

### Layout Map Witness List

(individuals at the northeast corner of Main and Houston are sheriff's deputies; their reports, and those of other deputies not noted on map, appear in v.19, p.502-543. Only a few of them are listed below)


(witnesses testifying before the commission or its staff are indicated by references to volumes 1-15. References to volume numbers above 15 indicate information contained in various types of reports: S.D. St., sheriff's dept statement; S.D. rep., sheriff's dept report; FBI report; affidavit)

James Altgens, v.7,p.518 -- took photos; thought shots came from "somewhere in the direction" of Houston and Elm. ". . . Flesh particles flew out of the side of his head in my direction from where I was standing, so much so that it indicated to me the shot came out of ~~the~~ the left side of his head . . . "

Howard Brennan, v.3,p.145 -- saw man fire shots from TSBD. Ran to officer at corner of TSBD and "I asked him to get me someone in charge, a Secret Service man or an FBI. That it appeared to me they were searching in the wrong direction for the man that did the shooting."

Hugh Betzner, Jr., v.19,p.467 (S.D. St.) -- ". . . I took another picture as the President's car was going down the hill on Elm Street . . . I was looking around the fence as the rumor had spread that was where the shot had come from . . . it seemed to me the fence row would have been in the picture . . . "

Charles Brehm, v.22,p.837 (FBI Rep.) -- thought shots came from one of two buildings at Houston and Elm. Saw blood on President's face.

Roger Craig, Dep. Sh., v.6, p.270 -- (repeats "whistle incident" from his report (below); quotes suspect (Oswald) as saying in police station when questioned about station wagon; "That . . . belongs to Mrs. Paine . . . Don't try to tie her to this . . . everybody will know who I am now." 

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ v.19,p.524 (S.D. Rep.) \*\* shortly after shooting he "heard a shrill whistle and saw a white male running down the hill" from the direction of the TSBD, get into light-colored Rambler station wagon driven by another white male. Later, he "identified subject they had in custody" as same person he saw running down hill.

John Chism, v.19,p.471 (S.D. St.) -- after shots, he looked behind him "to see whether it was a fireworks display."

Marvin Fay Chism, v.19,p.472 (S.D. St.) -- ". . . it came from what I thought was behind us . . . "

Mrs. Donald Baker, v.7, p.508-513 -- Thought shots came from hill direction. After first shot she "saw shot or something hit pavement" on Elm toward south curb -- position of hit, roughly between tree nearest her and first sign (Thornton). She smelled gunsmoke after second shot.

Amos Ewins, v.2,p.201 -- ". . . he (man in sixth floor TSBD window) had a bald spot on his head. ."

v.19,p.474 (S.D. St) -- saw man in window of TSBD fire twice; saw "little bit of barrell".

Robert E. Edwards, v.19,p.473 (S.D. St.) -- saw a man in "fifth floor" window of TSBD just before shooting. Believes he heard four shots, but didn't think they came from TSBD.

v.6,p.205 -- changes "fifth floor" to sixth floor.

Ronald Fischer, v.19,p.475 (S.D. St.) -- saw man pointed out by Rob't Edwards in window before shooting. Saw "peculiar thing" happen just before shots; tall girl walked into TSBD while "everyone else" had been coming out.

v.6.p.195 -- ". . . thought there were four shots", which he believed came from the rail ~~yards~~ yards.

Jack Franzen, v.22,p.840 (FBI Rep.) -- ". . . he ~~then~~ noticed blood on top and sides of (JFK's) head;" because police rushed up knoll, ". . . he presumed shots . . . came . . . from . . . bushes".

J.W. Foster, v.6,p.248 (Dallas Police) -- thought shots came from direction of ~~Houston~~ Houston and Elm. ". . . found where one shot had hit the turf (near manhole cover on south side of Elm towards o'pass)".


S.M. Holland, v.6,p.243 -- ". . . puff of smoke came out 6 or 8 feet above the-ground right out from under those trees . . ."

v.19,p.480 -- heard four shots; saw smoke ~~x~~ "come from the trees" (on knoll) after first shot.

Emmet Hudson, v.7,p.562 -- ". . . now, they have moved some of those signs". Thought shots came from "above and behind" motorcade.

Jean Hill, v.19,p.479 (S.D. St.); v.6,p.205 -- heard "four to six" shots. Thought they came from knoll. Saw man built like Jack Ruby running up knoll after shots, saw "blood" near TSBD as she ran after him, but it "turned out to be Koolade . . .".

Robert Hughes, v.25,p.873 (FBI Rep.) -- Sp.Agt. Robert Barrett ~~saw~~ saw Hughes' 8 mm. film, and "there appears to be a person in the 6th floor window . . . ."



Clemon Johnson, v.22,p.836 ~~261~~ (FBI Rep.) -- ". . . white smoke came from the pavillion, but he felt that this smoke came from a motorcycle abandoned . . . by policeman".

"Lovely, Billy"

Austin Miller, v.6,p.225 -- thought shots came from knoll.

v.19,p.485 -- (S.D.St.) ". . . One shot apparently hit street past the car. I saw . . . smoke or steam coming from a group of trees. . ."

