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theory

Notes accompanying Hal's civil action 78-1107

1. Spectro analysis was not handed over to the WC; they are kept by the FBI. (p. 150)
2. Makes point that all the medical testimony before the WC rejected the idea that one bullet could have done all the non-fatal damage attributed to it by the Commission. See Humes, Boswell, and Finck. Also Dr. Shaw under Dulles questioning.
3. Make point in Chpt. III about WC's dependence on the FBI. This was made clear in January 22 Ex Sess. They could not offend Hoover because the FBI was doing all the investigation and laboratory work. And the Model. Use appropriate quotes from the January 22 meeting. The Commission was boxed in. The FBI does not "evaluate." But in its CD 1 and leaks it had come to an iron-clad conclusion that LHO was the killer. Lot did this even before it ran out all its Mexico leads that could spell a conspiracy. All this reflected in the tentative 1/11/'64 outline for the Commission's work. The Commission was ready to fold up and quit already; go thru the motions. See Epstein on this and the staffs' attitudes.
4. Note on Dr. Shires. Shires was Connally's chief physician. He knew more about C's chest wound than anybody. He was most knowledgeable about the fragment in C's chest as to location and size. Size of frag was too large to have come from CE#399. He was never called before the WC.

Connally's
wound