

"In the midst of death we are in Life."

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(1) p. 42

Version O : About half an hour later, as police interrogated the assembled employes of the Depository, the manager, noting that Lee Harvey Oswald was missing, had checked the personnel files for Oswald's address and description. The police then issued their second wanted bulletin based on the new information. After this second bulletin was issued, Officer J.D. Tippit stopped Oswald on the street and Oswald shot him dead.

Version C : Within the hour police routinely learned that a Depository employe, Lee Oswald, was missing. By this time Oswald was already in custody for the murder of Officer J.D. Tippit. Tippit had heard the bulletin and spotted Oswald, who had shot him on the spot. As police prepared to pick up the missing Depository employe—Oswald—they suddenly realized that he and the suspect in the Tippit shooting were one and the same. (&c.)

(2) p. 42, Caption 3

Version O : ... Connally twisted in pain. Some members of the commission....

Version C : ... Connally twisted around. He told the commission....

(3) p. 42, Caption 5

Version O : ... just before the assassin fired another bullet.

Version C : ... just before the assassin fired again.

(4) p. 42, Caption 6

Version O : The assassin's shot struck the right rear portion of the President's skull, causing a massive wound and snapping his head to one side.

Version C : The direction from which the shots came was established

by this picture taken at instant bullet struck the rear of the President's head and, passing through, caused the front part of his skull to explode forward.

(5) p. 42, Caption 8

Version O : ...Hill, who leaped aboard. He pushed Mrs. Kennedy back into the car and the driver raced to the hospital, 3.4 miles away.

Version C : ...Hill. (I.e., the last sentence or so is omitted.)

(6) p. 45, picture 6

Version O : (A picture showing Kennedy leaning to the left.) *after 313?*

Version C : (Frame 313, showing instant of impact. Very gory.)

(7) p. 47, column 2

Version O : "Lee Harvey Oswald was born Oct. 18, 1939 to an insuraen's salesman whose early death left a -- -- [the dashes were Oswald's] mean streak of independence brought on by negleck...."

Version C : "Lee Harvey Oswald was born in Oct 1939 in New Orleans La. the son of a Insuraen Salesmen whose early death left a far mean streak of indepenence brought on by negleck...."

(8) p. 47, caption, line 3

Version O : ... is the only <sup>known</sup> witness who actually saw....

Version C : ... was the most significant witness who actually saw....

(9) p. 48, caption, line 1

Version O : Lee Harvey Oswald's escape route (shown above by solid and dotted red lines) was tracked by the Warren Commission.

Version C : The solid and dotted red lines on this aerial photograph show what is known about Oswald's movements before arrest.

(10) p. 48, caption, line 9

Version O : quickly doubled back, switched jackets....

Version C : doubled back, put on a jacket....

(11) p. 48, caption, line 13

Version O : Exactly 46 minutes....

Version C : Exactly 45 minutes....

(12) p. 48, caption, line 18

Version O : "in a half trot."

Version C : "in a little trot."

Remark: Version C is almost certainly the last one, since it is the one Life sent me when I pointed out the discrepancy and asked for a corrected copy.

TABULATION of the 5 known versions:

NAME	Item #											
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A	0	0	0	0	0	C	0	0	0	0	0	0
A'	0	0	0	0	0	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
B	C	C	C	C	C	0	C	C	C	C	C	C
C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C

Conclusion as to order: (OAA'BC); possibly (OAA'CB)

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"In that awful moment when all were losing their heads, Rufus Youngblood never lost his." - LBJ (Wash.Post, 12/5/63, p. A2)