Mary Moorman, v.19,p.487 (S.D.St.) -- ". . . the pictures . . . have been turned over to officers investigating this incident".

Mary Muchmore, v.5,p.139 -- (Shaneyfelt testimony) -- he refers to her 8 mm. film.

A.J. Millican, v.19,p.486 (statement taken by E.R. Dees of Dallas Police, on Sheriff Decker's letterhead) -- ". . . I observed truck from Honest Joe's Pawn Shop. Then drove off five or ten minutes before President's car came by". He heard shots from Houston and Elm; then five more from two different distances behind him on knoll; "A man standing on the south side of Elm Street was either hit in the foot or the ankle and fell down".

Jean Newman, v.19,p.489 (S.D. St.) -- thought came "from my right".

William Newman, v 19,p.490 (S.D. St) -- "I thought the shot had come from the garden directly behind me . . ."

Gayle Newman, v.19,p.488 (S.D. St.) -- ". . . I saw blood all over the side of his head".

Orville Nix, ~~v.5,p.139~~ (Shaneyfelt testimony) -- Shaneyfelt refers to Nix' 8 mm. film.

Nolan Potter, v.22,p.834 (FBI Rep.) -- ". . . he recalls seeing smoke in front of the TSBD rising above the trees . . .".

J.C. Price, v.19,p.492 (S.D. St.) -- heard volley of shots, perhaps five, and one "much later". Saw young man in white dress shirt-- no tie -- run towards passenger cars on rail siding. . . "he had something in his hand . . . "

Frank Reilly, v.6,p.230 -- thought shots came from trees on knoll.

Arnold Rowland, v.19,p.494 (S.D. St.) -- just before shooting he saw man standing in TSBD on "second floor from top" . . . about 15 feet from the windows" holding rifle. Rowland didn't look at window after shots. v.2,p.182-185 -- (Rowland says man he saw with rifle was not in "Oswald's" window, but in second most westerly sixth-floor window facing Elm; and not 15 feet back, but 3-4 feet. He also saw Negro (without gun) leaning out "Oswald's" window. He had been interrogated by seven separate pairs of FBI men).

Barbara Rowland, v.19,p.493 (S.D. St.) -- her husband called her attention to man with rifle in TSBD, but she didn't see him. v.6,p.189 -- says her husband never told her about seeing Negro in "Oswald's" window. Says he "at times . . . prone to exaggerate . . ." but ". . . usually to boast his ego. . . that he is smarter than he is . . . better salesman than he is . . . (etc.)".

J.M. Smith (Dallas Police), v.7,p.535 -- woman told him "they are shooting at the President from the bushes". Shots sounded to Smith "like they may have come from (knoll)". He ran to parking area behind knoll. (Texas Observer, Dec.13,'63 quotes him as saying while there, he smelled gunpowder: "a faint smell of it -- I could tell it was in the air . . . ")

Alan Sweatt (Deputy Sheriff), v.19,p.531 (S.D. Rep.) -- received picture (Moorman's) showing "Hexton Bldg" (TSBD). Turned over to SS. Agt. Patterson. Also received copies of Betzner picture. (no mention of curb shot; although referred to in Dallas News, Dec.13,'63).

Royce Skelton, v.6,p.236 -- saw bullet hit street at left front of President's car, causing pavement to scatter. "It spread just right in line, like you said."

v.19,p.496 (S.D. St.) -- ". . . saw something hit pavement at left rear of car . . . then heard two more shots . . . then another shot and saw bullet . . . hit pavement . . . concrete was knocked to South away from car."

Garland Slack, v.19,p.495 (S.D. St.) -- ". . . I am big game hunter and am familiar with the sound of hi powered rifles . . . it sounded to me like this shot came from away back or from within a building . . . I have heard this ~~xxxx~~ same sort of sound when a shot has come from within a cave . . . "

James L. Simmons, v. 22,p.833 (FBI Rep.) -- ". . . he thought he saw exhaust fumes of smoke near embankment . . . it was his opinion shots came from the TSBD."

Marilyn Sitzman (Zapruder's secretary), v.19,p.535 (S.D. Rep.) -- referred to in ~~xxxx~~ report by Sh. Dep. Wiseman.

Phillip Wallis, v.7,p.492 -- took still photos; thought shots came from TSBD.

Seymour Weitzman, Dep. Constable, v.7,p.109 -- "I asked a yardman if he had seen . . . anything . . . He said he thought he saw somebody throw something through a bush . . . "

v.24, p.228 (affidavit) -- identifies rifle as 7.65 Mauser; describes belt and scope.

Eddy Raymond Walthers, v.7,p.546 -- "A bullet struck that curb. It's fresh -- you can see a fresh ricochet where it had struck . . ." (on Main St. near Tague)

v.19,p.518 (S.D. Rep.) -- "upon examining the curb . . . I found where a bullet had splattered on the top edge of the curb on Main Street . . . " (also referred to re above in Dallas News, Dec.18, '63).

John Wiseman, Sh. Dep., v.19,p.535 (S.D. Rep.) -- talked to Marilyn Sitzman; got Mary Moorman's pictures.

Abraham Zapruder, v.7, p.572 -- took 8 mm. movies; thought shots came from behind him.

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