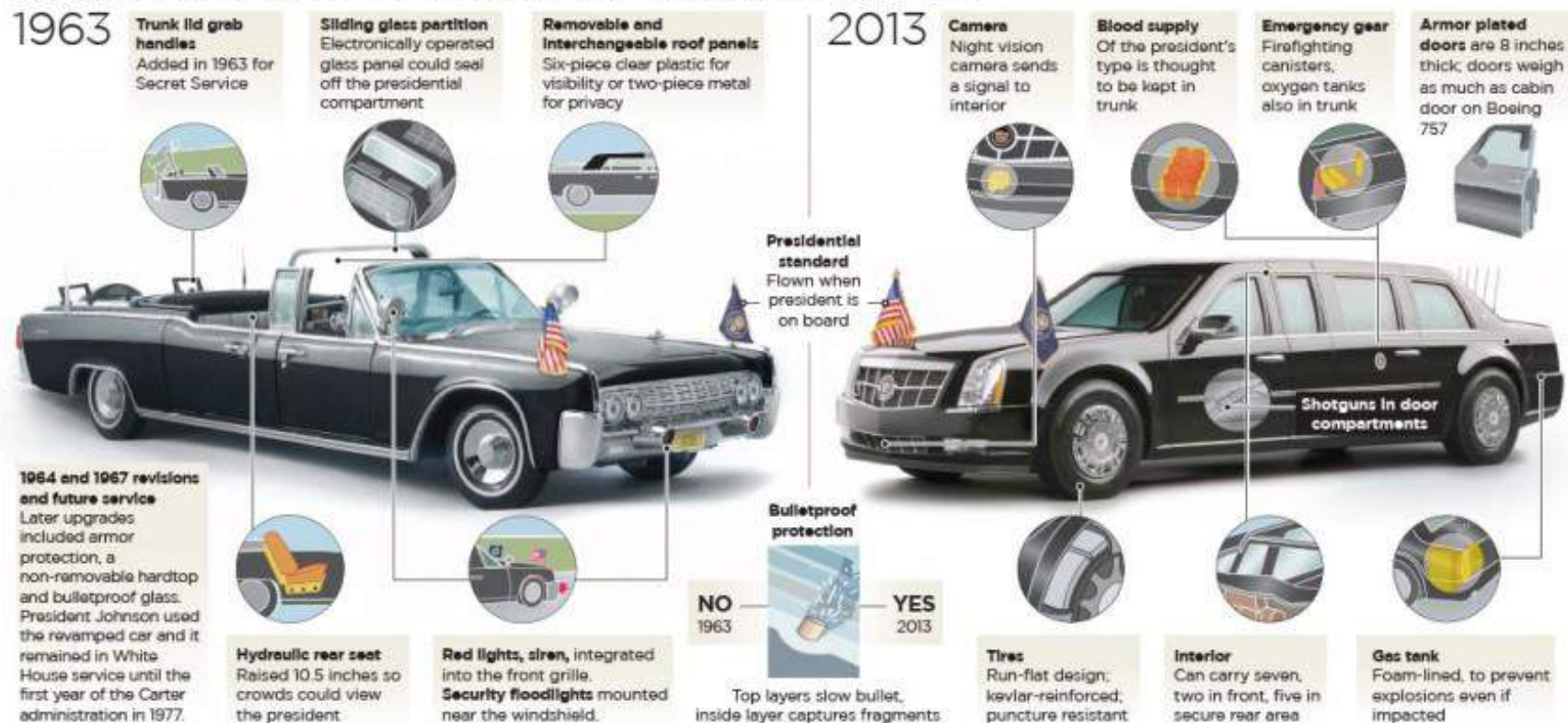


Presidential Limousines Then and Now

Presidential limos, then and now

The Kennedy limousine, a modified 1961 Lincoln Continental, had virtually no safety features. The modern limo, called "the Beast," is a mix of car, truck and tank. It's full of features auto experts speculate about, but the Secret Service refuses to discuss. Here are some of the features of both:

