Mr. Pierce Allman using a phone in the lobby of the building. Mr. Powell stated that he did not meet anyone upon entering the building nor was he called upon to identify himself to anyone. (Mr. Powell stated that the only persons present on the first floor of the building at the time of his entry were Mr. Allman and an unidentified white male described as being tall and about 30 years of age; both of these men were near a dock in the lobby and Mr. Allman was using a telephone.

Mr. Powell has submitted a report of his activities immediately subsequent to the assassination of the President and states that his report will be available to this office upon request.

On 1-29-64 Mr. Pierce Allman was interviewed at his office in the WFAA T-V building where he is employed as Program Director. <u>Mr. Allman</u> is described as a white male, 5'8", 140, brown hair, crew cut, brown eyes, about 35. Mr. Allman was interviewed relative to activities immediately subsequent to the assassination. Mr. Allman stated that he was watching the parade from a position near the corner of Elm and Houston. Upon hearing the shots he ran across Elm Street to a couple who had fallen to the ground. He asked the man if he was all right; the man stated that he was. Allman then ran up an incline toward Houston Street. Upon reaching the top of the incline, he turned and ran down. He stated that he is at a loss to explain this action other than he was extremely excited and upset by the assassination.

Mr. Allman then stated that he ran full speed into the Texas School Book Depository Building with intention of locating a phone and calling his television station WEAA. Mr. Allman stated that after he had entered the front door of the building, he had emerged into a hallway and there he met a white male whom he could not further identify. He asked this white male for the location of a telephone. Mr. Allman stated that he did not identify himself to this person; stated further that he was extremely excited at the time and that he could not remember anything about the person except for the fact that he was a white male. Mr. Allman has seen pictures of Lee Harvey Cawald and could not positively state whether or not he is the one of whom he inquired. Mr. Allman stated that the person pointed out a phone to him which was located in an open area on the first floor of the Texas School Book Depository; that he immediately went to the telephone and stayed at this position for approximately 25 minutes talking to his office. Mr. Allman stated that he was accompanied by a fellow worker, Terry Ford.

During the above interview it was noted that Mr. Allman carries his press pass in a leather case similar to cases carried by Federal agents and police officers. On January 31, 1963, Mr. Terrence Ford, Radio Promotion Dispetor, WFAA, was interviewed relative to his actions subsequent to the assassination.

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Mr. Ford stated that he had accompanied Mr. Allman to the corner of Houston and Elm Streets to watch the procession; that upon hearing shots, he retreated to a concrete building near the side of the small park bordering Elm Street, then running back toward the Texas School Book Depository. He followed Allman into the building, walking on his right side. He remembers Allman turning to his left to ask a white male the location of a telephone. Ford stated the white male, whom he can neither identify nor describe, indicated in some manner that identifying himself at this time. Ford stated that he did not have a press card at this time and did not identify himself to anyone until he left the building about one hour later.

Ford has seen pictures of Lee Harvey Cawald and states he cannot remember if Oswald was the man he and Allman met at the front door of the Texas School Book Depository.

## DISPOSITION

The facts surrounding the entrance of Allman and Ford into the Texas School Book Depository indicate that they are the men referred to by Oswald in his interview with Captain Fritz. In view of this and of the fact that there is no indication that they identified themselves as Secret Service Agents, this phase of the inves-

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