

Walker Escapes Assassin's Bullet

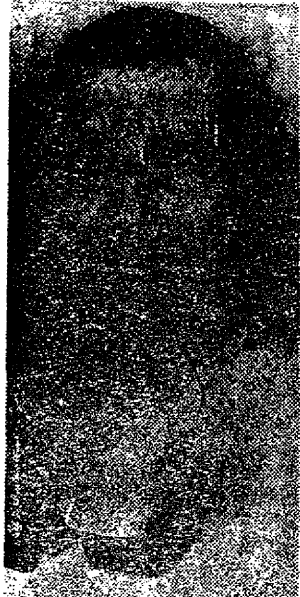
DALLAS, April 11 (AP)—
an unseen rifleman fired
through a window and missed
former Maj. Gen. Edwin A.
Walker by a scant inch in his
home last night.

Mr. Walker brushed frag-
ments of glass from his hair
as reporters arrived shortly
after the incident, which he
described as an attempted
assassination. It happened
about 9:30 o'clock.

The police said that a slight
movement by Mr. Walker, at
a desk working on his income
tax report, presumably saved
him.

"Somebody had a perfect
bead on him," Detective Ira
Van Cleave said. "Whoever it
was certainly wanted to kill
him."

The bullet, from a 30.06
rifle, was fired from an alley
behind the Walker home. It
went through wood framing
the glass window.



United Press International Telephoto
Edwin A. Walker after the
incident yesterday morning.