Summary of Frazier's Vol. III testimony

Frazier/WC interchange:

pp. 406ff F says it would be an easier shot w/ scope than the iron sights. The firearms experts on HSCA were of the reverse opinion. (p. 409)

F implies that the offset of the crosshairs of the sight actually made the "Oswald shooting" easier. (p. 411).

p. 412 shimming the scope by Army ballistic lab

p. 413 F calls the shooting very easy

pp. 28/29 F tells Eisenberg that there was blood and tissue on CE399 but not enough to interfere w/ the examination !!!! Then again on p. 437 Eisenberg asks about blood/substances on CE399. Frazier remarks: "No, there was no test made of the materials."

p. 435 asked is CE 567 and 569 (frags that came from CE139 according to Frazier earlier) did they come from the same bullet? Frazier said he could not determine that they were. There was not enough of the two frags in unmultilated condition to make a judgment. They could be parts of one bullet; but then again they could be parts of two bullets. Neither of these frags could have come from CE399 because of their weight.

CE569 weighed 21.0 grains (p. 435). CE567 Frazier estimates in the neighborhood of 40 grains. (p. 436)

Is this the basis for FBI saying three shots, three hits? (In this session Frazier not asked about spectro testing). At least, if these two frags came from separate 6.5 mm bullets fired from Oswald's Mannlicher-Carcano that means JFK was hit by two separate shots. Leaves question about the neck wound. (Or was it a fragment that exited his neck under this construction?) JBC hit by a separate shot.

