

Did Jackie shoot JFK?

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A group called the Citizen's Justice Committee believes it may have happened.

The committee has been compiling evidence that suggests a conspiracy behind the 1963 assassination of American president John Fitzgerald Kennedy. This conspiracy, they say, may even include the former First Lady, Jacqueline Kennedy.

A representative of the group appeared at the University of Waterloo in November to present their theory, which is based on a research project completed this summer.

According to the committee, an analysis of the medical and physical evidence of the assassination gives a different picture than that outlined by the Warren Commission in its official report. The cover-up of this evidence and its implications, says the group, indicates a far-reaching conspiracy possibly involving Fidel Castro and the Secret Service.

Contradictions in the medical evidence, as well as films of the assassination taken by spectators and previously overlooked reports, were used by the Citizen's Justice Committee to construct its case.

Parkland Memorial Hospital, where Kennedy was taken immediately after he was shot, reported that the fatal bullet entered his head at the left temporal area (near the temple) and exited through the right lower rear of the skull.

The report of the autopsy, which was performed at the

Bethesda Naval Hospital in Washington and used by the Warren Commission in its investigation into the assassination, had a different interpretation. The Commission found that Kennedy had been killed by a shot which entered from behind, into the lower right rear portion of the skull. This rear entry wound was consistent with the position of a lone sniper in the Texas Book Depository, where Lee Harvey Oswald was reported to have been seen at the time of the shooting.

The Citizen's Justice Committee points to this contradiction as evidence that Kennedy's body was altered from the time it left Dallas to the time it arrived at Bethesda.

Other evidence was cited to back up this theory. Kennedy's body left Dallas in a 400 pound bronze ceremonial casket, but according to eyewitnesses in Bethesda, it arrived in a body bag inside a grey metal shipping casket.

The wound at the back of Kennedy's skull was described in the autopsy report as being roughly five times larger than what it had been reported as in Dallas. The enlarged hole makes the trajectory of the fatal bullet impossible to ascertain, says the group. As well, the brain was missing when the body arrived at Bethesda. A brain was later produced, then lost. It has not been recovered.

The participation of Jacqueline Kennedy in the assassination was suggested by the Zapruder film of the shooting, said the group. According to them, the window of Kennedy's limousine was rolled

up and any shot from outside the car would have shattered it. As well, Jackie's head was in the line of fire. Therefore, they conclude, Kennedy must have been shot by someone inside the car, and the only suspect is Jackie.

The Zapruder film shows a white flash on frame 313, just prior to the fatal shot. This, says the group, is the muzzle flash of a gun fired by Jackie Kennedy.

The Citizen's Justice Committee is reluctant to openly accuse anyone, besides Jacqueline, of being behind the conspiracy to kill President Kennedy. They do, however, suggest that other possible suspects might include Fidel Castro, the Secret Service, organized crime, and white supremacist groups.

The committee is also unwilling to reveal the names of its members, including that of the representative who appeared at Waterloo, because "we don't want the wrong people to know who we are".

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A sign saying "We are closed for business" appeared on the door of Living Earth Foods in HUB Mall last week. The store made headlines last year when rent increases threatened to boot the establishment out of the mall. No further information is available at this time.

Before our time...

I have been receiving *The Gateway* for some time, and thought I'd drop you a line to show my appreciation.

I have been on "ops" down here for several years, but I can still remember the good times I had in good old U of A.

I'm sorry to hear about Marcel Lambert being a prisoner of war now, but I'm afraid there will be lots more like him.

Please forward my *Gateway* to R.C.A.F. Station, Chatham, N.B. (Sgd.) F/O C.R. Dixon
November 19, 1943)

The cigarettes you so kindly sent on behalf of the alumni arrived today in fine condition. Many thanks — it's hard to realize just how much a "fag" can and does mean to all of us over here.

To all of the alumni — both those I know and those I hope some day to meet — my sincere thanks. I often see many familiar faces over here, now in khaki, and it seems a little hard to realize that these are the same chaps with whom we loafed in the "Tuck," played with on the "Grid," but there are many of them. U Alberta has no cause to hang her head on that score, nor on any other.

My greetings to all of you for the New Year. May next Xmas see us home again, or if not, may it see us a little closer to the enemy's goal line.

Bruce Macdonald
Captain, C.A.C.
(February 12, 1942)

Fellow Grads, — Just a note to thank you for the kind gesture in sending a cake for Christmas. As you see by the date, it arrived in good time, and was in excellent

shape.

I have only been in England for about five weeks, and so far have not met many U of A graduates, although I know of quite a few over here.

There are a considerable number of Edmonton men in this regiment, so I feel quite at home even though I am a newcomer.

I am sure Lt.-Col. Warren of the COTC would be glad to hear that the artillery course put on last year at Varsity has stood me in good stead. It certainly gave me the essentials and compares very favorably with all the places where I have had additional training since leaving Alberta. Would you give him a ring for me?

Jimmy Edgar
(February 29, 1941)

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Acclaimed geographer and atmospheric scientist, F. Kenneth Hare, Chancellor of Trent University, will address the topic "Science Policy and Uncertainty in the Environmental Arena" at 4 pm, on Tuesday, December 6, in Lecture Theatre 1 of the Humanities. The presentation is part of the John A. Allan 75th Anniversary Lecture in Science.

An active participant in the government's analysis of public issues involving science, Dr. Hare is a member of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Institute for Research in Atmospheric Chemistry, and a former commissioner of the Ontario Nuclear Safety Review.

The five-year lectureship series was initiated in 1984 to commemorate the University's 75th Anniversary.

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Staff meeting
4pm today Rm 282 SUB