

2 Ask New Kennedy Probe

The editor of a small-town Texas newspaper and a magazine editor joined today in calling on Congress to reopen the investigation of the assassination of President Kennedy.

Penn Jones Jr., editor of the Midlothian (Tex.) Mirror, and David Welsh of Ramparts Magazine issued the call at a press conference here.

The press session was in connection with an article in the current issue of Ramparts that says at least 10 persons connected in some way to events related to the assassination have since met what the story calls violent or bizarre deaths. The editors also said a large number of potential witnesses have been intimidated into silence.

Welsh's article lists 10 persons he says were connected with the assassination who have died. It includes Dorothy Kil-

gallen. Miss Kilgallen, who died in November 1965 of a combination of barbiturates and alcohol, had interviewed Jack Ruby. She is reported by the author to have said during the last days of her life: "In five more days, I'm going to bust this case wide open."

The other deaths include those of two newspapermen; Tom Howard, who was briefly Ruby's lawyer, Earlene Roberts, who managed Lee Harvey Oswald's rooming house.

Newsman asked Jones and Welsh why the "mysterious deaths" were limited to these 10, while Jack Ruby, Marina Oswald and others much closer to the assassination events are still alive.

Welsh and Jones countered by saying that Dallas is impregnated with fear, that Ruby

ought to be transferred to Washington so he can be questioned competently and that amateur investigators are harassed and "tailed."

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Jones said he thinks there were two riflemen involved in a conspiracy to kill Kennedy, but he said he had no final evidence.

"They're still working on the assassination of Lincoln," Jones said.

Welsh added that most of the Dallas newspapermen who covered the case have moved to other jobs and that a third of the evidence in the assassination is being withheld. He blamed FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover for suppression of most of the documents.

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