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(ASSASSINATION) of Pres. John F. Kennedy

WASHINGTON--A GOVERNMENT SOURCE SAID TODAY THE U.S. ARCHIVIST WILL RESIST A PETITION FROM NEW ORLEANS DIST. ATTY. JIM GARRISON TO BE ABLE TO SEE RECORDS OF THE AUTOPSY ON THE LATE PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY.

THE ARCHIVIST, DR. JAMES B. RHOADS, WAS ORDERED THURSDAY TO APPEAR JAN. 17 IN COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS AT THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TO SHOW CAUSE WHY HE SHOULD NOT BE DIRECTED TO TESTIFY IN LOUISIANA WHEN GARRISON BRINGS CLAY SHAW TO TRIAL.

SHAW IS ACCUSED OF PLOTTING THE ASSASSINATION OF KENNEDY IN 1963. GARRISON PETITIONED THE WASHINGTON COURT AND JUDGE CHARLES W. HALLECK ISSUED THE ORDER FOR THE WASHINGTON HEARING. RHOADS WILL BE REPRESENTED BY THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AND IS EXPECTED TO RESPOND IN WRITING AND ORALLY, OBJECTING TO HIS APPEARANCE AT THE SHAW TRIAL.

GARRISON CONTENDED THE AUTOPSY REPORTS AND PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BOLSTER HIS CASE AGAINST SHAW. THE KENNEDY FAMILY GAVE THE AUTOPSY PICTURES TO THE ARCHIVES IN 1966 AND SPECIFIED NOBODY BUT FEDERAL INVESTIGATORS COULD SEE THEM UNTIL 1971.

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