

1. Actualities from assassination of President Kennedy. Discussion of corporation profits. Talk of what tax cut will do for nation - favorable opinion.
2. Economists estimate tax cut would add additional 30 million annually to our economy.
3. President entitled to highest respect. Citizens alerted to report any suspicious actions to officers.
4. Interview with Governor Wallace - Is considering entering Democratic Presidential primaries.
5. Belief that Gov. Connally is using President Kennedy's visit to support fat-cat support for his re-election in '64.
6. General belief that Democratic Caucus meeting for the purpose of making protest direct to President on method of Democrats being excluded from seeing him and Republicans included.
7. Interview with Representative Ed Foreman of Odessa at his office. Says house not in session today. Discussion of Gonzales-Foreman feud.
8. Excerpt of Kennedy speech - Remark on Hicks Tactical Fighter Experiment (TFX) - to be Number 1 airplane in the world today.
9. WFAA Pearce Almon from Texas School Depository Building - President going from Houston to Elm. Applause then shots - Stunned. Then the president's convertible sped away and officers drew guns. Two witnesses near car of President said shots came from upper window of Depository building. Unconfirmed reports Kennedy shot. Witnesses said he was shot two times, then slumped forward in seat.
10. Motorcade had just turned corner from Elm and Houston, when 3 shots rang from Texas School Depository Building. Saw witnesses and officers fall to ground. Up in window I saw a rifle being pulled into window from 5th or 6th floor. People looked up. Much confusion. Motorcade then sped off leaving man to try to grope his way to Parkland Hospital.

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1. Repeat of interview with Chief Curry.
2. Interview with District Attorney Wade - Expects indictment of Oswald next Wednesday or else Monday of December. Strong case against Oswald even without confession. Oswald to be tried on state charge of murder. No law that covers federal jurisdiction of murder of Presidents. Will be tried in Dallas is his opinion.
3. Dale Mildred - State Capitol Building, Austin: Talking with Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith. People in capitol building saddened, say assassination the work of a distorted mind. He states Connally still fulfilling governmental office in official capacity through his aides and will do so unless fully incapacitated. Connally reported in good shape. All American's abhor this type of act - Feels Dallas citizens shouldn't be indicted for this horrible crime.
4. Chief Jesse Curry report: FBI says they have the order letter from the mail order house for the rifle - writing found to be the same as Oswald. Ordered under name of A. Hidel on 20 March 1963. Rifle not linked definitely to one used by assassinator - however it is same type used. Photos of Oswald with rifle of similar type used by assassinator. Also had pistol strapped to his hip. Gun cost \$12.78 Ballistic tests from gun believed favorable. Feels strong case at this time. Refuses to comment on evidence cited in morning news, would jeopardize the case at this time, he feels.
5. Oswald said to be rational, calm and did not desire services of attorneys there. Charges against him filed. Marshal Lyman from office of Congressman Jim Wright in Washington - Understand House Speaker MacCormack appointed Wright as acting speaker to preside over the house's historical session of House of Representatives. Announcement shortly after arrival of Kennedy's body. Wright will call official mourning period, the first since 1945 in the death of Roosevelt. He will appoint committee to represent House at funeral and other business appropriate.

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11. Report from witness in office near theater - We heard shot, saw suspect coming down the street, reloading gun. He stuck it in his belt, turned and went up a street. We phoned police and others in the office followed the suspect upstreet. After that the area was surrounded by police. Were unaware that suspect was wanted also for shooting Kennedy.
 12. Interview with person employed at Parkland - President was brought in, also Governor Connally. We notified funeral home for casket upon his death. Mrs. Kennedy took ring from her finger and put it on Kennedy's finger and kissed his hand prior to their placing the President in the casket.
 13. Congressman Alger statement - Sympathy expressed to Mrs. Kennedy. Disbelief at first anyone capable of doing such a thing. Prayers go with President Johnson.
 14. Dallas Bishop Gorman in Rome - Is there attending second session of Vatican Council. Expresses sympathy.
 15. Interview with Senator Guard who has had threatening phone calls since assassination.
 16. John Callahan in Dublin City, Ireland - Quiet here. Memorial services being held tonight. Statement that after last June visit by President Kennedy, he made every Irishman feel 45 feet tall.
 17. Interview at Texas Farmers Union Convention, Lubbock - Tragedy grieved convention, activities cancelled for remainder of day, also banquet sessions.
 18. Interview with Mrs. Roberts. Describes Oswald, who had roomed at her home under fictitious name of O. H. Lee. Housekeeper describes average day in Oswald's life. Oswald never had any visitors. She noticed only western magazines, murder mystery books and a book in foreign language in his room when she cleaned it, book probably Russian or German. Oswald came in today in a hurry, got a coat and left immediately without comment. Usually untalkative with her.

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6. Chief of Police Curry says there is belief that Captain Fritz will not have Oswald transferred today. Has visited with family - attempting to get an attorney Abt of N.Y. to represent him. Belief Attorney Abt has been associated with defense of Communists. Chief Curry is sure of case even though Oswald has not confessed.
7. Captain Fritz interview - Reported still working on rifle - will talk to Oswald more shortly, case getting more sure as time passes.
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