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OASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, NOVEMBER
TWENTYTWO, LAST, DALLAS, TEXAS

RE TELEPHONE CALL FROM HANDLEY TODAY RE DALLAS CITY MAP FOUND IN ROOM OF OSWALD.

TONIGHT CAPTAIN WILL FRITZ, HOMICIDE BUREAU, DALLAS POLICE DEPARTMENT, MADE AVAILABLE ORIGINAL OF A STREET MAP OF DALLAS-FT. WORTH ISSUED BY THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY (ENCO). CAPTAIN FRITZ STATES THIS IS THE ONLY SUCH MAP RECOVERED FROM AMONG OSWALD'S EFFECTS.

A MARK NOTICABLE ON THIS MAP IS A BALLPOINT PEN LINE ABOUT ONE EIGHTH INCH LONG DRAWN NEAR THE INTERSECTION OF ELM AND HOUSTON STREETS AND EXTENDING IN A SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION FROM WHAT MIGHT BE CONSIDERED THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE TEXAS SCHOOL BOOK DEPOSITORY COMPANY BUILDING AT FOUR ONE ONE ELM STREET. A BULLET FIRED FROM AN ELEVATED POSITION FROM THE POINT WHERE THIS LINE ORIGINATES AND IN THE DIRECTION IT POINTS, WOULD BE TOWARD A POINT ON HOUSTON STREET WHICH THE PARADE DID PASS PRIOR TO TURNING WEST AT THE CORNER OF HOUSTON AND ELM AND AS IT APPROACHED THIS INTERSECTION OF HOUSTON AND ELM.

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ACTUAL PATH OF THE ASSASSINATION BULLET WAS IN A SOUTHWESTERLY DIRECTION FROM A SIXTH FLOOR WINDOW NEAR THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE TEXAS SCHOOL BOOK DEPOSITORY BUILDING, OR, IN A DIRECTION ALMOST ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY DEGREES DIFFERENT THAN THE DIRECTION OF THE LINE ON THE MAP.

THERE ARE A VARIETY OF ROUTES WHICH CAN BE FOLLOWED FROM LOVE FIELD TO DOWNTOWN DALLAS. IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE DESCRIBED MARK FOUND ON THE MAP THERE ARE SEVERAL OTHER SMALL AND SOMEWHAT INDISTINCT MARKS MADE, EVIDENTLY, AS WAS THE ONE ABOVE, WITH A BALLPOINT PEN. SOME OF THESE COULD BE CONSIDERED PROXIMATE TO SOME ONE OF THESE VARIOUS ALTERNATE ROUTES BUT CONVERSELY THERE ARE SOME WHICH ARE NOT PROXIMATE TO ANY LOGICAL OR PRACTICAL ROUTE FROM LOVE FIELD TO DOWNTOWN DALLAS OR THE ROUTE FROM DOWNTOWN DALLAS TO THE TRADE MART WHERE THE PARADE WAS TO TERMINATE.

THE SIGNIFICANCE OF NONE OF THESE MARKS IS, OF COURSE,

MAKNOWN. THERE IS NO WRITING ON THE MAP WHICH WOULD SERVE

TO INDICATE THE SIGNIFICANCE FOR ANY ONE OF THEM AND THE ONLY

ONE WHICH CAN PRESUMABLY BE ASSIGNED ANY SIGNIFICANCE IS THE

ONE RUNNING IN THE SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION FROM THE SOUTHWESTERLY

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	CORNER OF THE SITE OF THE TEXAS SCHOOL BOOK DEPOSITORY BUILDING GENERALLY TOWARD THE PARADE ROUTE.
	NEWS ARTICLES HAVE DESCRIBED THIS MARK AS THE TRAJECTORY
	OF THE FATAL BULLETS, WHICH, AS BROUGHT OUT ABOVE, IS NOT.  IT COULD AS WELL BE A MARK MERELY INDICATING WHERE OSWALD
	WORKED, WITH THE OTHER MARKS ON THE MAP BEING SUCH AS MIGHT
	NORMALLY BE PLACED ON A STREET MAP BY SOMEONE FINDING THEIR WAY AROUND TOWN.
	AN ENCO MAP SIMILAR TO THE ONE HERE IN QUESTION, IS BEING
	SENT AMSD TO THE BUREAU WITH THE MARKINGS MENTIONED ABOVE
	DUPLICATED ON IT, UACB, WITH INSTRUCTIONS TO SEND THE ORIGINAL.
	THERE ARE ALSO BEING SENT A COVER AIRTEL AND PHOTOGRAPH AND FULL DESCRIPTIONS.

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