

### Haggerty: 'Not guilty'

# Judge's case to Grand Jury

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19 (UPI) — Informed sources said today District Atty. James Garrison will turn over to the grand jury the case of Edward A. Haggerty Jr., the white-haired criminal judge arrested at a stag party.

Judge Haggerty presided over the trial that found businessman Clay L. Shaw innocent of conspiring to assassinate President John F. Kennedy. Mr. Garrison prosecuted the Shaw case.

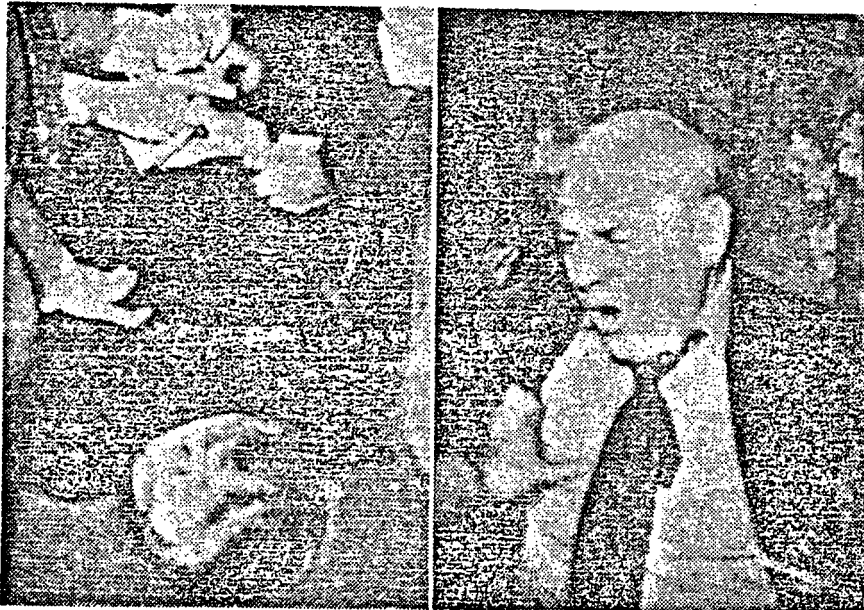
Four criminal charges against Judge Haggerty and 13 others were referred yesterday to Mr. Garrison's office. A top official on the city's crime commission said Judge Haggerty should resign.

A spokesman for Judge Haggerty said the judge would be "vindicated of these charges." The spokesman said the stag party was an

affair for a friend about to be married — "a New Orleans tradition."

"If all men, no matter what their background or professional status, who ever attended such a farewell-to-the-bachelorhood party, were put in jail, the police blotter would read like a telephone directory," said Atty. Robert Ziblich.

Judge Haggerty was among 14 persons taken into custody Wednesday night as vice squad raiders broke up a \$5-a-person stag party featuring obscene films and live entertainment by three women. The judge was charged with soliciting for prostitution, three counts of assault on police officers, resisting arrest and conspiracy to commit obscenity.



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Judge Edward Haggerty is pinned to the floor of a motel room (left) as police handcuff him during a raid on an alleged stag show. At right, he is hustled out of the motel.

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- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
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