

Date 6/1/641

Patrolman JIMMY M. VALENTINE, Dallas Police Department, advised that on November 22, 1963, he was assigned to District 104 and was driving police car No. 207. VALENTINE said he was patrolling the downtown area of Dallas and, shortly after noon, received a call on the radio to go to H. L. Green Department Store and pick up a 14-year-old shoplifter. VALENTINE said he did this and returned with the youth to the Juvenile Bureau of the Dallas Police Department. He said he was in the Juvenile Bureau when he was informed of the shooting of President KENNEDY. He said it was about 12:45 p.m. when he received word of the assassination. VALENTINE said he left the Juvenile Bureau immediately and went to the Texas School Book Depository building, 411 Elm Street, Dallas, Texas. He said he parked his car at the curb, entered the Texas School Book Depository building, and was assigned to the fifth floor. He said he left the building when all of the officers were dismissed which was around 4:00 or 4:30 p.m.

VALENTINE stated his car was not driven during the time he was in the Texas School Book Depository building on November 22, 1963. He further stated that it definitely was not in use at 1:00 p.m. and further that he did not drive to the Oak Cliff area on November 22, 1963, in which area is located 1026 North Beckley Street. VALENTINE also advised he was not acquainted with EARLENE ROBERTS or with anyone else at 1026 North Beckley Street.

157

on 5/28/64 at Dallas, Texas File # DL 100-10461
 by Special Agent A. RAYMOND SWITZER and
EUGENE F. PETRAKIS:vm Date dictated 6/1/64