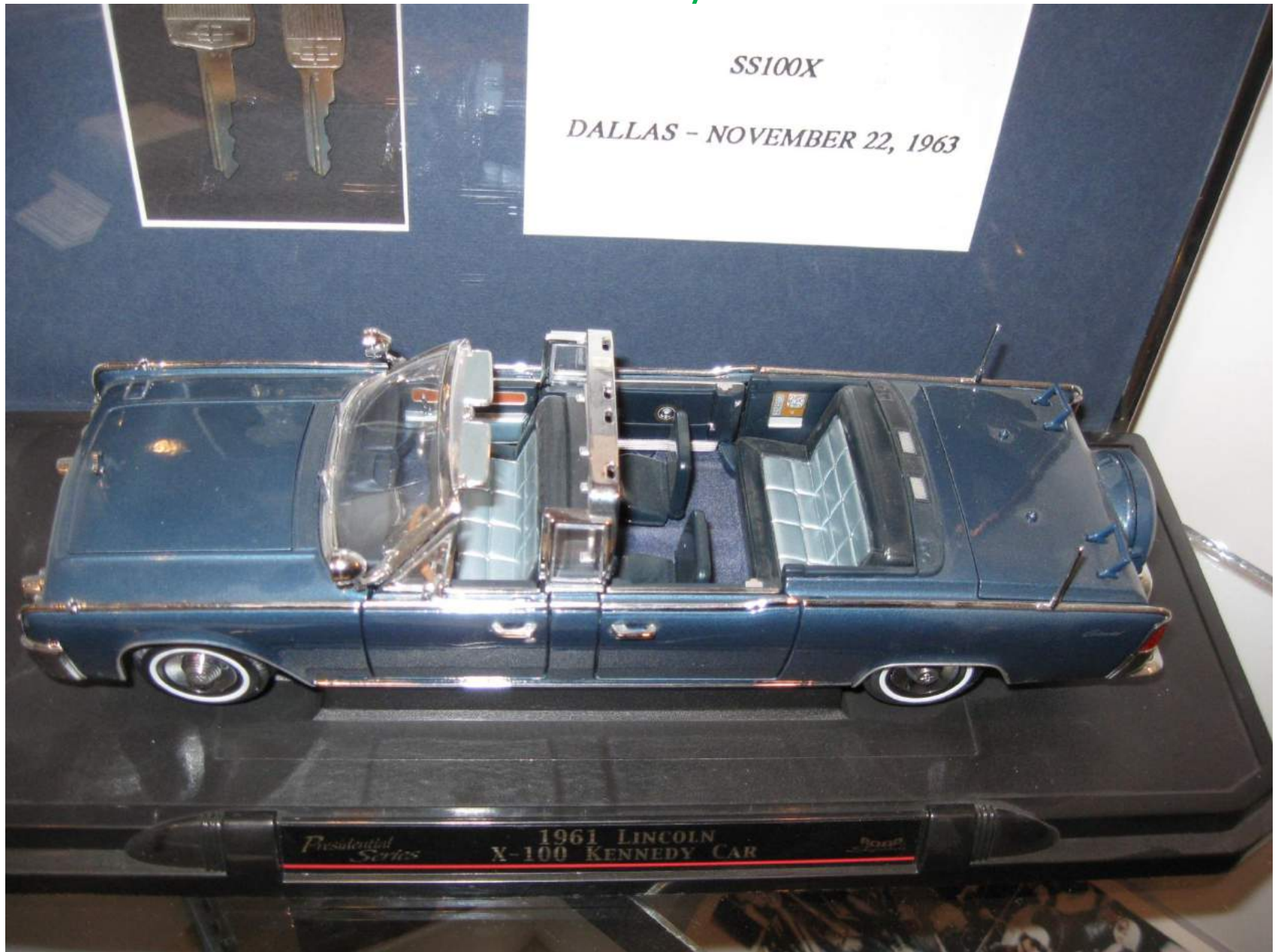


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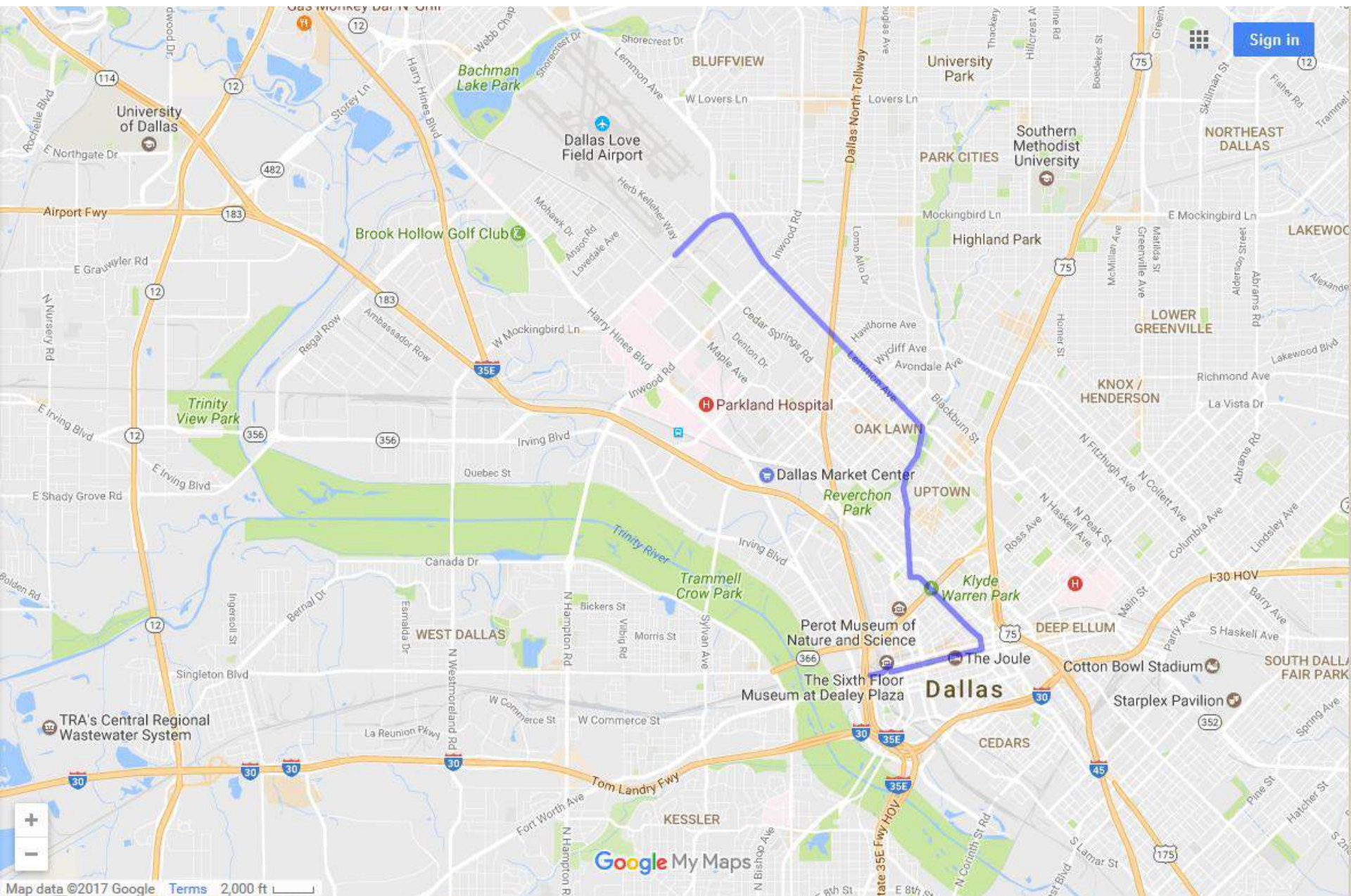
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President Kennedy's Limousine



This model is on display at the Gettysburg Museum of History. The photograph was taken by Robert Housch on February 1, 2010.

