

Dr. EARL FORREST ROSE, Dallas County Medical Examiner, with offices at Parkland Memorial Hospital, Telephone No. ME 1-5050, Extension 301, advised that he did the autopsy on the body of Officer J. D. TIPPIT, Dallas Police Department, following his death on November 22, 1963, and removed three slugs from his body. He stated these slugs were turned over to the Dallas Police Department and that it was his belief that Captain WILL FRITZ, Homicide and Robbery Bureau, Dallas Police Department, would know the whereabouts of such slugs. According to Dr. ROSE, Officer TIPPIT was shot four times. Dr. ROSE stated that one of the slugs had been recovered from the body of Officer TIPPIT at Methodist Hospital where he had been taken prior to his being removed to Parkland Hospital for the autopsy. Dr. ROSE stated that although there were four bullet wounds in TIPPIT's body, he found only three slugs and it was his belief that such slugs could be located through the Dallas Police Department.

Dr. ROSE stated that he had turned over the three slugs from TIPPIT's body to Detective FRANK J. CORKERY of the Burglary and Theft Bureau of the Dallas Police Department. Dr. ROSE stated after contact with Detective CORKERY, that CORKERY had advised he had released the three slugs to Captain WILL FRITZ of the Homicide and Robbery Bureau of the Dallas Police Department and that Captain FRITZ was endeavoring to locate these slugs in order that they could be made available to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

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 by SA VINCENT E. J. DRAIN/les 263 Date dictated 3/14/64