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AUTHOR HAROLD WEISBERG CHARGES CONSPIRACY AND COVER-UP

IN THE ASSASSINATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, SATURDAY,

MARCH 20, ON WNEW-TV'S "BANDY"

A controversial confrontation takes shape as John Bandy hosts author Harold Weisberg, and attorneys Percy Foreman and Arthur Haines, this Saturday at 11:00 P.M. on WNEW-TV, Channel 5.

Author Weisberg, who wrote the now-famous book WHITEWASH concerning the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, speaks out about his investigations into the death of Martin Luther King. Weisberg has written a soon-to-be published book, FRAME UP, concerning the assassination, and charges in this new work that James Earl Ray, convicted killer of Dr. King, was "sold up the river" by his attorneys Foreman and Haines. The new book also charges J. Edgar Hoover and the FBI with suppression of evidence that indicated Ray was not alone in committing the crime, and was not the man who actually pulled the trigger of the murder weapon. He also questions the advice of Ray's attorney, Percy Foreman, in pleading guilty for a 99-year sentence, and keeping the trial from a public airing.

Foreman, on the other hand, maintains that a conspiracy was not involved, and Ray was actually acting alone. Haines, who was Ray's attorney early in the case and was fired, says he believes, now, that a conspiracy was involved and that Ray is not guilty of murder.

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