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INVESTIGATION INTERVIEW SCHEDULE

1. Identifying Information:

Name <u>Lawrence Huber Florer</u>	Date <u>8-25-78</u>
Address <u>3640 Bryn Mawr</u>	Place _____
City/State <u>Dallas, Texas</u>	Telephone _____
Date of Birth _____	M or S _____
Social Security _____	Spouse _____
	Children _____

2. Physical Description:

Height _____	Color Eyes _____	Hair _____
Weight _____	Special Characteristics _____	
Ethnic Group _____		

3. Personal History:

- a. Present Employment: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Criminal Record
  - 1. Arrests \_\_\_\_\_
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4. Additional Personal Information:

- a. Relative(s): Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Area frequented: \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

Investigator Jack Moriarty

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Name Lawrence Huber Florer Date August 25, 1978 Time 12:20 p.m.  
 Address 3640 Bryn Mawr Place \_\_\_\_\_  
Dallas, Texas

Interview: Mr. Florer was interviewed in his office at Suite 181, World Trade Center, Dallas, where he is the President of MCS (Metrodata Computer Systems). He recounted the following events of November 22, 1963. He had met his long-time friend Richard Bartholow at the latter's place of employment, the National Bank of Commerce.

They walked to Poydras and Main to watch the motorcade. When the President's limousine passed they left, as they were not interested in seeing the rest of the parade. They walked back on Poydras to Fidelity Union Tower Building where Sparks Barbecue occupied part of the street level. He recalled upsetting the routine by ordering a grilled cheese. It was Friday and he is Catholic.

Next he remembered a radio announcing someone had shot at the President's limousine. He wanted to see what had happened inasmuch as they were but a few blocks from Dealey Plaza. They could hear sirens passing the restaurant but Bartholow had trainee status at the bank and felt he couldn't overstay his lunch period.

Interviewer Signature *Jack Moriarty* 1-2-79  
 Typed Signature Jack Moriarty

Date transcribed 8-28-78

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Florer walked down Elm Street alone, stopping on the north-east corner of Elm and Houston. The police had their hands full and before additional men arrived, he assisted by holding the rope used to keep the crowd on the sidewalk area.

While standing there, he and a lady he didn't know exchanged comments about the President's limousine being shot at. They hadn't received any hospital information at that time.

More policemen arrived. The rope was attached to something permanent, and he then asked the woman if there was a phone nearby. She said there was a phone on the third floor of the building they were standing in, where she was employed as a seamstress. She accompanied him, pointing out a phone and continuing to another area. As he started to dial a man asked him what he was doing in the office. Explaining that a woman told him he could use the phone but unable to identify her, he was told not to use the phone and to leave. This man accompanied him to the freight elevator, waited until he got on, and pushed a button causing it to return to the street level. He stepped off and as he walked outside, he looked up to see and hear the same man call out the open window to the nearby uniformed P.D., "There's your man!" and he was promptly taken into custody by the nearest two uniformed men who escorted him to the Sheriff's Office

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Florer went to a party that night where he retold his story many times and his mother reached him by telephone, saying the F.B.I. wanted to interview him.

Returning home, Agent Ray Pennyton (his best recollection of the name) came to his house and interviewed him at length.

About a year later, having heard no more from them, he received a call from the same agent who wanted to know if he had known Jack Ruby and/or ever had occasion to visit his clubs. He said not and that was the last time he heard from the F.B.I.

Sometime in 1967 he received a call from a man who identified himself as Arch Kimbrough, who was interested in the JFK assassination and would like to interview him. He checked the background of this man as he didn't know who he was and talked to a very favorable reference from a local businessman he had known and realized that he had gone to school with Kimbrough's daughter. Finally, aware that this man had lived in the part of town where non-substantial people could afford to live, he went to Kimbrough's home, and during the interview was shown a photograph of himself being led to the Sheriff's office by policemen.

Kimbrough had been on the scene and had taken the snapshot himself.

Florer worked as an office manager for the S. L. Ewing Office Supply Company located on Gaston Avenue at the time

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and completed one year there, and shortly after that accepted a position as a traveling sales representative.

Florer identified himself by virtue of his driver's license and an Air Force identification card. He told of his duty with the Air National Guard. His classification was as an assistant administrator. He was never involved in intelligence work at any time.

In November of 1963 Florer was driving a 1957 Chevrolet Bel Aire which was a two-door, hard-top, black car. His mother had a 1955 Chevrolet which was two-door, hardtop and colored white over blue.