

Mr. R. S. TRULY, Superintendent, Texas School Book Depository (TSBD), advised that on approximately December 16, 1963, a room adjoining the shipping room on the first floor of the TSBD Building was being cleaned and articles in there were being removed. He said that this room has been utilized by various employees who would leave articles of clothing as well as other articles from time to time in the room. He said that some of the colored men eat lunch in this room and play dominos there. He said that in the course of this room being cleaned up a blue jacket with gray quilted lining and zipper front was located and that it was not claimed by any of the employees who have access to the room. He said that in view of this it was his thought that perhaps this jacket belonged to LEE HARVEY OSWALD who was an employee of the TSBD as of the time of the assassination of President KENNEDY in front of this building on November 22, 1963. TRULY said that he had been unable to ascertain through inquiry among employees that this was OSWALD's jacket or that anyone had specifically observed OSWALD wearing it. He stated, however, that he himself had a vague recollection of having possibly seen OSWALD wear a jacket similar to that one in the past. He pointed out that he believed the morning of November 22, 1963, was a cool enough morning that a jacket would have been desirable at the time of the morning OSWALD would have reported for work in the TSBD Building.

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