President John F. Kennedy's Motorcade Route



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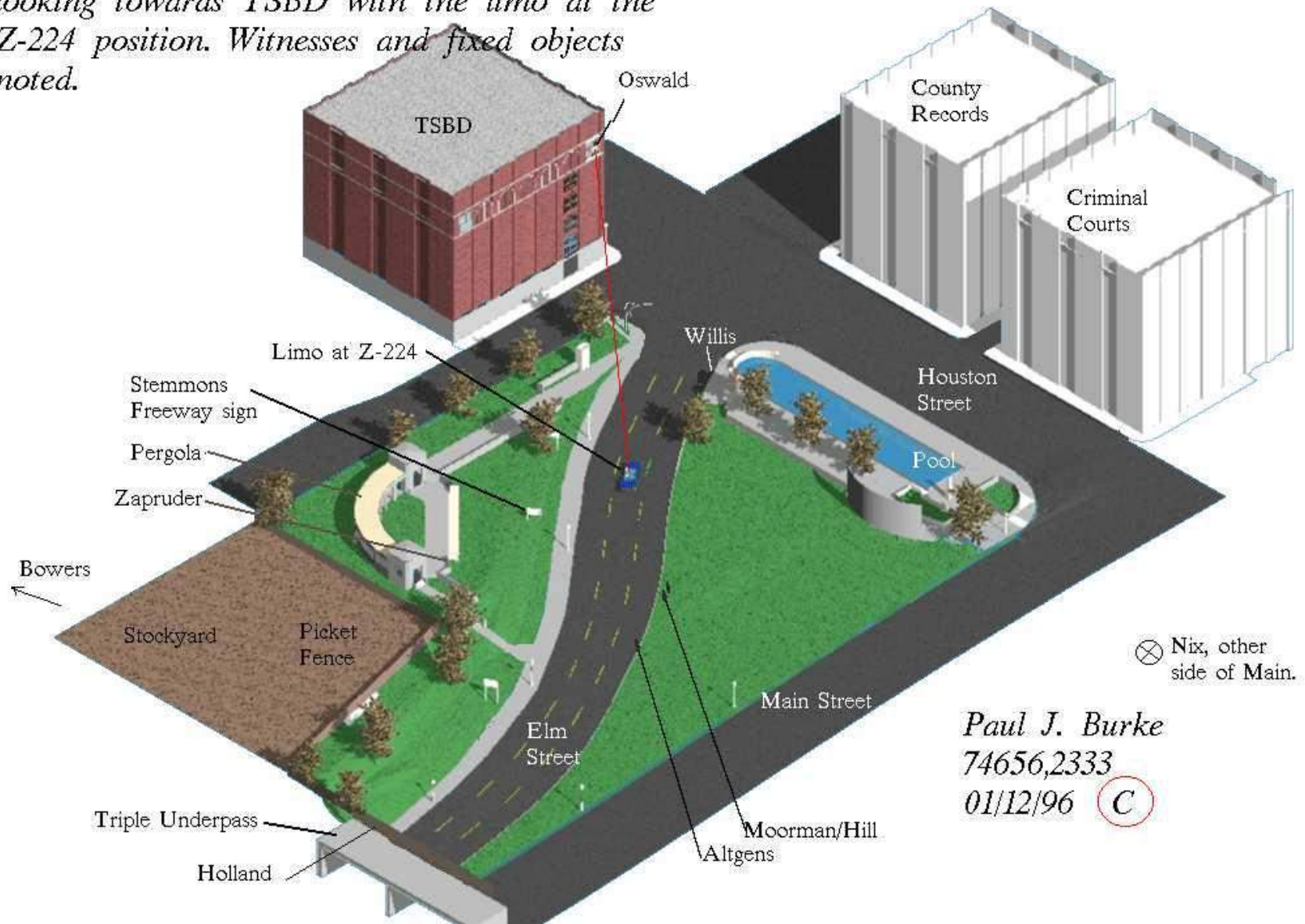
Dealey Plaza Dallas, Texas



