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NEW YORK (UPI) -- AN INDEPENDENT INVESTIGATION OF THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY CONCLUDES THAT A SINGLE BULLET HIT BOTH THE LATE PRESIDENT AND TEXAS GOV. JOHN CONNALLY, THE COLUMBIA BROADCASTING SYSTEM SAID MONDAY.

"AFTER THOROUGH INVESTIGATION OF ALL EVIDENCE," CBS SAID ITS VIEW IS THAT "IT IS DIFFICULT TO BELIEVE THE SINGLE-BULLET THEORY. BUT TO BELIEVE THE OTHER THEORIES IS MORE DIFFICULT."

ENT TO BELIEVE THE OTHER THEORIES IS MORE DIFFICULT. CBS NEWS INQUIRY: THE WARREN REPORT, "INTERVIEWED NAVY CAPT. JAMES HUMES, WHO CONDUCTED THE AUTOPSY ON KENNEDY, AND OTHER WITNESSES WHO BACKED UP THE CONCLUSION THAT LEE HARVEY OSWALD WAS THE ONLY GUNMAN SHOOTING AT THE PRESIDENT.

BASED ON EVIDENCE PRESENTED SUNDAY AND MONDAY NASH FIRED BY THERE WAS NO SECOND GUNMAN AND THAT A FIRST SHOT WAS FIRED BY THERE WAS NO SECOND GUNMAN AND THAT A FIRST SHOT WAS FIRED BY THERE WAS NO SECOND GUNMAN AND THAT A FIRST SHOT WAS FIRED BY THERE IS NOT A SINGLE ITEM OF HARD EVIDENCE FOR A SECOND ASSASSIN—NO WOUND THAT CAN BE ATTRIBUTED TO HIM, NO ONE WHO ASW HIM—ALTHOUGH HE WOULD HAVE BEEN FIRING IN FULL VIEW OF A CROWDED PLAZA—NO BULLETS, NO CARTRIDGE CASES, NOTHING TANGIBLE.

"IT THE DAMNDS FOR CERTAINTY THAT ARE MADE UPON THE (WARREN) COMMISSION WERE APPLIED TO ITS CRITICS, THE THEORY OF A SECOND ASSASSIN WOULD VANISH BEFORE IT WAS SPOKEN."

IN THE THIRD AND FOURTH PARTS OF THE SERIES, TO BE PRESENTED (AT 110 P.M. EDT) TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, CBS WILL EXAMINE WHETHER WAS A CONSPIRACY BEHIND THE ASSASSINATION AND WHY MANY AMERICANS DO NOT ACCEPT THE COMMISSION'S FINDINGS.

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