

Ex-CIA Man Says Oswald 'Framed'

Washington

A former CIA official said yesterday he had determined with a new lie detector device that Lee Harvey Oswald told the truth when he denied killing President Kennedy.

George O'Toole, author of a new book on the subject, said his conclusions are based on an electronic analysis of voice recordings of Oswald and other figures in the case.

The study, he said, shows that perhaps a dozen persons not accused of the crime lied about various aspects of it.

O'Toole, who charged that Oswald was "framed," said at a news conference he will have more developments backing up his conspiracy theory "very shortly."

At the moment, though, he said he does not know who did kill Kennedy.

But he said he reached the "inescapable" conclusion "that at least some of the people who framed Lee Har-

vey Oswald were members of the Dallas police."

"President Kennedy was killed by a conspiracy," said O'Toole, former chief of the CIA Problem Analysis Branch. "The man who paid with his life for that crime in the basement of the Dallas City Hall was innocent."

The psychological stress evaluator used by O'Toole in putting together his theory indicates when stress is present in the human voice. Stress, he said, is an indication the speaker is lying.

There was no stress in his voice, he said, when Oswald answered "no" to the important question — did he shoot anyone.

O'Toole drew his conclusion from about ten seconds of tape recordings of Oswald's replies to reporters' questions in a hallway at Dallas police headquarters.

Twice Oswald was asked if he was responsible for the shooting and twice he denied it.

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