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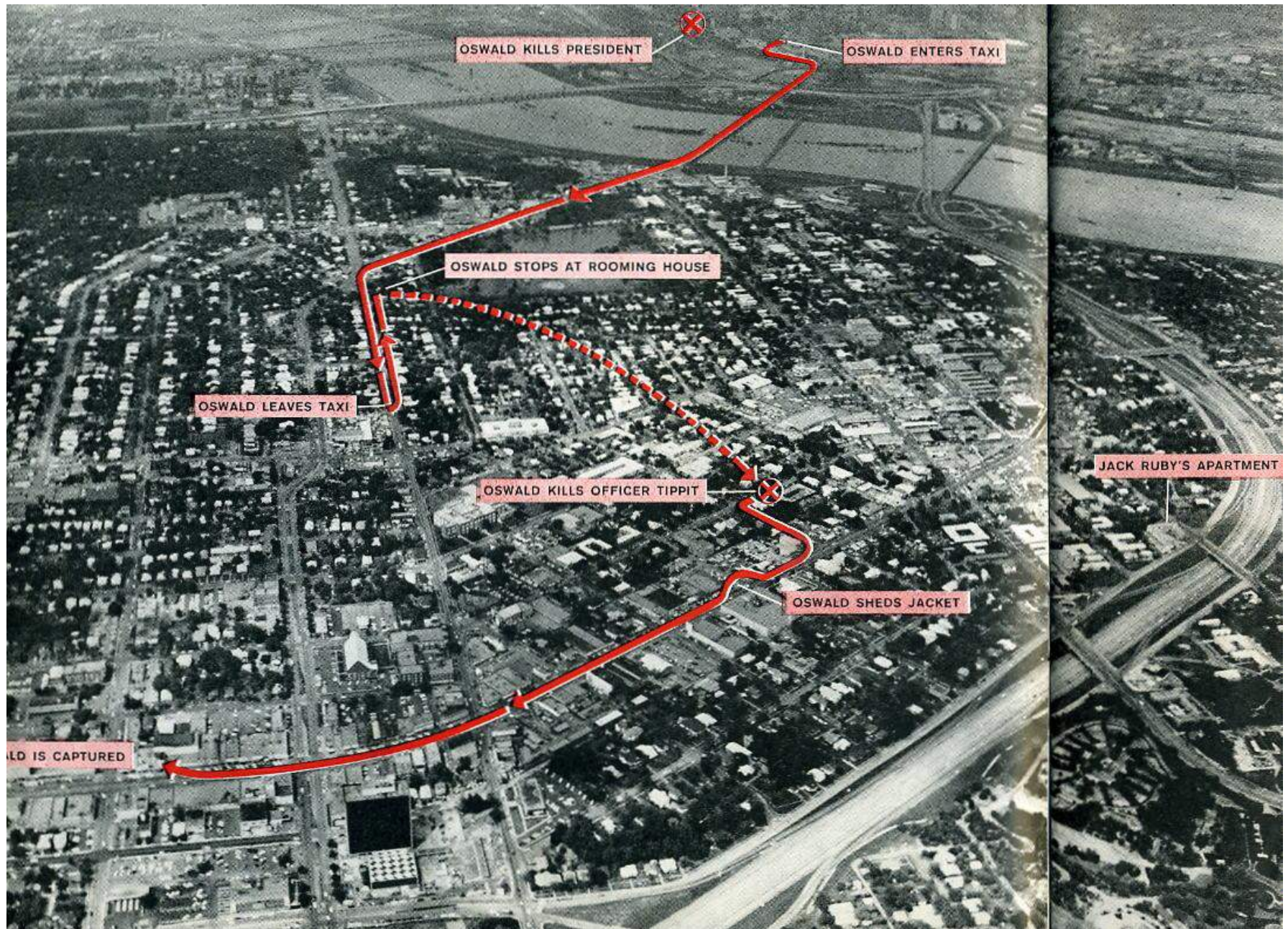
Dealey Plaza Landmarks, Photographers

PLAZAO.gif Dealey Plaza from the southeast, looking towards TSBD with the limo at the Z-224 position. Witnesses and fixed objects noted.



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Lee Harvey Oswald Escape Route



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On Sunday, November 24, 1963, President Kennedy's body was moved from the White House to the United States Capitol.



This photograph shows the funeral procession leaving the North Portico of the White House on Sunday, November 24, 1963. This image is courtesy of jfklibrary.org.

His casket was placed on a caisson, pulled by six white horses along Pennsylvania Avenue.



A caisson in this case is an artillery ammunition wagon. 300,000 people watched the procession in person, and millions more on television. This image is courtesy of pinterest.com.

Following the casket was an unruly riderless horse, known as “Black Jack.”



Black Jack was difficult to control, pranced, and frequently threw his head during the procession. This image is courtesy of [pinterest.com](https://www.pinterest.com).

The casket was taken up the steps of the East front of the Capitol.



Mrs. Kennedy and the rest of the Kennedy family followed the casket up the stairs. This image is courtesy of pinterest.com.

The casket was placed in the center of the Rotunda in a tradition titled “Lying in State.”



A representative from each branch of the military guarded the casket. This image is courtesy of boston.cbslocal.com.

One of the most moving scenes during the funeral service this day was when Mrs. Kennedy and her four year old daughter Caroline kissed the flag on the President's casket.



John Kennedy Jr. was being entertained elsewhere in the Capitol. This image is courtesy of nydailynews.com.

After the Kennedy family left, thousands of Americans walked by the casket until late in the evening to pay their respects.



Some people lined up 40 blocks away and waited as long as 10 hours to pay their final respects. This image is courtesy of uschs.wordpress.com.com.

