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Kennedy Book Changes Made

NEW YORK — (AP) — The chief counsel for Mrs. John F. Kennedy today studied a revised manuscript of the book, "The Death of a President," proposed by the publishers, Harper & Row, in efforts to settle the controversy out of court.

"We have received the text of the proposed manuscript," said attorney Simon H. Rifkind. "It shows some changes."

Rifkind declined to discuss the changes, but most of them are believed to involve the personal life and emotions of Mrs. Kennedy.

Personal passages were

modified in an out-of-court settlement Mrs. Kennedy reached with Look magazine last week that will allow Look to go ahead as scheduled with its serialization beginning Jan. 10.

Representatives of Harper & Row and Mrs. Kennedy negotiated until early last night, then recessed.

Rifkind said he is ready to resume today.

Mrs. Kennedy and her children, Caroline and John Jr., plan to leave Monday for a vacation in Antigua in the British West Indies. They plan to return Jan. 5.