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Rabbi HILLEL SILVERMAN, 6146 Lupton Drive, Rabbi of Temple Shearith Israel, advised the service at the synagogue on the night of November 22, 1963, began at 8:30 P.M. and ended at approximately 9:50 P.M. He said he did not see JACK RUBY enter the synagogue. When the service was over, Rabbi SILVERMAN took a position at the door to greet those leaving the synagogue. At that time he saw RUBY. He said at the time he assumed RUBY had entered at the beginning of the service.

RUBY has subsequently told Rabbi SILVERMAN that he came in very late and missed the greater portion of the service. RUBY has told him that he saw JOE COLMAN (Dallas City Councilman) and a Mrs. LEONA LANE at the synagogue. Rabbi SILVERMAN said he has confirmed through Mr. GOLMAN that GOLMAN did, in fact, see RUBY. He said he had not been in contact with Mrs. LANE in this regard.

Rabbi SILVERMAN said RUBY looked on the night of November 22, 1963, as if he were in a dsze. He appeared to be depressed or "in shock". Rabbi SILVERMAN said RUBY did not, surprisingly, say anything to him relative to the assassination of President KENNEDY, but, rather, thanked the Rabbi for having visited RUBY's sister, EVA GRANT, at Gaston Hospital a few days previously. He said he recalls nothing specifically regarding RUBY's manner of dress on this occasion, but "has the feeling" RUBY was dressed in a dark suit, which was his usual dress when observed at the synagoque. He does not know how long RUBY was there.

With regard to the service on November 23, 1963, Rabbi SILVERMAN stated he did not see JACK RUBY on this occasion, and doubts very much he was present. He said he had stated on previous interview that RUBY had attended this service, his statement being based purely on hearsay. He said there was considerable talk by various people after RUBY's arrest on November 24, 1963, that they had seen RUBY at the synagogue. He said he believes it highly probable

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these persons were confused about when they saw RUBY, and possibly saw him on the night of November 22, 1963, rather than on November 23, 1963. He said he does not at this time recall the identities of any persons who told him they saw RUBY at the synagogue on November 23, 1963.

Rabbi SILVERMAN said RMSY has, himself, told him that he went to bed very late, possibly at about 5:00 A.M. on the morning of November 23, 1963. RUBY related that he received a call from LARRY CRAPARD, employee of the Carousel, at about 8:00 A.M. He said RUBY has never told him that he was at the synagogue on the morning of November 23, 1963, and that it is his impression that RUBY likely went back to sleep after receiving the call from CRAPARD.

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