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R. L. STUDEBAKER, Crime Scene Search Section, Identification Bureau, Dallas Police Department, advised while making a crime scene search of the sixth floor of the Texas School Book Depository, 411 Elm Street, on November 22, 1963, he found what appeared to be brown wrapping paper and tape in which a rifle may have been wrapped for concealment. This wrapping paper had been made up in the form of a bag and was found in the southeast corner lying parallel to a brown cardboard box containing books and from which a latent palmprint had been obtained. The paper bag was lying in the 16" space between the cardboard box and the south wall, approximately 6" from the south wall. The bag was folded double with the open end on top, the open end facing the west and almost touching an iron pipe adjacent to the south wall.

According to STUDEBAKER, the paper bag was removed prior to taking photographs of the southeast corner; however, a closeup photograph taken of this corner is designated as Dallas Police Department Photograph No. 25.

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