

Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

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In the current issue of "Saturday Evening Post" author James Phelan,

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pointed out the many flaws in Jim Garrison's conspiracy case against Clay L. Shaw and in general revealed the highly unusual procedures being utilized by Garrison in his so-called investigation.

Certain statements given to Phelan by Garrison's Office would be extremely valuable to the defense attorneys for Clay L. Shaw since these statements reveal the weakness of Garrison's primary witness and show attempts to manipulate this witness by post hypnotic suggestion.

Layton Patrick Martens, mentioned in attached, was subpoenaed before a grand jury by Garrison and compelled to testify concerning his participation in the theft of arms from a former air base in 1961.

Inasmuch as the attached was taken from news articles, it will not be disseminated.

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