

Re: JFK

The 6th floor of the Texas School Book Depository Bldg.,
all in Cardboard Cartons,
411 Elm, Dallas, Texas, is used entirely for storage of textbooks. The windows on
the south side of the building, reach from about one foot from the floor, up for a
height of about six feet. UNSUB apparently stood in the southeast corner of the
building, on the sixth floor. Textbooks had been stacked up to a height of about four
feet high, about three feet away from the two southeast windows, so as to conceal anyone
in the corner. Found in this corner by Dallas PD, were three empty rifle hulls;
an empty Dr. Pepper bottle; an empty package of Viceroy cigarettes; one piece of
fried chicken and some chicken bones, along with a small brown paper sack that the
chicken had been in; some brown wrapping paper sealed with brown gummed paper, in
which the rifle had apparently been wrapped in. A second row of textbooks had been
stacked up about three feet back of the first row, away from the windows, leading down
to the next windows to the west of the two windows in the southeast corner of this
floor. The only exit from this floor, are stairs, located in the northwest corner of
the floor. In between some stacks of textbooks, about four feet south of the stairs,
there was found a rifle. This is a bolt action 6.5 caliber rifle, wooden stock and
foregrip, with steel butt plate, bearing a black leather sling, serial number C2766,
made in Italy. The rifle has a 4 x 18 coated telescopic sight, trade name Ordnance
Optics Inc., Hollywood, Calif., 010 Japan, No. 3 Japan, with a three leaf clever
design on it with "OSC" inside the clover leaf design. When found, this rifle had
one unfired shell in the chamber. An empty brass clip was ~~in the rifle and the~~
~~clip had "SMI 952" on the side of the clip.~~ Dallas PD crime lab has ~~the~~ ~~serial number~~
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shell, and three empty hulls. Lt. DAY, Dallas PD crime lab, is of ~~the~~ ~~old model~~
foregrip has a good print on it. This rifle appears to be an old military type rifle,
and the scope is an old scope, with surface scratched and worn.

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