

COUNTY OF DALLAS
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

SUPPLEMENTARY INVESTIGATION REPORT

Name of Complainant

Serial No.

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY

Offense

Officer Buddy Walthers, Deputy Sheriff, Dallas County Sheriff's Office

DETAILS OF OFFENSE, PROGRESS OF INVESTIGATION, ETC.
(Investigating Officer must sign)

11/22/63 H/W
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I was standing at the front entrance of the Dallas Sheriff's Office when the motorcade with President Kennedy passed. I was with the remainder of the President's party when within a few seconds a retort and I immediately recognized it to be a rifle shot started running west across Houston Street and ran across E and up into the Railroad yards. At this time, it was not clear, in fact, this first retort and 2 succeeding retorts were however, in my own mind, I knew. Upon reaching the railroad seeing other officers coming, I immediately went to the intersection of Elm street in an effort to locate possible marks left by while I was looking for possible marks, some unknown person told me that something had hit his face while he was parked on the next lane south from Elm, as the traffic had been stopped for the parade. Upon examining the curb and pavement in this vicinity there a bullet had splattered on the top edge of the curb which would place the direction of firing, high and behind the President's car was in when he was shot. Due to the fact a projectile struck so near the underpass, it was, in my opinion, the first shot that was fired and had apparently went high and behind the President's car. At about this time word was passed through that the President had been shot, as well as Governor Connally. The only building that was likely to have a shot fired from in the Texas School Book Depository Building on the northwest corner of Elm and Houston streets, which, by this time, was fast becoming a police officers. Upon returning to the front of this building I immediately escorted 5 witnesses to the shooting which he told me and took them to Sheriff Bill Decker's office and placed in custody of Deputy Harold Atkins until they could be questioned. Deputy Allan Sweatt told me that a police officer had been in Oak Cliff area somewhere on Jefferson Street. I immediately contacted office with Deputies J. F. Ramsey and Deputy Frank Vela and they went to Oak Cliff. I received information by radio that there was

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