

WITH RUBY (230)

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DALLAS, TEX., FEB. 19 (AP)-JURORS CHOSEN TO DETERMINE THE FATE OF JACK RUBY--IF 12 SUCH PERSONS ARE FOUND IN DALLAS COUNTY--WILL SPEND THEIR NIGHTS IN SEPARATE ROOMS EIGHT FEET SQUARE AND SEVERAL FLOORS ABOVE RUBY'S CELL.

JURY QUARTERS IN THE DALLAS COUNTY RECORDS BUILDING ARE ON THE EIGHTH FLOOR. BELOW IS THE JAIL WITH ITS 1,100 PRISONERS. FARTHER BELOW, ON THE SECOND FLOOR, IS THE COURT WHERE RUBY IS ON TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE.

IF THE SMALL BEDROOMS HAD WINDOWS, JURORS COULD LOOK DIRECTLY DOWN ON THAT PORTION OF ELM STREET WHERE RIFLE BULLETS STRUCK PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY NOV. 22.

AUTHORITIES SAY LEE HARVEY OSWALD KILLED THE PRESIDENT AND WAS IN TURN HIMSELF SLAIN BY RUBY.

THERE ARE THREE JURY AREAS IN THE RECORDS BUILDING. THE RUBY JURY WOULD BE CONFINED IN 7-M, RESERVED FOR JUDGE JOE B. BROWN'S COURT.

CHIEF JAILER E. L. HOLMAN SAYS THE RUBY JURORS WOULD BE TAKEN UP AND DOWN FLOORS IN THE "CIVILIAN ELEVATOR," AS OPPOSED TO AN ELEVATOR NEXT TO IT USED TO TRANSFER PRISONERS.

AS A SECURITY MEASURE, THE CIVILIAN ELEVATOR IS BEING USED TO BRING RUBY TO THE COURTROOM FLOOR DURING HIS TRIAL. IT IS LARGER AND ALLOWS A GROUP OF DEPUTY SHERIFFS TO ACCOMPANY HIM.

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ON THE EIGHTH FLOOR, JURORS STEP FROM THE ELEVATOR INTO A NARROW HALLWAY. FOURTEEN ROOMS--12 FOR THE JURY AND TWO FOR BAILIFFS--ARE ON EITHER SIDE.

THE BEDROOMS CONTAIN A BED, A LAVATORY AND A COMMODO. THE COMMODO IS SPECIALLY BUILT TO DOUBLE AS A CHAIR, HOLMAN SAID.

SHOWERS ARE AT EACH END OF THE CORRIDOR. IF THE JURY SHOULD BE COMPOSED OF BOTH MEN AND WOMEN, A SPECIAL DOOR WILL BE BE INSTALLED TO SEPARATE THEM.

A ROOMY LOUNGE ALSO LIES OFF ONE END OF THE HALL. INSIDE ARE EASY CHAIRS, CARD TABLES AND GAMES. HOLMAN SAID THE JUDGE WILL DETERMINE WHETHER ANY TELEVISION OR RADIO WILL BE ALLOWED, AS WELL AS READING MATERIAL.

BAILIFFS ESCORT JURORS TO NEARBY CAFES FOR MEALS.

TEXAS LAW HOLDS THAT IF ONE JUROR GETS SICK DURING A TRIAL, A WHOLE NEW JURY MUST BE SELECTED.

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