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Oswald witness takes own life

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DALLAS — A former sheriff's deputy whose testimony disagrees with the Warren Commission's findings about Lee Harvey Oswald's movements after President John F. Kennedy was assassinated has died of what police say was a self-inflicted gun shot wound.

Police said Roger Dean Craig, 39, shot himself to

death with a .22-caliber rifle.

Craig's father was quoted as saying Craig had been taking pain killing pills because of injuries received two years ago in an auto accident. The father said his son also was told this week by the Social Security Administration he had been turned down for benefits.

After Kennedy's assassination, Craig testified he saw a man he later identified as Oswald get into a station wagon driven by another man near the building where the shots are said to have been fired. The commission found Oswald acted alone and concluded he took a bus from the building.