

First Private Doctor Sees JFK

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Dr. John K. Lattimer, a New York professor and physician, has examined long-withheld pictures and X-rays taken in the autopsy of John F. Kennedy, U.S. Archivist James B. Rhoads, said yesterday.

Dr. Lattimer said that the pictures "eliminate any doubt completely" about the conclusion reached by the Warren Commission that Lee Harvey Oswald shot all the

bullets that hit President Kennedy while he was in Dallas in November 1963.

Dr. Lattimer, who has extensively studied and written about the 1963 assassination, was allowed in the National Archives to view the documents after being granted permission by the Kennedy family, Rhoads said.

He said Dr. Lattimer was the first non-government medical specialist to see the documents since they were

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placed under a five-year freeze in 1966 at the request of the Kennedy family.

The National Archives received the documents from the Kennedy family in October 1966, on condition that they be withheld from public examination for the next five years.

Burke Marshall, representative of the Kennedy family, said Dr. Lattimer was the first expert to request per-

mission to view the documents when the deadline expired last October.

Marshall, entrusted by the Kennedy family to decide who will see the documents, said he was considering similar requests from three other physicians—Dr. Cyril H. Wecht of Pittsburgh, Dr. John Nichols of the University of Kansas and Dr. E. Forrest Chapman, the medical examiner of Wayne County, Mich.