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For instance, we went out to examine the limousine. We were not in the Laboratory; we had to delay the examination of some things until we got back, but it was in a matter of hours.

- Q Now, when you say it was within a matter of hours, you are speaking with reference to ballistics examination?
- A Speaking with reference to the original material we had received. That is, certain bullets, bullet fragments, things of that nature.
- Q Now, there were a variety of tests and examinations performed on this evidence.

Do you recall how soon the spectrographic examinations were conducted?

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- A No, I don't. I have no idea. I can't remember that at this time.
- Q Do you recall how long it was before the neutronactivation analyses were conducted on the bullet and bullet fragments?
- A No. That was done by another Examiner. I don't know when he did it or how long it took him.
- Q Did the Examiners who conducted these tests make their reports available to you?
  - A Not necessarily.

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"Was a comparison made of the lead residues on the inside of the windshield with any of the bullet fragments recovered, about which you have heretofore testified?"

You replied:

"Yes. They were compared with the bullet fragment found on the front seat, which in turn was compared with Commission 399.

The lead was found to be similar in composition. However, that examination in detail was made by a Spectographer, Special Agent John F. Gallagher.

Mr. Specter: Was that examination made in the regular course of examining procedures by the FBI? Mr. Frazier: Yes, sir.

Mr. Specter: And was that information made available to you through the normal conference procedures among FBI Examiners?

Mr. Prazier: Yes, sir. He submitted his report to me, and I prepared the formal report of the entire examination.

Mr. Specter. Are his report and your formal report a part of the permanent record of the FBI, then?

Mr. Frazier. Yes, sir.

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