Assassination Probe

Hard on the heels of a three-judge panel action binding him over for trial, retired businessman Clay L. Shaw was indicted by the Orleans. Parish Grand Jury for criminal conspiracy to murder the late President John F. Kennedy. Conviction would carry a maximum penalty of '20 years imprisonment.

Other developments in the bizarre case, whose four-day preliminary hearing was covered by news-

men from throughout the western world:

Indicted for perjury in connection with the assassination probe was rotund, wise-cracking attorney Dean A. Andrews Jr., whose link with the case was assigned as the reason for his suspension as a Jefferson Parish assistant DA.

Gordon Novel, former New Orleans nightclub owner, was ordered arrested as a material witness. He was last reported in Columbus, Ohio, but had

left there, assertedly for Chicago.

Subpensed to testify in the case were Donald Dooty, a mystery figure whose connection was unexplained, and Patrick Layton Martens, once roommate of the late David W. Ferrie, who was detained with Ferrie after their return from Texas two days after the killing of President Kennedy. Held for the FBI and the Secret Service, they were released after a brief confinement.

Criminal District Court Judge Edward A. Haggerty Jr., was designated by lot to preside at Shaw's trial, which many believed would encompass a trial of the Warren Commission Report ifself.

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