

French historian Jean-Raymond Tournoux, after interviews with people to whom Gen. Charles de Gaulle speaks freely, in new book quotes him as saying after the assassination, "The police did the job, or else they pulled the strings or else they let it happen. In any case they were involved." Tournoux does not present the passage as an interview with de Gaulle and offers no explanation of the origin of the direct quotes attributed to him.

Gen. de Gaulle's office refuses comment; White House refuses comment; Dallas police chief Charles Batchelor says, "We are standing on the reports of the investigation by the Warren Commission and will have no comment on the statements attributed to General de Gaulle."