

Date October 2, 1964

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CORA D. HAZLEWOOD, 114 South Durham, furnished the following information:

She advised she is 68 years of age and spends a great deal of time viewing television programs due to the fact that she is badly crippled by arthritis.

She stated that at approximately 12:30 p.m. on the afternoon of November 22, 1963, she was watching President KENNEDY's parade through Dallas, Texas, on Channel 13. She advised that as the President's car drew even with the Texas School Book Depository, she heard Mrs. KENNEDY say to the President, "You may think that they do not love you here, but look how they are cheering you." She further advised that the President then turned to Mrs. KENNEDY and with a smile said, "Yes".

She advised that approximately two minutes before this exchange of words between the President and his wife, she had seen a gun barrel protruding from the sixth floor window of the Texas School Book Depository. She stated that she knew this was a rifle barrel because she could see the sights on the rifle. She stated that the rifle followed the President's car until it was about even with the Texas School Book Depository. After hearing the exchange of words between the President and his wife, she glanced up at the window where she had seen the rifle and saw three puffs of smoke. She then looked at the President and saw him slumping down in the seat. She further advised that she then looked at the window from which the rifle was protruding and saw someone drawing the rifle back inside. She stated that then a man looked out the window. She further advised she was unable to say definitely that the man she saw was LEE HARVEY OSWALD but that the man she saw certainly had OSWALD's build and complexion. She further stated that the man in the window had wild-looking eyes and appeared to be frightened.

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Mrs. CORA HAZLEWOOD further stated that she was certain that JACK RUBY had murdered OSWALD to keep him from talking about their association. She stated that she believes RUBY was behind President KENNEDY's murder; however, she has no proof or evidence to support her belief.

She further stated that although she is badly crippled, she would be willing to travel any distance to aid in the investigation into the assassination of President KENNEDY.