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East elevator = manual
West elevator = automatic

On 11/22/63 at about 11:45 a.m. both elevators used to "race" down to street floor.

Bonnie Ray Williams then took East elevator to 6th floor and later to 5th floor where he parked it.

Harold Norman and Jr. Jarman took the West elevator to the 5th floor.

After the shots, the three men found that the West elevator "had gone down" (Jarman in 3H 207). The East elevator had been on the 6th floor at 12:25-12:28, visible through the shaft when the three men arrived on the 5th (Jarman 3H 210).

Truly/Baker had to use stairs because both East and West elevators were on the 5th; but when they reached the 5th by foot, only the East elevator was there (Truly in 3H 223).

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on back of improvised bookmark, found in one
of the 26 volumes last night)