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Kennedy Plot Seen

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WASHINGTON — Two West Virginia congressmen suspect that more than one man was involved in the assassination of President Kennedy and thus they aren't satisfied with the Warren Commission report.

The five other members of the state congressional delegation accept the Warren Commission's finding that Lee Harvey Oswald, acting alone, killed Kennedy.

"I don't think this was the action of one man and I never have thought so," commented Rep. John M. Slack Jr., D-W. Va., who questions how many shots were actually fired and from where in Dallas.

"I always felt that more than one man was in on it," said Rep. Harley O. Staggers, D-W. Va., chairman of the House Commerce Committee.

"New probing needs to be done," he observed. "As long as there are any doubts, we should try to get at the truth."

STAGGERS AND SLACK cited the current investigation of the Kennedy assassination by District Atty. Jim Garrison in New Orleans as an indication that the Warren Commission didn't thoroughly probe every possibility.

Slack said another area that concerns him is the ease with which Oswald, who went to the Soviet Union and said he intended to become a Russian citizen, was cleared by State Department officials to later return to the United States.

"This was one of the worst judgments in the history of our

country," he commented. Slack said two foreign service officers disagreed about whether Oswald should be permitted to return.

"I read all 27 volumes of the Warren report," observed Rep. Arch A. Moore Jr., R-W. Va. "I am satisfied that Oswald did it and no one else was involved."

"There is no reason to continue torturing ourselves that someone else was involved unless some startling new evidence is developed."

Rep. Ken Hechler, D-W. Va., said he thinks the conclusions of the Warren Commission are sound and that Oswald acted alone.

"Some aspects of the investigation might have been more thorough," he commented. "For example, Mrs. Kennedy might have been asked for more information."

Sen. Jennings Randolph, Sen. Robert C. Byrd and Rep. James Kee said they accept the findings of the Warren Commission and have no personal doubts about its explanation of Kennedy's assassination.

"I have discussed their report with members of the commission and I have reason to believe that Oswald acted alone," observed Sen. Randolph. "I'm not convinced there is a need for additional investigation."

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