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In a panel discussion of the Warren Commission Report televised Oct. 18, Percy Foreman, president of the National Association of Defense Attorneys, said:

"I would like to offer this suggestion with reference to the foreign reaction to the shooting. It's impossible for any country in Europe to conceive of a fact situation under which an individual would have enough freedom to where he could commit, unaided and without a great deal of help, this horrible crime. This is the only country in the world that it could have happened because of our freedom of the individual, and that's why the rest of the world has hesitancy to accept the verity of the Warren findings ...

"The reason they /people abroad/ believe there was a conspiracy is because there would needs have been one anywhere else in the world except here ... And it's impossible; this thing could not have happened in any country on earth except America."

The moderator asked: "Why could it happen here without a con-?"

Foreman broke in: "Because we have the freedom of the individual, freedom of movement."