Lee Harvey Oswald



Jack Ruby



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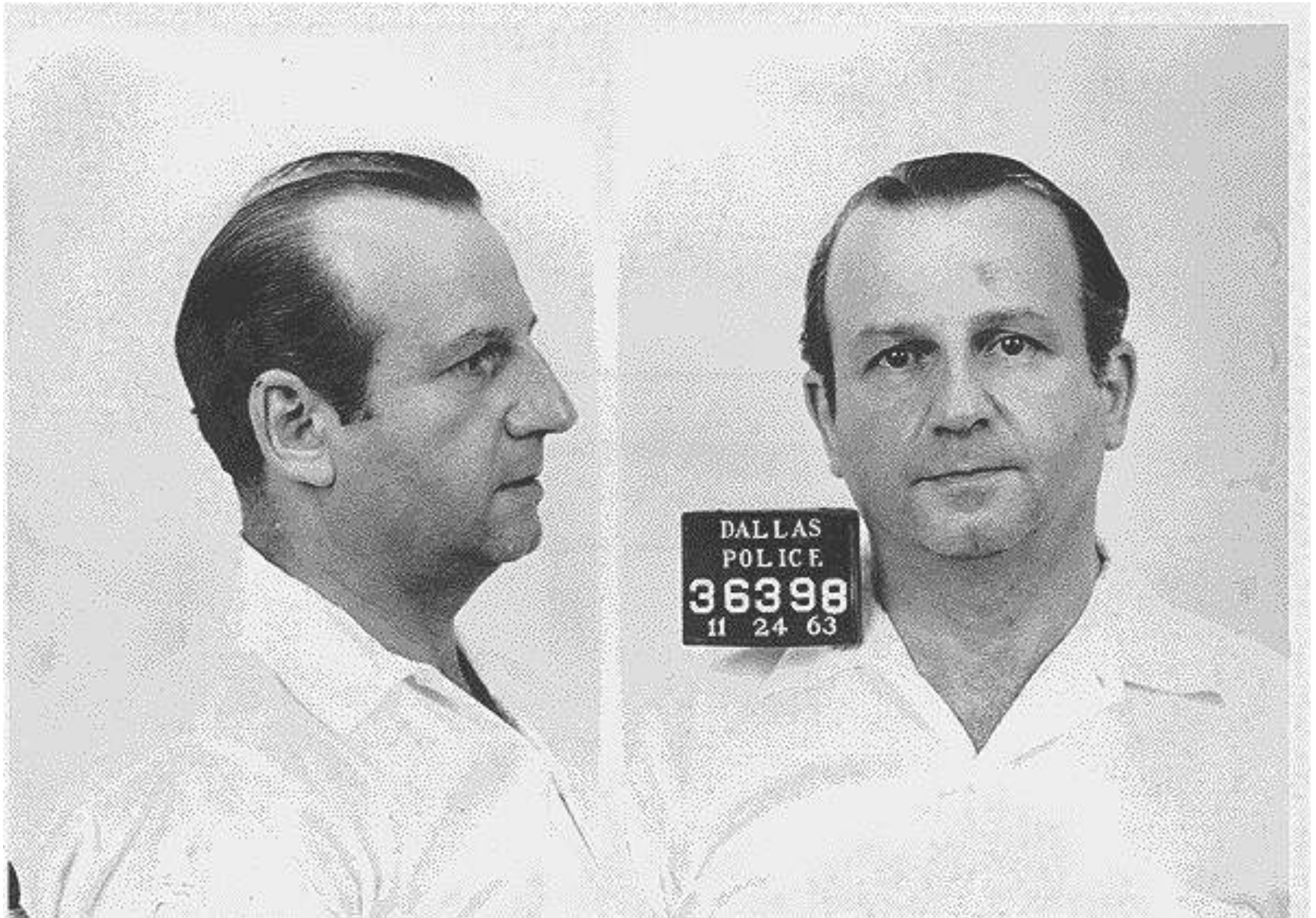
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Look at the *New York Times* newspaper for Monday November 25, 1963.

President John F. Kennedy (JFK) was assassinated in Dallas, Texas on Friday, November 22, 1963.

Lyndon Baines Johnson (LBJ) became the new President of the United States.

President Kennedy's Body was "Lying in State" at the United States Capitol.

Lee Harvey Oswald was shot as he was moved from the Dallas City Jail to the Dallas County Jail.

Look at the articles on the following pages:

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