

Texas, Canada Asked to Arrest Two Men by JFK 'Plot' Prober

NEW ORLEANS, April 1 (AP). — Dist. Atty. Jim Garrison has asked Canadian and Texas authorities to arrest two men charged in an incident that Garrison's office says "may or may not be related" to his probe of the Kennedy assassination.

Garrison telegraphed arrest warrants yesterday to Montreal for Gordon Novel and to Dallas, Tex., for Sergio Arcacha Simth, based on charges of conspiring to burglarize a munitions bunker in 1961.

CHARGES PLOT

Garrison obtained a warrant for Novel's arrest last week as a material witness in the probe.

of President John F. Kennedy's assassination.

The new charge accused Novel and Arcacha of conspiring with David W. Ferrie to commit simple burglary of a munitions dump in Houma, about 40 miles southwest of New Orleans.

Garrison has alleged that Ferrie, Lee Harvey Oswald and Clay L. Shaw plotted in mid-September 1963 to kill President Kennedy. Oswald and Ferrie are dead. Shaw, 54, a retired New Orleans executive, has been indicted on a charge of conspiring to kill the President.

Novel, who left town just before a second subpoena was issued for him to appear before the grand jury, told newsmen at the time he thought Garrison "wants to know something about activities during 1961 which are related to Sergio Arcacha Smith."

Special Investigator Bill Gurbich on Garrison's staff declined to say whether the burglary conspiracy was linked to an assassination plot.

The warrants for Novel and Aracha were signed by criminal district court Judge Thomas Brahney, who set bond at \$5,000 for each. Novel already had a \$50,000 bond awaiting him on the warrant for his arrest as a material witness.

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