

New York Magazine

'McCall's' Probes JFK Killing

The March issue of *McCall's* will feature a tough 12,000-word lead article on the assassination of JFK. The story by senior editor Vivian Cadden, who investigated for six months, lays out a strong case for a series of cover-ups by the CIA, FBI, and even Bobby Kennedy.

The editors, we understand, believe the article paints a new picture of the assassination that may "shock us even more about the morality and methods of our government than Watergate did."

But the same editors did not foresee the current attempts to cut back the special House committee on assassinations. (The House Rules Committee will decide the status of the committee this week.) The story emphasizes the need for the committee to probe further. This week, in an unusual move, the magazine is releasing advance copies of the story to committee members. Although one editor denied the magazine was lobbying, he added, "The story is a persuasive case for the committee's continuance." Apparently, the editors feel it would be somewhat anticlimactic for the lead article to appear in March with the committee's fate in doubt.

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